

Celebrate Aboriginal Languages Month



March is Aboriginal Languages Month

In the NWT we are very fortunate – we live in a land rich in languages and cultures. We have eleven official languages – nine of those are Aboriginal, the other two are French and English. For Aboriginal languages to survive and thrive, it's important to promote their use every day – at home, in the community and at work.

March is Aboriginal Languages Month. It's a time to celebrate Aboriginal languages and encourage people to learn about and use them. We have included a number of resources in this package to help you celebrate Aboriginal Languages Month.

Check with your local language coordinator to see what's happening in your community. Also check out our website for links to other language resources – <http://www.nwt.literacy.ca/aborlang.htm>. We would love to hear about your events so we can report about them in our newsletters. If you have any questions or would like more information on any aspect of literacy, please contact the NWT Literacy Council:

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***We encourage you to celebrate Aboriginal Languages Month.
Together we can raise the profile of Aboriginal languages in the NWT.***