

## Cultural Theme Schedule 2022

September 2022

\*Opening pipe/drum ceremony every monday or first day of new school week. And closing pipe/drum ceremony every friday or last day of school week

\*Highlighted are potential cultural themes throughout the school year

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			9/1 - Orientation with students and families	9/2 - Orientation with students and families
9/5 - Labor Day	9/6 - First day of school - Opening ceremony with families, staff, elders, charter board, council, community - Students get oriented in class and school building	9/7 - First regular school day - Theme - <b>gardening &amp; harvesting</b>	9/8 - Theme - <b>gardening &amp; harvesting</b>	9/9 - Closing ceremony - Theme - <b>gardening &amp; harvesting</b>
9/12 - Opening ceremony - Theme - <b>Harvesting wild rice</b>	9/13 - Theme - <b>Harvesting wild rice</b>	9/14 - Theme - <b>Harvesting wild rice</b>	9/15 - Theme - <b>Harvesting wild rice</b>	9/16 - Closing ceremony - Theme - <b>Harvesting wild rice</b>
9/19 - Theme - <b>Processing wild rice</b>	9/20 - Theme - <b>Processing wild rice</b>	9/21 - Theme - <b>Processing wild rice</b>	9/22 - Theme - <b>Processing wild rice</b>	9/23 - Theme - <b>Processing wild rice</b>
9/26 - Theme - <b>Fishing</b>	9/27 - Theme - <b>Fishing</b>	9/28 - Theme - <b>Fishing</b>	9/29 - Theme - <b>Fishing</b>	9/30 - Theme - <b>Fishing</b>

October 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>10/3</u> - Opening ceremony - Theme - <b>Deer hunting</b>	<u>10/4</u> - Theme - <b>Deer hunting</b>	<u>10/5</u> - Theme - <b>Deer hunting</b>	<u>10/6</u> - Theme - <b>Deer hunting</b>	<u>10/7</u> - Theme - <b>Deer hunting</b>
<u>10/10</u> - Opening ceremony - Theme - <b>partridge hunting</b>	<u>10/11</u> - Theme - <b>partridge hunting</b>	<u>10/12</u> - Theme - <b>partridge hunting</b>	<u>10/13</u> - Theme - <b>partridge hunting</b>	<u>10/14</u> - Theme - <b>partridge hunting</b>
<u>10/17</u> - Opening ceremony - Theme - <b>Trapping muskrat</b>	<u>10/18</u> - Theme - <b>Trapping muskrat</b>	<u>10/19</u> - Theme - <b>Trapping muskrat</b>	<u>10/20</u> - Theme - <b>Trapping muskrat</b>	<u>10/21</u> - Theme - <b>Trapping muskrat</b>
<u>10/24</u> - Opening ceremony - Theme - <b>Trapping beaver</b>	<u>10/25</u> - Theme - <b>Trapping beaver</b>	<u>10/26</u> - Theme - <b>Trapping beaver</b>	<u>10/27</u> - Theme - <b>Trapping beaver</b>	<u>10/28</u> - Theme - <b>Trapping beaver</b>
<u>10/31</u> - Opening ceremony - Theme - <b>Halloween</b>				

November 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	<u>11/1</u> - Theme - <b>Making tobacco and rafts</b>	<u>11/2</u> - Theme - <b>Making tobacco and rafts</b>	<u>11/3</u> - Theme - <b>Making tobacco and rafts</b>	<u>11/4</u> - End of 1st quarter. - Theme - <b>Making tobacco and rafts</b>

<u>11/7</u> - Opening ceremony - Theme - <b>Uses of and importance of water</b>	<u>11/8</u> - Theme - <b>Uses of and importance of water</b>	<u>11/9</u> - Theme - <b>Uses of and importance of water</b>	<u>11/10</u> - Theme - <b>Uses of and importance of water</b>	<u>11/11</u> - MIEA no school
<u>11/14</u> - Theme - <b>Netting</b>	<u>11/15</u> - Theme - <b>Netting</b>	<u>11/16</u> - Theme - <b>Netting</b>	<u>11/17</u> - Theme - <b>Netting</b>	<u>11/18</u> - Theme - <b>Netting</b>
<u>11/21</u> - Theme - <b>Thanksgiving</b>	<u>11/22</u> - Theme - <b>Thanksgiving</b>	<u>11/23</u> - Theme - <b>Thanksgiving</b>	<u>11/24</u> - No school	<u>11/25</u> - No school
<u>11/28</u> - Theme - <b>Tanning hides</b>	<u>11/29</u> - Theme - <b>Tanning hides</b>	<u>11/30</u> - Theme - <b>Tanning hides</b>		

