## **Window Rock Unified School District #8 CURRICULUM GUIDE** TIMELINE: 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter

7/8

**GRADE:** 

**SUBJECT: Navajo Language** 

Standard	Kid Friendly Learning Objectives	Content (subject or topic covered in Journeys/My Perspectives)	DOK Level	<b>Skills</b> (ability, practice, aptitude that will be learned)	Assessment	Academic Vocabulary
Interpersonal Communication (IC) Interact and negotiate meaning in spoken, written, or signed conversations to share information, reactions, feelings, and opinions. Interpretive Listening (IL) Understand, interpret, and analyze what is heard (communicated in ASL) on a variety of topics. Cultures (CUL) Use the target language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the relationship between the practices, products, and perspectives of cultures studied. Connections (CON) Build, reinforce, and expand knowledge of other content areas and evaluate information and diverse perspectives while using the target language to develop critical thinking and creative problem solving. Comparisons (COMP) Use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the nature of language and the concept of culture through comparisons of the target language and cultures studied to one's own.	SWBAT explain the purpose of the first Shoe Game. SWBAT explain and interpret the significance of the constellations/String Games. SWBAT explain and interpret the significance of winterrelated games. SWBAT interact in traditional games. SWBAT analyze to determine the moral of coyote stories. SWBAT differentiate the usage and teachings of the various Hogans. SWBAT the significance of honoring veterans. SWBAT explain how the Dine language played a role in World War II. SWBAT compare today's educational system to the past boarding school era. SWBAT research and compare Athabaskan and Dine lifestyles and cultures. SWBAT identify events relation to important people in Dine History.	-Winter Stories  String Game Creation Story Coyote Stories -Homes -Veterans Code Talkers -Navajo History Athabaskan groups Other tribes Lifestyles Long Walk Sarreaty Boarding Schools -NN Government Three Branches Chapter Government NN Seal History NN Flag History	DOK 2-3	<ul> <li>Explain the purpose of the Shoe Game</li> <li>Interpret the significance of the String Games and constellation.</li> <li>Interpret and participate in winter games</li> <li>Analyze coyote stories</li> <li>Differentiate the usage of various Hogans</li> <li>Explain the traditional teachings of Hogans</li> <li>Explain the significance of honoring veterans</li> <li>Explain how the Dine language played role in WWII</li> <li>Compare the past boarding school to today's educational system</li> <li>Research and compare the Athabaskan groups</li> <li>Discuss important people in Dine history</li> <li>Interpret the historical events related to 1860s captivities</li> <li>Explain peacetime in the 1800s</li> <li>Distinguish the Navajo Nation Laws (Traditional, Customary, Natural, and Common Laws).</li> </ul>	Informative: Recite words/poems Progress monitoring Summative: Individual Oral Presentation Project Self/peer evaluation Formative: Exit Ticket Quiz Demonstration Reflection of work Games	Interact, Interpret Investigate, Explain, Reinforce, Practice, Respond, Determine, Creative, Interview, Distinguish, Presentation, Demonstrate.

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	to 1860s captivities.  SWBAT identify peacetime			Describing the NN Flag					
and in the globalized world, for	relations with the								
enjoyment, enrichment, and	neighboring people in the								
auvancement.	1800s.								
	SWBAT understand and								
	distinguish the Navajo								
	Nation Laws (Traditional,								
	Customary, Natural, and								
	Common Laws).								
	SWBAT to distinguish the								
	Traditional Law: three								
	branches.								
	SWBAT identify the NN								
	government 12 divisions.								
	SWBAT identify and describe								
	the purpose of at least two								
	divisions.								
	SWBAT identify and describe								
	the Four Standing								
	Committees.								
	SWBAT describe the Navajo								
	Nation election process.								
	SWBAT will describe the								
	purpose of the Navajo Nation Rules and Ethics.								
	SWBAT research and								
	compare the family and								
	peacemaking courts								
	SWBAT identify and describe								

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	the objects on the NN Seal. SWBAT identify and describe NN Flag.					

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## **SCHOOL YEAR 2021-2022**

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