

# Learning From Ceremonies

**Identity is about understanding yourself and what makes you, you.**







# Essential Question

How do ceremonies help grow your identity?



# Learning Expectations

## Learning Outcomes

- I understand Oregon Tribes have ceremonies as part of their identities.
- I understand why the C'waam is important to Oregon Tribes and celebrated in ceremonies.
- I understand that ceremonies help people understand more about themselves.

## Success Criteria

- I can explain what a ceremony is.
- I can describe one way that the C'waam Ceremony is important for the Klamath Tribes.
- I can draw and explain one thing that happened in the C'waam Ceremony.

# Key Words and Ideas

- **Identity:** Who you are and your family
  - + the things you do
  - + the people you spend time with
- **C'waam** (tch-wom): A fish with a sucker that is important to Tribes in Oregon.
- **Ceremony:** An event for an important time.

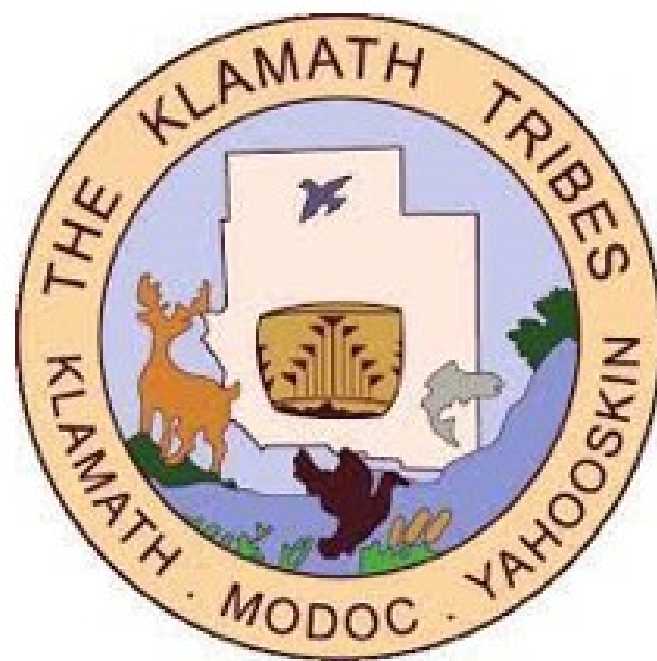
# Group Talk: Celebrations

- What are some special celebrations or gatherings you enjoy?
- How does it make you feel to attend these celebrations?
- What do you like about the celebrations?



# Nine Federally Recognized Tribes in Oregon

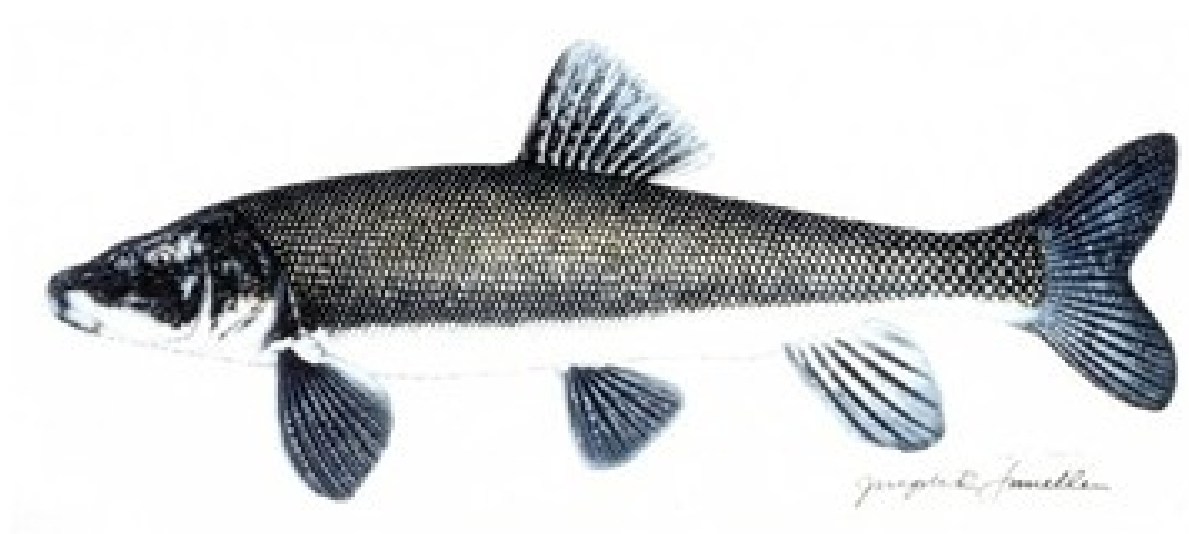
Can you find this picture on the map?



# Listen and Repeat

**The Klamath Tribes are Native Americans who live in Oregon.**

C'waam fish



Every March, they go to the river dance, drum and pray to their Creator so the C'waam fish will swim up the river.



# C'waam (sucker fish) Ceremony





# Turn and Talk

- Tell your neighbor one thing you saw in the video.
- Raise your hand to share something you saw in the video.

**Draw one thing you saw in the video**



# Closing



## Turn and Talk

Tribes in Oregon, like the Klamath, have many important ceremonies, which support their identity.

Turn to your partner and tell them:

- One thing about your drawing
- Why the C'waam Ceremony is important

# Self-assessment

#	Success Criteria Can I...	Sort of 	Yes 
1	give an example of a ceremony?	.	.
2	say why the C'aam Ceremony is important?	.	.
3	draw one thing from the C'aam Ceremony?	.	.





# Thank You.

