

TREATIES IN THE NEWS

Throwback
Thursday

Throwback Thursday is the name of a weekly social media posting theme that users participate in as part of a very general "throwback" activity for posting content. In this case, the "throwback" theme can pertain to basically anything that happened in the past.

Part of a history student's course of study is to draw connections between the events of the past with current times. Consider: how does the historical relationship between First Nations people and the Crown affect today?

What connections can you make between the past and the present? (On any day – not just Thursday!)

Activity:

Steps:

- Find a recent news article in which Treaties are the central theme.
- Study the timeline from the Treaty Education kit.

Materials:

Timeline from Treaty Kit



Newspaper article with a theme related to Treaties



Summarize:

In a few sentences, summarize the news article.

Connect:

In a paragraph, draw parallels from an event/s on the timeline and your news article.

Go a Step Further:

Affix the timeline to the classroom wall. Using string, hang your new article beneath the event you have linked to.