

# Indigenous Peoples

## terms

- Nation:** A tribe that had organized under the Reorganization Act
- Sovereignty:** A legal term for the authority to self-govern
- Reservation:** Land governed by Native Americans and federal laws
- Winter Count:** Medicine men/tribal leaders' pictorial historical record
- Turtle Island:** Indigenous mythological term for Earth/North America

40,000 BC Indigenous Peoples Arrive in the Americas

Water Protector Movement Began in 2016

## timeline

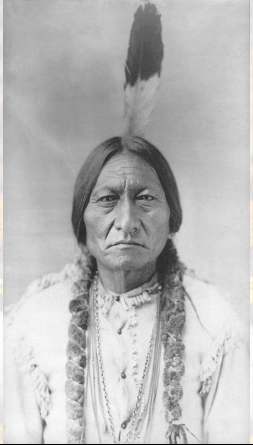
April 5, 1838  
Trail of Tears

1886-1930s  
Mohawk Skywalkers

Indian Citizenship & Reorganization Acts (1924 & 1934)

## people

Sitting Bull - Charles Curtis - Maria Tallchief - John Trudell - Deb Haaland



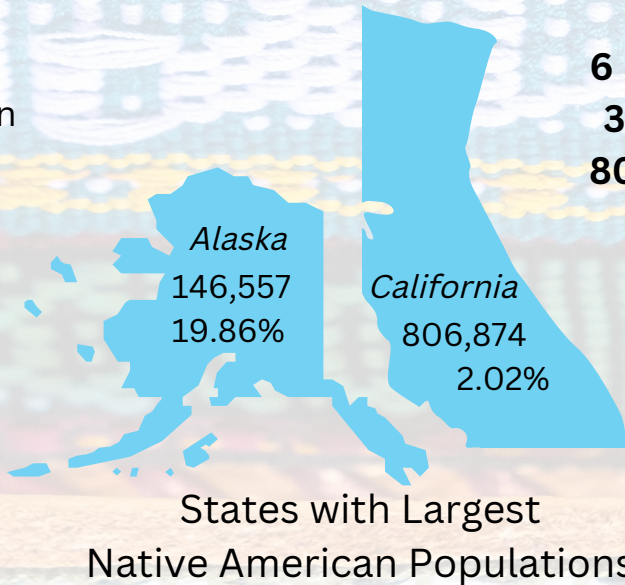
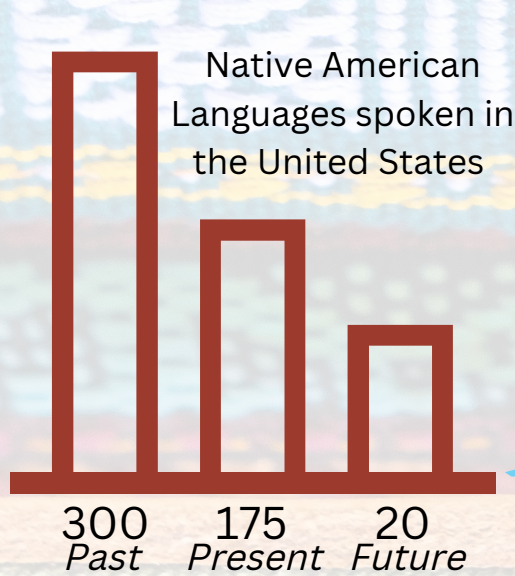
## values

- Respect
- Harmony with Nature
- Communitarianism
- Tradition
- Heritage



**574** federally recognized Indian Nations in the US.

**2%** Native Americans in the US (6.79M). **25%** Live at Poverty Level.



**6** Navajo Code Talkers  
**35** days of 'Iwo Jima'  
**800** precise messages



## numbers action

- Commit to one Indigenous friendly act a week.
- Buy Native products from respected sources.
- Refrain from insensitive costumes.
- Visit a reservation, pow wow, or museum.
- Share this infographic.