December 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			<u>12/1</u> - Theme - <b>Tanning hides</b>	<u>12/2</u> - Theme - <b>Drum making</b>
<u>12/5</u> - Theme - <b>Drum making</b>	<u>12/6</u> - Theme - <b>Drum making</b>	<u>12/7</u> - Theme - <b>Drum making</b>	<u>12/8</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>	<u>12/9</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>
<u>12/12</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>	<u>12/13</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>	<u>12/14</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>	<u>12/15</u> - Theme - <b>Chistmas</b>	<u>12/16</u> - Theme - <b>Chistmas</b>
<u>12/19</u> - No school	<u>12/20</u> - No school	<u>12/21</u> - No school	<u>12/22</u> - No school	<u>12/23</u> - No school
<u>12/26</u> - No school	<u>12/27</u> - No school	<u>12/28</u> - No school	<u>12/29</u> - No school	<u>12/30</u> - No school

January 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>1/2</u> - Theme - <b>Animal tracks in the snow</b>	<u>1/3</u> - Theme - <b>Animal tracks in the snow</b>	<u>1/4</u> - Theme - <b>Animal tracks in the snow</b>	<u>1/5</u> - Theme - <b>Animal tracks in the snow</b>	<u>1/6</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>
<u>1/9</u> - Theme - <b>Snaring rabbits</b>	<u>1/10</u> - Theme - <b>Snaring rabbits</b>	<u>1/11</u> - Theme - <b>Snaring rabbits</b>	<u>1/12</u> - Theme - <b>Snaring rabbits</b>	<u>1/13</u> - End of 2nd quarter - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>
<u>1/16</u> NO SCHOOL - Martin Luther King day	<u>1/17</u> - Theme - <b>Snaring rabbits</b>	<u>1/18</u> - Theme - <b>Snaring rabbits</b>	<u>1/19</u> - Theme - <b>Snaring rabbits</b>	<u>1/20</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>
<u>1/23</u> - Theme - <b>Ice fishing/spearin g</b>	<u>1/24</u> - Theme - <b>Ice fishing/spearin g</b>	<u>1/25</u> - Theme - <b>Ice fishing/spearin g</b>	<u>1/26</u> - Theme - <b>Ice fishing/spearin g</b>	<u>1/27</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>
<u>1/30</u> - Theme - <b>Moccasin making</b>	<u>1/31</u> - Theme - <b>Moccasin making</b>			

February 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		<u>2/1</u> - Theme - <b>Moccasin making</b>	<u>2/2</u> - Theme - <b>Moccasin making</b>	<u>2/3</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>
<u>2/6</u> - Theme - <b>Family structures</b>	<u>2/7</u> - Theme - <b>Family structures</b>	<u>2/8</u> - Theme - <b>Family structures</b>	<u>2/9</u> - Theme - <b>Family structures</b>	<u>2/10</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>
<u>2/13</u> - Theme - <b>Valentines day</b>	<u>2/14</u> - Theme - <b>Valentines day</b>	<u>2/15</u> - Theme - <b>Being kind - our teachings of love and respect</b>	<u>2/16</u> - Theme - <b>Being kind - our teachings of love and respect</b>	<u>2/17</u> - Theme - <b>Winter stories</b>

<u>2/20</u> No school - Chiefs day	<u>2/21</u> - Theme - Red Lake chiefs	<u>2/22</u> - Theme - Red Lake Chiefs	<u>2/23</u> - Theme - Red Lake chiefs	<u>2/24</u> - Theme - Winter stories
<u>2/27</u> - Theme - Beading/Anishi naabe crafts	<u>2/28</u> - Theme - Beading/Anishi naabe crafts			

