

# **National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Resource Guide**

Access Alliance Multicultural Health and Community Services, 2025

## **Top 4 Resources:**

- [The History of Residential Schools](#) (NCTR)
- [Truth and Reconciliation - Kevin Lamoureux](#) (TEDxUniversityofWinnipeg, 19:10 minutes)
- [The Story of Orange Shirt Day](#) (Orange Shirt Day)
- [Calls To Action](#) (TRC)

## **1) What is Truth and Reconciliation?**

- [Senator Murray Sinclair on Reconciliation](#) (NCTR, 2:55 minutes)
- [Truth and Reconciliation - Kevin Lamoureux](#) (TEDxUniversityofWinnipeg, 19:10 minutes)
- [Reconciliation, Decolonization and Indigenization](#) (MacPherson Institute, McMaster University)

## **2) History of the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation:**

- [The History of Residential Schools](#) (NCTR)
- [The story behind the National Day of Truth and Reconciliation](#) (APTN News, 23:55 minutes)
- [Residential School Survivor Stories](#) (Legacy of Hope Foundation)
- [We are more than murdered and missing - Tamara Bernard](#) (TEDxThunderBay, 14:05 minutes)

## **3) Every Child Matters & Orange T-shirt Campaign:**

- [The Story of Orange Shirt Day](#) (Orange Shirt Day)
- [History of residential school cemeteries is evidence of genocide, interlocutor says](#) (CBC)
- [History of Colonialism and Cultural Genocide - Truth and Reconciliation](#) (OACAS, 7:16, 18:36, 16:39 videos)
- [Upholding Sacred Obligations: Reparations for Missing and Disappeared Indigenous Children and Unmarked Burials in Canada](#) (Office of the Independent Special Interlocutor for Missing Children and Unmarked Graves and Burial Sites associated with Indian Residential Schools)
- [National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls – Executive Summary](#)

## **4) Call to Action:**

- [Calls To Action](#) (TRC)
- [City of Toronto's Reconciliation Action Plan](#) (City of Toronto)
- [Beyond 94](#) (CBC, monitoring progress on the Calls to Action)
- [Reconciliation Information for Newcomers to Canada](#) (Manitoba Association of Newcomer Serving Organizations, multi-lingual resource)
- [Allyship Toolkit](#) (Indigenous Health Network)
- [Ally Toolkit](#) (Segal Centre)



## 5) Land Acknowledgement Resources & Information:

- [How to Develop a Meaningful Land Acknowledgement](#) (IPHCC)
- [Land Acknowledgement | Baroness von Sketch Show](#) (CBC Comedy) (2:13)
- [Wampum Belts: The First Treaties in North America](#) (CBC Indigenous) (9:59)
- [Whose Land](#)

## 6) Indigenous Primary Health Care Resources & Information:

- [About the Indigenous Primary Health Care Council](#) (IPHCC)
- [Indigenous Cultural Safety OHT A.C.T.I.O.N. Framework](#) (IPHCC)
- [Culturally Safe Care Pathways](#) (IPHCC)
- [Indigenous Patient, Family, & Community Engagement](#) (IPHCC)

## 7) Indigenous Films & Art:

- [Indigenous Cinema: Discover the NFB's rich online collection of Indigenous-made films](#) (National Film Board)
- [North of North](#) (CBC Gem)
- [Resonate: Songs of Resilience](#) (CBC Gem) (52mins)

## 8) Indigenous Owned Businesses and Restaurants:

- [Tea N Bannock](#)
- [NishDish Marketeria & Catering](#)
- [Cheekbone Beauty](#)
- [Serena Steel Artist & Curator](#)
- [Bangin' Bannock](#)
- [Warren Steven Scott Jewellery](#)
- [ImagineNATIVE Film + Media Arts Festival](#)
- [AGO, The Indigenous Collection](#)

