

1. Why is it important to integrate Indigenous knowledge into your teaching?

*Example: It helps promote reconciliation, combat racism, and raise students' awareness of Indigenous history and culture.

2. How do you choose reliable resources on Indigenous knowledge?

*Example: Using recognized resources such as the Gabriel Dumont Institute and local Elders.

3. How do you incorporate nature into your lessons related to Indigenous knowledge?

*Example: Organizing outdoor activities, such as observing clouds or collecting fallen pinecones.

4. How do you assess the impact of lessons on Indigenous knowledge?

*Example: Observing student discussions and projects to gauge their understanding and engagement.

5. What are the benefits of project-based learning in this context?

*Example: It allows students to explore independently and make personal connections to the topic.

6. How can you prepare your students to work with Elders or Knowledge Keepers?

*Example: By reviewing cultural protocols, such as listening attentively and asking respectful questions.

7. Why is it important to raise students' awareness of colonial history?

*Example: It helps them understand the present-day impacts of history and encourages them to think about solutions for the future.

8. How can you incorporate the celebration of Indigenous cultures in the classroom?

*Example: Organize activities such as making bannock or creating artwork inspired by Indigenous traditions.

9. What digital tools can enhance the teaching of Indigenous knowledge?

*Example: Videos of Elders, interactive maps of Indigenous territories, various Indigenous-based programs.

10. How do you encourage students to share their reflections on Indigenous knowledge?

*Example: Through circle discussions or collaborative projects.