**WESTTA Indigenous Education Resources-**

**April: Water Issues & Landbase Teachings**

**PD OPPORTUNITY for LAND BASED LEARNING:** The Journey- October, 2023-June, 2024 (site might not be able to access on school server at this time, but the link is live)

<https://outdoorlearningstore.com/4-seasons/>

**Government of Canada Report on Current Water Advisories in Canada on Reserves**:

<https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1506514143353/1533317130660>

**Do You Know the History of Shoal Lake?**

Shoal Lake 40 First Nation: Our History-<https://shoallake40.ca/our-history/>

Youtube Video: 24-year boil-water advisory lifts for Shoal Lake 40 First Nation: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_UJuCPA4Gio>

Shoal Lake: After 24 years of water advisories, Shoal Lake 40 First Nation can drink from the tap: <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/manitoba/shoal-lake-40-first-nation-drinking-water-advisory-1.6176167>

**The World’s Watching Canada:**

Here is an article from 2016 on the water crisis that indigenous communities face in our country- <https://www.hrw.org/report/2016/06/07/make-it-safe/canadas-obligation-end-first-nations-water-crisis>

Here are two articles discussing Canada’s progress:

From May 2021: <https://ucalgary.ca/news/tip-iceberg-true-state-drinking-water-advisories-first-nations>

From this past January: <https://ottawa.citynews.ca/2023/01/13/report-indicates-canada-has-failed-to-provide-clean-drinking-water-to-first-nations-6372321/>

**Early Years Activity- The Water Drop**: <https://canadians.org/fn-water/>

**Water Warriors of Today:**

Safe Drinking Water Foundation (Founded by Autumn Peltier): [https://www.safewater.org/news/tag/Autumn+Peltier](https://www.safewater.org/news/tag/Autumn%2BPeltier)

**Canadian Geographic: Water protection and youth activism with Autumn Peltier**- <https://canadiangeographic.ca/articles/water-protection-and-youth-activism-with-autumn-peltier/>

**Indigenous Sacred Plants & Medicines:**

<https://www.creehealth.org/health-tips/traditional-medicine-tobacco>

**Forced Population Movements (relationship with land and water)**

[Forced Population Movements | Indigenous Peoples Atlas of Canada](https://indigenouspeoplesatlasofcanada.ca/article/forced-population-movements/)

**Environmental Challenges**

[Environmental Challenges | Indigenous Peoples Atlas of Canada](https://indigenouspeoplesatlasofcanada.ca/article/environmental-challenges/)

**Connection to the Land**

[Connection to the Land | Indigenous Peoples Atlas of Canada](https://indigenouspeoplesatlasofcanada.ca/article/connection-to-the-land/)

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**Introduction to Land Based Education (National Centre for Collaboration in Indigenous Education**

[Introduction to Land-Based Education - YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4F6hg8uwZuQ)

**Podcast: I Went to a Cree Culture Camp**

[I went to report on a Cree culture camp. It ended up changing my life | CBC Radio](https://www.cbc.ca/radio/unreserved/indigenous-stories-from-the-field-lessons-learned-from-the-rez-a-river-and-a-canoe-1.5626858/i-went-to-report-on-a-cree-culture-camp-it-ended-up-changing-my-life-1.5628407)