

Native American Middle School Teacher Instructions and Reproducible Activity

Students will create a dreamcatcher using a reproducible sheet. Students will color the pieces of the dreamcatcher and glue them together on a piece of construction paper to create their own personal dreamcatcher.

Optional Creative Writing Activity: Ask students to define a dreamcatcher and create a dream that an Indian child might have. This can be done on plain notebook paper and decorated.

Supplies needed: worksheets, textbooks, any available reference materials, colored pencils, markers, crayons, scissors, glue and tape, construction paper

- 1. Pass out the worksheets with pieces of a dreamcatcher on them.
- 2. Students will color the pieces. When finished, they cut out the individual pieces and assemble their dreamcatcher on a piece of construction paper. Glue pieces on the sheet when assembly is complete.
- 3. Students must indicate on the paper which tribe(s) made and used dreamcatchers.
- 3. Students will write their names on their creations before displaying them on the bulletin board.





