Washington Tribes Internet Assignment—Updated 2022

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Go to:

https://www.washingtontribes.org/

As you read and learn, answer the questions below in the space provided.

Scroll down and answer the following.

1. How many federally recognized tribes are in the State of Washington?

2. List some of the ways in which Washington Tribes are preserving their culture. (Preserving Culture section)

3. List some of the ways in which Washington Tribes are improving lives. (Improving Lives section)

4. List some of the ways in which Washington Tribes are sustaining the environment and protecting natural resources. (Protecting Resources section)

5. List some of the ways in which Washington Tribes are building community. (Building Community section)

Scroll back to the top, then click on Tribes Map. Use the map to answer these questions.

6. Which two tribes have the largest reservations (as far as land is concerned)?

7. List the five Native tribes that have reservations closest to Olympia, WA.

Scroll down below the map.

8. How many enrolled members do the Colville Tribe have?

9. How many people does the Colville Tribal Federal Corporation employ? How much revenue is brought in every year?

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10. The Cowlitz are the most recent tribe in Washington to be federally recognized. In what year were they recognized? When did they receive their first reservation?

11. Which Native tribe is home to the Northwest Indian College?

12. Which one of the Native tribes is considered one of the most “urban Indian reservations”?

Understanding the Fish Wars in the Pacific Northwest

Go to:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WtG10FPJZrE

Watch the short video: The Fish Wars—Four Simple Truths.

13. List the four simple truths as they are discussed:

Go to:

https://vimeo.com/248202030

Watch the video about the Boldt Decision.

14. Which section of the U.S. Constitution discusses treaties?

15. Can states violate a treaty that has been signed by the US government with another nation?

16. Judge Boldt’s decision affirmed that the Native tribes in Washington State had the right to do what?

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