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As our research journey moves into another year, we look forward to opportunities to invest further in growing understandings of local sylix histories, cultures, traditions, and perspectives, with greater focus oriented towards embodying these understandings as the lived 'co-curricular-making' terms in classrooms. As Year Two gets underway, we welcome returning educators and new educators. If you have not yet had the opportunity to sign up for Year Two, here is the registration link https://abc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9DQv2TQdFEQ

Inprint, from the [Co-Curricular-Making: Honouring Indigenous Connections to Land, Culture, and the Relational Self](#) Facilitation Team

Some Upcoming Opportunities with our Community Partners

Learning a Language: Naxilcaen for Everyone Level 2 | October 6, 13, 20 and 27, 2022

Hosted by the Okanagan Heritage Museum

A continuation of the beginner language course led by Knowledge Keepers and Elders of the Sylix nation.

Reflections: Responding to the Collection | September 17, 2022 - January 15, 2023

Hosted by the Kelowna Art Gallery

Take a deeper look into Kelowna Art Gallery's Permanent Collections.

Chief Dan George: Actor and Activist | September 30, 2022 - January 15, 2023

Hosted by the Okanagan Heritage Museum

The Chief Dan George exhibition delves into significant events in the First Nations Rights movement in BC and in Canada.

Elements of Truth: Before Reconciliation | October 7, 14 and 21, 2022.

Hosted by IndigenEYEZ / KinShift

All workshops are experiential and guided by Indigenous values: reciprocity, inclusion, curiosity, and humility.

For more information about our partners please visit their sites: [Okanagan Nation Alliance](#), [IndigenEYEZ](#), [Kelowna Art Gallery](#), and [Kelowna Museums](#). Do you have an event that you would like to share? Please email the [facilitation team](#).

Sylix Language Component

ska7ay - Fall

For pronunciation see [FirstVoices](#)

Some Upcoming Opportunities with the Project

Sylix/Settler Pedagogy Circle: Online Reflection

Thursday, October 27, 2022, 4-5pm (via zoom) <https://abc.zoom.us/j/967218916441?pwd=akJhMlVhbnJpZkZlbnRlc1YXV4TXQ2Zj09>

Meeting ID: 972 1891 6441

Passcode: 292115

These voluntary online reflection circles will create a place and space for sylix and settler educators to put heads and hearts together in learning and transformation. These efforts will be guided by Doctoral Candidate, Jody Diouhy-Nelson (SSHRC facilitation team) and Kelly Hanson (Instructional Leadership Team, Central Okanagan Public Schools) with and alongside Elders/Knowledge Keepers.

Learning with and from Community Partners (via zoom—links to follow)

Throughout the month of November, participants are invited to join in online forums to learn about community resources to inform and support co-curricular-making efforts. Zoom links to follow.

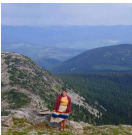
November 15, 2022, 4-5pm: IndigenEYEZ

November 16, 2022, 4-5pm: Elder Care with Central Okanagan Public Schools Indigenous Education

November 29, 2022, 4-5pm: Kelowna Museums Society

Meet one of our Research Assistants (RAs)

In every newsletter we will introduce a new RA.



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To learn more about Sheilina and the other RAs, click the link below.

[Meet the RAs](#)

For more information about the Co-Curricular Making: Honouring Indigenous Connections to Land, Culture and the Relational Self project and our resources, click on the links below:

[Co-Curricular Website](#)

[Co-Curricular Resources](#)

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