



Dagwaagani Maawindoosijigewin - Fall Harvest 2019 Station Information

1. **Treaty Knowledge** – participants will engage in meaningful dialogue about Treaty #3 and what it means to all people within the territory, to clear-up common misunderstandings and provide a deep understanding.
2. **Fish Preparation** – while learning about the anatomy of the fish, participants will see how to fillet fish and may even get to try it themselves. Participants will be given a piece of prepared fish.
3. **Bird Preparation and Bear Grease** – participants will pluck geese as they learn about the importance of this bird to the Anishinaabe. The plucked birds will be made into sausage at a later date. Participants will also learn how fat from a bear is used as medicine.
4. **Bannock Making** – participants will watch and learn how the Anishinaabe traditionally made bannock.
5. **Wild Rice/Parching** – wild rice will be roasted at this station. Participants will help ensure the rice doesn't burn.
6. **Wild Rice/Dancing** – the boys/men will dance on the wild rice to break the husks from the rice before it is winnowed.
7. **Wild Rice/Winnowing** – participants will be given a demonstration on the technique of winnowing and will then begin to winnow. This is an important step in separating the husks from the rice.
8. **Wild Rice Cleaning and Stories** – students learn the importance of wild rice while cleaning the remaining husks that have not come off the rice in the dancing and winnowing stages.
9. **Drum Teachings** – participants will have an opportunity to learn about Seven Generations Education Institute's Grandfather Drum, Saagachiwe. There will be an opportunity to ask questions.
10. **Deer Preparation** - students will learn about the processing of animals, such as deer when it has been harvested.
11. **Traditional Medicines** - students will have the opportunity to learn about a variety of traditional medicines harvested and utilized by the Anishinaabeg.
12. **Storytelling** – students will have the opportunity to rest a bit and listen to teepee stories at this station.
13. **Honour Our Children Memorial** – participants will have an opportunity to hear a Residential School Survivor speak about his/her experience in the IRS system.
14. **Métis Games** – participants will learn and play a number of traditional Métis games.
15. **Bannock on a Stick** – students will be able make and bake their own bannock and enjoy a bannock snack at this station.