

The monthly newsletter for World Book Online

### Native American Heritage Month

November is designated as Native American Heritage Month in the United States. This month provides an opportunity to celebrate and honor the rich culture, history, and contributions of Native Americans to our nation.

World Book Student features over 180 articles on various Native American groups, including the Calusa and Tequesta tribes of Florida, the now-extinct Yahi of California, and the Haudenosaunee (also known as the Iroquois League). It also covers prehistoric Native American peoples like the Olmec and Kennewick Man, as well as the Folsom point.

Additionally, Student includes more than 100 biographical articles on numerous Native American leaders and contemporary Native American artists and authors.

You can find additional ideas and resources for Native American Heritage Month on the Teaching Topics page of the Training Guide.

### November Webinars



#### Support for English Language Learners

**Tues, Nov 5th at 10:00 AM CDT**

Learn how to use World Book Online features to support English Language Learners. There are several tools to help every access content at their given level.

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#### Resources for Native American Heritage Month

**Wed, Nov 13th, 1:30 PM CDT**

World Book is a great resource in helping you prepare for, educate about, and celebrate Native American Heritage History month!

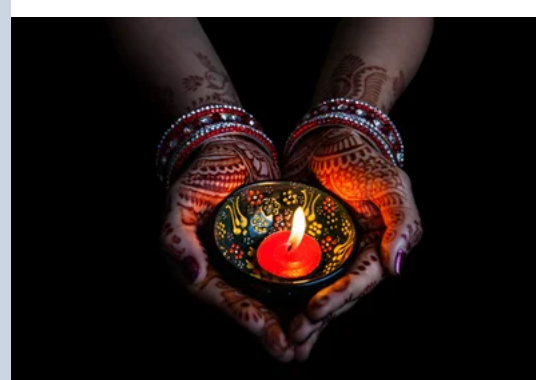
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#### New eBook Titles

**Mon, Nov 25th, 2:00 PM CDT**

One of the main benefits of a World Book eBooks subscription is automatic access to our NEW World Book originals! We will also take a look at the different classroom resources available for these new titles.

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### Festival of Lights

[Diwali](#) is the annual Festival of Lights. The days-long festival's high point is the new moon, the darkest night of the lunar cycle, that arrives in the Hindu month of Kartika (October to November). Widely celebrated in all parts of India and Hindu communities worldwide, Diwali stories and rituals can differ but usually honor Lakshmi, the goddess of prosperity.



### Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving is the perfect occasion to pause and reflect on all the things we have to be grateful for. But the truth is, giving thanks shouldn't be confined to just one season - spending time every day focusing on gratitude can have a huge impact on your students' health and well-being throughout the school year. Try having your students write down what they are thankful for on pieces of construction paper. Staple them together for a chain of kindness to decorate!

### World Book Insiders

You're already getting questions and requests- why not have all the solutions? A little bit of professional development and collaboration with like-minded people goes a long way, once you become a World Book Insider. You will not only have the tools you need to support staff, students, or patrons but you will learn ways to take those resources to the next level and earn perks along the way. Watch the [informational webinar](#) to learn more and [apply today!](#)



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