



SWSW Library Offerings

Siwal Si'wel "Our Forefathers' Teachings"

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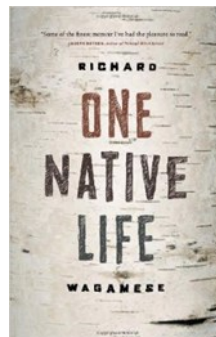
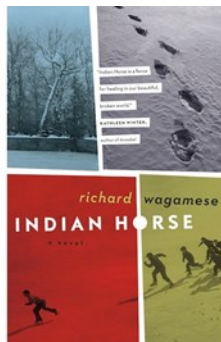
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Hot Topics



Richard Wagamese is one of the most well respected Canadian authors in Canada. He also happens to be aboriginal. His works of fiction and non-fiction have garnered him many awards and accolades. We have two of his books for borrowing in the SWSW Library collection. Indian Horse tells of a gifted aboriginal hockey player and his road to the big leagues. One Native Life is Richard's own story of life in Canada as he has lived it. If you would like to know more about this excep-



http://speakingmytruth.ca/downloads/AHFvol2/13_Wagamese.pdf

Educational Unit Plan Resource

Story telling is a key method aboriginal cultures have practiced to teach children knowledge about the world and how to create relationships with the world and all that lives in it. Legends of the Elders is a series of books telling stories from various Canadian aboriginal cultures. The legends are many and varied, ranging in purpose from entertainment to teaching to expressing morals. They are generally short (1 page) and to the point. An accompanying book, Legends of the Elders Handbook for Teachers, Homeschoolers and Parents has simple lessons and activities for each of the legends told in each of the three books. It's a great resource for primary and intermediate Language Arts classes.

