

OVERARCHING INQUIRY

What might meaningful reconciliation look like?

OVERARCHING CHALLENGE

Create a powerful representation to show what meaningful reconciliation might look like.

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LAUNCH INQUIRY QUESTION

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Create an initial response to the overarching question, “What might meaningful reconciliation look like?”

SUMMARY

This opening lesson sets the stage for the entire unit. To begin, students co-develop the criteria for a powerful representation by examining audio, video, writing, and art representations of concepts such as friendship, respect, and cooperation. Guided by the criteria, students then suggest what meaningful reconciliation might look, sound, and feel like. To conclude this launch lesson, students use their Thoughtbook to record initial ideas about what a powerful representation of meaningful reconciliation might look like.

OBJECTIVES

Broad understanding

Knowledge that First Nations, Six Nations, Métis, Inuit, and settler Canadians are currently engaged in a process of reconciliation.