



Neo aen voyaazh Lii nouvou voyazh New Journeys

MTS PD Day

October 23, 2026

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470 Hamilton

AGENDA

- 8am - Registration Opens
- 8:30am - Smudge (optional)
- 9am - Welcome, Opening Prayer
- 9:15am - Keynote - Dr. Lucy Delgado
- 10am - BREAK

SESSION 1: 10:15-11:00

- Cora-Leigh Fast- Southern Michif in the Classroom
- Heather Lambert - Teaching Michif French in Schools
- Ben Linnick - Land-Based Learning
- Sean Oliver - Red River Métis History & Social Studies
- Mike Johnston - Poetry as an Engine for Identity
- Jennifer Engbrecht - Learning about nature through the arts & Métis Culture
- Kylie Sais - Jigging
- Desirae Plesier-Burke - Red River Métis Beadwork

SESSION 2: 11:00-11:45

- Laura Forsythe - Bringing Métis Content into the Classroom Unapologetically
- John Sobkovich - Influences of Southern Michif
- Ben Linnick - Land-Based Learning
- Sean Oliver - Red River Métis History
- Reid Bouvier - The Red River Cart Framework
- Wayne Davies - From Professional Learning to Classroom Practice: Developing Red River Métis Science Resources
- Mike Johnston - Poetry as an Engine for Identity
- Marika Schalla & Ruby Bruce - Land-Based Education & Michif

SESSION 3: 1:00-1:45

- Laura Forsythe - Bringing Métis Content into the Classroom Unapologetically
- Cora-Leigh Fast & Heather Lambert - Michif Languages
- Chantal Paquin - Forest School & Red River Métis Connections
- Reid Bouvier - The Red River Cart Framework
- Marika Schalla & Ruby Bruce - Land-Based Learning & Michif
- Teresa Byrne - The Red River Métis Sash
- Wayne Davies -From Professional Learning to Classroom Practice: Developing Red River Métis Science Resources
- Cameron Flamand - Métis Kitchen Table Talk: A Shift in Teaching and Learning

- 11:45am-1pm - LUNCH
- 1:45pm - BREAK
- 2pm - Panel Discussion
- 3pm - Closing Remarks, Prizes