The Four Tribes of Kansas
Hello and Welcome to Manhattan, Kansas. I am Taylor Jennings. I am a citizen of the Muskogee (Mvskoke) Creek Nation. I am of the Bear Clan, and I am from Checotah, Oklahoma.
Mvskoke (Creek)
I wasn’t raised to think about myself in racial terms, but I have come to understand that I move through the world with a most particularly white experience in a society that is profoundly separate and unequal by race.”

-DiAngelo
Tonight’s Agenda

– Assumptions of Native Americans
– A very brief history
– Native Americans today
  – Issues they face
  – Celebration

*Under the umbrella of other Indigenous tribes with specific of the Creek Nation*
Assumptions of Native Americans
Google Native Americans

do native americans grow facial hair

do native americans celebrate thanksgiving

do native americans have red skin

do native americans have high cheekbones

do native americans go bald

do native americans have eyebrows

do native americans still live
History of Native Americans
Pre-Contact History – Creation

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Early Contact
Indian Removal Act – Trail of Tears
Allotment
Indian Removal – Trail of Tears

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eltBA7WymcU
Native Americans Today
Key Terms

–Self-Determination
–Sovereignty
Muskoke History

Contemporary Tribal Government:

Muscogee (Creek) Nation Government

Tribal Sovereignty Level Throughout the History of the U.S.

100% control of Tribal Destiny

Nations within a Nation

Indian Removal

Indian Gaming, Economic Development and Compacts

Muskogee Constitution of 1867

Oklahoma Indian Welfare Act

Creek Constitution of 1979

US Termination Policies

Allotment and Statehood


Tribal Sovereignty: the right to govern ourselves, define our own citizenship, manage Tribal property, regulate commerce and maintain law and order; it further recognizes the existence of the government to government relationship with the federal government.
Sharp v. Murphy
Native American Success Today
Native Americans in your State

http://www.native-languages.org/states.htm
Remember

Joy Harjo -1983-
Mvto
(Thank You)
References

Questions?

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