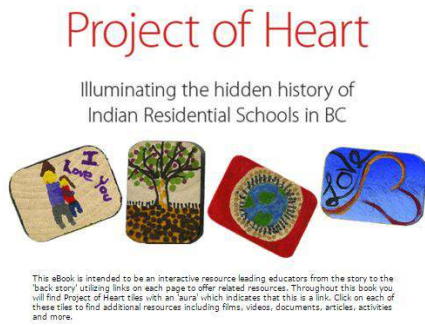


What next...Reconciliation?

Check out these links for some ideas:

Project of Heart e-book Hidden History

<http://bctf.ca/HiddenHistory/>



FNESC Teacher Resource Guides

<http://www.fnesc.ca/irs/>



In every SD 71 Comox Valley elementary school library there is a kit titled *Residential School* with Grade 5 Teacher Guide with 6 supporting novels/pictures books.

Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada

<http://www.trc.ca/websites/trcinstitution/index.php?p=3>



Reconciliation and Education - Starleigh Grass TEDx

<http://www.clipular.com/c/5728741304041472.png?k=BNwu8z>



First Nation Child Family and Caring Society of Canada

<https://fncaringsociety.com/main>

7 easy ways to make a difference



Project of Heart

<http://projectofheart.ca/>



Have a Heart Day

<https://fncaringsociety.com/have-a-heart>



Orange Shirt Day

<http://orangeshirtday.weebly.com/>



Legacy of Hope

<http://legacyofhope.ca/>



Where are the Children

<http://wherearethechildren.ca/en>



Many resources found on this website including survivor stories, *Our Stories*, *Our Strength* – please preview them before you show them to your students

First Voices

<http://www.firstvoices.com/>



Check out the diversity of Aboriginal Languages, practise some word from our local community language.

Kwak'wala (found on the app) and Island K'omoks - Sliammon found on the app would be the Mainland Comox language and would be the closest language relative to what was the traditional language in the K'omoks area)

Check out the app below for iPhones.



Suggested reading/ viewing list for professionals:

APTN, <http://aptn.ca/>,



CBC News – Aboriginal, <http://www.cbc.ca/news/aboriginal>



CBC 8th Fire series - <http://www.cbc.ca/8thfire/>

This series is on a DVD in SD71 LRC



Novels

- The Inconvenient Indian - Thomas King
- The Orenda - Joseph Boyden
- The Reason You Walk - Wab Kinew

Find out more about the potlatch

Living Tradition: The Kwakwaka'wakw Potlatch on the Northwest Coast :

<http://umistapotlatch.ca/>



...and the returning of regalia at the U'mista Cultural Center:

U'mista Cultural Center <http://www.umista.ca/>



Some examples of Reconciliation:

Project Heart: Honouring Residential School Survivors, a film by Ed Carswell

<https://vimeo.com/86519479>

Project Heart is the story of an extraordinary school event in **Courtenay, B.C.** Teacher **Susan Leslie** leads a school-wide project and ceremony to honour Indian residential school survivors. Leslie organizes storytelling circles, art and inquiry projects, and encourages students to create ceremonial blankets. Verna Flanders shares her experiences as a survivor of St. Michael's Residential School in Alert Bay, B.C. Project Heart culminates with a school-wide Blanketing Ceremony to honour Verna and four other survivors (Stan Frank, Valerie Frank, Melvin Price, and Dean Littlelight).



[Have A Heart Campaign](https://fncaringsociety.com/have-a-heart)

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From Colleen Devlin's classroom at Arden,



Robert Atkinson's class was inspired to do a food hamper driver for families in the Arden Community,



Other examples,
[Residential Wreck](#)



[Important to Us](#) by N'we Jinan and students from Pierre Elliot Trudeau Elementary School

