



Kanien'kéha (Mohawk) Language & Culture Newsletter

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UPDATE

Saving Our Language

Skátne Entewatkwé:ni

Together We can do it

For more information or to register for our 2017-2018 schedule, you can:

*call our office at (450)479-1651, ext. 701

*in person at 14 A Só:se Onahsakèn:rat, Kanehsatà:ke Cultural Center

Sewén:teron, kenh?

Are you home?

Kanien'kéha and Cultural Classes Are here!

Yes, we've heard it all before. We don't need to speak our language to get a job. Well, we disagree. Pride in who our ancestors are and how they struggled to survive – and they did it by learning 3 languages: Kanien'kéha at home and in the community and French and English for business dealings. Why can't we honour our past by doing the same as our grandparents and their grandparents did? **Kaná:ta is our homeland – the only place on earth that we can learn our language.**

Our community of Kanehsatà:ke has a wonderful opportunity to learn their language, culture and their own history passed down from generation to generation. We can do it together – so get away from your house for a few hours a day and join the fun. Our experienced language teachers make the time pass so quickly as they share their own storytelling with their classes.

We encourage and urge all Kanehsata'kerón:non to call or come by and sign up for our language classes now. We offer beginner, intermediate and advanced language classes that are scheduled to meet the different needs of the learner: do you work during the day or are you a student?

- Then, we have 2 evening courses – one has mixed levels and one to learn a craft while learning the language.
- You need to sign up for our classes including the Wednesday Evening Craft night (6-8 p.m.) so we can have enough supplies on hand.

This year will follow the same hours and days as last year. flyer for Aug/Sept. 2017 for times and days.