March 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		<u>3/1</u> - Theme - Beading/Anishi naabe	<u>3/2</u> - Theme - Beading/Anishi naabe crafts	<u>3/3</u> - Theme - Winter stories
<u>3/6</u> - Theme - Getting ready for sugarbush	<u>3/7</u> - Theme - Getting ready for sugarbush	<u>3/8</u> - Theme - Getting ready for sugarbush	<u>3/9</u> - Theme - Getting ready for sugarbush	<u>3/10</u> - Theme - Winter stories
<u>3/13</u> - Theme - Tapping trees	<u>3/14</u> - Theme - Tapping trees	<u>3/15</u> - Theme - Tapping trees	<u>3/16</u> - Theme - Tapping trees	<u>3/17</u> - End of 3rd quarter - Theme - Winter stories
<u>3/20</u> - Theme - Collecting sap	<u>3/21</u> - Theme - Collecting sap	<u>3/22</u> - Theme - Collecting sap	<u>3/23</u> - Theme - Collecting sap	<u>3/24</u> - Theme - Collecting sap
<u>3/27</u> - Theme - Boiling sap	<u>3/28</u> - Theme - Boiling sap	<u>3/29</u> - Theme - Boiling sap	<u>3/30</u> - Theme - Boiling sap	<u>3/31</u> - Spring break?

April 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>4/3</u> - Spring break?	<u>4/4</u> - Theme - Solar	<u>4/5</u> - Theme - Solar	<u>4/6</u> - Theme - Solar	<u>4/7</u> - Theme - Solar
<u>4/10</u> - Theme -	<u>4/11</u> - Theme -	<u>4/12</u> - Theme -	<u>4/13</u> - Theme -	<u>4/14</u> - Theme -

<b>Making tobacco, rafts, bear smoke</b>	<b>Making tobacco, rafts, bear smoke</b>	<b>Making tobacco, rafts, bear smoke</b>	<b>Making tobacco, rafts, bear smoke</b>	<b>Making tobacco, rafts, bear smoke</b>
<u>4/17</u> - Theme - <b>Spearing</b>	<u>4/18</u> - Theme - <b>Spearing</b>	<u>4/19</u> - Theme - <b>Spearing</b>	<u>4/20</u> - Theme - <b>Spearing</b>	<u>4/21</u> - Theme - <b>Spearing</b>
<u>4/24</u> - Theme - <b>Spring and summer plants</b>	<u>4/25</u> - Theme - <b>Spring and summer plants</b>	<u>4/26</u> - Theme - <b>Spring and summer plants</b>	<u>4/27</u> - Theme - <b>Spring and summer plants</b>	<u>4/28</u> - Theme - <b>Spring and summer plants</b>

May 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>5/1</u> - Theme - <b>Lodge building</b>	<u>5/2</u> - Theme - <b>Lodge building</b>	<u>5/3</u> - Theme - <b>Lodge building</b>	<u>5/4</u> - Theme - <b>Lodge building</b>	<u>5/5</u> - Theme - <b>Lodge building</b>
<u>5/8</u> - Theme - Birch <b>bark baskets</b>	<u>5/9</u> - Theme - Birch <b>bark baskets</b>	<u>5/10</u> - Theme - Birch <b>bark baskets</b>	<u>5/11</u> - Theme - Birch <b>bark baskets</b>	<u>5/12</u> - Theme - Birch <b>bark baskets</b>
<u>5/15</u> - Theme - Berry <b>picking &amp; gardening</b>	<u>5/16</u> - Theme - Berry <b>picking &amp; gardening</b>	<u>5/17</u> - Theme - Berry <b>picking &amp; gardening</b>	<u>5/18</u> - Theme - Berry <b>picking &amp; gardening</b>	<u>5/19</u> - Theme - Berry <b>picking &amp; gardening</b>
<u>5/22</u> - Theme - <b>Powwows</b>	<u>5/23</u> - Theme - <b>Powwows</b>	<u>5/24</u> - Theme - <b>Powwows</b>	<u>5/25</u> - Theme - <b>Powwows</b>	<u>5/26</u> - Last day of school - Closing ceremony with students, staff, family, elders, charter board, council, community
<u>5/29</u>	<u>5/30</u>	<u>5/31</u>		

June 2023  
Summer school?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday