Lesson Name Topic:	Stinging Nettle/Nettle Tea/Land stewardship Students will learn about Stinging Nettles and their medicinal significance in our
	tribes
Objectives:	Students will learn about stinging nettles
Essential	Students will learn the importance of land stewardship
Understandings	Know that our medicinal plants can't be separated from spiritual significance
Internal/	Internal
External Assets	Commitment to Learning
addressed	Positive Values
	Social and Cultural Competence
	Positive Identity
	External
	Support
	Empowerment
	Constructive Use of Time
Standards or language proficiency descriptors:	Productive language standards: Produce learned words and phrases about significant plants and gathering and share with others
World	
readiness standards	Standard 3: Students will understand the relationship between language and culture.
	Laterard Wheelberg Decree
	Interact with other cultures Comparisons: develop insight into the nature of language and culture
Words of the	Stinging Nettles
week	Medicine
STEPS to	 Students will log on online and listen to a presentation about stinging
success	nettles
	Students will learn the words in their language
	Students will learn how to make nettle tea
	Students will understand the significance of plants to our people
Guiding	What does gathering stinging nettles teach us about the relationship we have to
Questions:	Mother Earth? How can we use these practices in our modern lives? What does gathering nettles teach us about patience and being intentional?
Signs of cultural	Students will understand how understanding traditional medicines and gathering
growth/	practices connect us to Earth and is a way of sustaining our culture and helping
Measurable	Earth.
student	
outcomes:	
Traditional	Learning how to gather stinging nettles
Knowledge or	Learning the importance of gathering in a specific way
Teachings	Learn how to use what you've gathered
SEL connections	

Self and Social Awareness: Awareness of cultures, languages, history and identities SEL: Patience, mindfulness
Self and Social Management: Opportunity to grow/learn; communicate with others