

## American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage Month – November 2024

November is Native American Heritage Month, and is also referred to as, American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage Month. We honor this month by giving students the opportunity to view our past through the eyes of many, so they can begin to create their own view of our collective history, understand the present, and become better prepared to engage the problems of the future. The Indian Education for All Unit would like to acknowledge and celebrate this month by highlighting resources where you can access authentic materials to support your culturally relevant instruction. [Indian Education for All November 2024](#)

### Resources for Teaching About American Indian Veterans:

- [American Indians in the Military - A Warrior Spirit](#)
- [Resources for Teaching about American Indians in the Military](#)
- [Why We Serve: Native Americans in the United States Armed Forces](#)

### Resources for Teaching About Thanksgiving:

- [1621 A New Look at Thanksgiving](#)
- [American Indian Perspectives on Thanksgiving](#)

### A Sampling of New IEFA Resources:

- [Ako Mic Mi \(Feathers\) - Blackfoot Mapmaker 1801](#)
- [Declaration of Independence Bias Lesson](#)
- [Kevin Kicking Woman - Sharing Blackfeet Songs](#)
- [Nakoa Heavy Runner - The Power of Indigenous Songs](#)
- [Singing Traditions on the Powwow Trail](#)
- [Who Are the Little Shell](#)

### For Administrators:

- [Indian Education for All Finance Reporting - HB 338](#)
- [The Framework: A Practical Guide for Montana Teachers and Administrators Implementing Indian Education for All](#)

### Join us for our November Book Study - 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. MST – [Registration](#)

Join us for an engaging book study of [Thunderous](#), a powerful narrative that explores themes of resilience, identity, and community. November 6 - April Wills, November 13 - Mandy Smoker Broadus, November 20 - Jacie Jeffers.

