

Chapter One Study Guide- Aboriginal Societies

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Vocabulary to Review:

Aboriginal

Pluralism/ Pluralistic society

Ethnocentrism

Culture

Alliance

Stereotype

Government

Clan

Sovereign

Why did some First Nations groups follow a seasonal cycle? What does this mean?

When a group reaches consensus, what do they do?

What were the 3 main First Nations groups we studied?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Describe what is meant by "oral culture".

What is it called when ancestral lines follow the mother's side?

What is the role of an elder in First Nations culture?

Know the terms- First Nations, Aboriginal

Be able to explain what a stereotype is.

Why did the Haudenosaunee call beans, squash and corn the Three Sisters?

Explain what culture means. Give examples.

All First Nation groups had a close relationship with Mother Earth. What does this mean?

Know the difference between matrilineal and patrilineal.

What did the First Nations people do in their free time? Why didn't they have a lot of time when food was scarce?

What does the term hunter-gatherer refer to?

What kinds of food did the First Nations tribes live on?