

Lesson Name/Topic	Kokanee Salmon; The vanishing kokanee salmon in the pacific northwest
Objectives:	Students will learn about the cultural significance of the kokanee salmon in Lake Sammamish on the traditional lands of the Snoqualmie people
Essential Understandings	Students understand the efforts being made to restore the salmon population
Internal/ External Assets addressed	Internal Commitment to Learning Positive Values External Support Empowerment Constructive Use of Time
Standards or language proficiency descriptors:	Productive language standards: Produce learned words and phrases about salmon
World readiness standards	Students will understand the connection between language and culture Comparisons: develop insight into the nature of language and culture
Words of the week	Salmon Fish
STEPS to success	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will log on online and listen to a presentation about the Kokanee salmon • Students will share the word for salmon or fish in their language • Students will have a discussion about land stewardship, especially pertaining to the area in which we live • Understand our partnership with Snoqualmie tribe
Guiding Questions:	What does understanding and helping to sustain the salmon populations teach us about the relationship we have to Mother Earth? How can we use these practices in our modern lives? What connections do we have to the people whose land this has been since time immemorial.
Signs of cultural growth/ Measurable student outcomes:	Students will understand and know their connection to the environment Students will understand their sacred obligation, why is this important to future generations
SEL connections	Self and Social Awareness: Awareness of cultures, languages, history and identities Self and Social Management: Opportunity to grow/learn; communicate with others

