

# TWO-EYED SEEING: Mi'kmaw Traditional Knowledge and Co-Learning

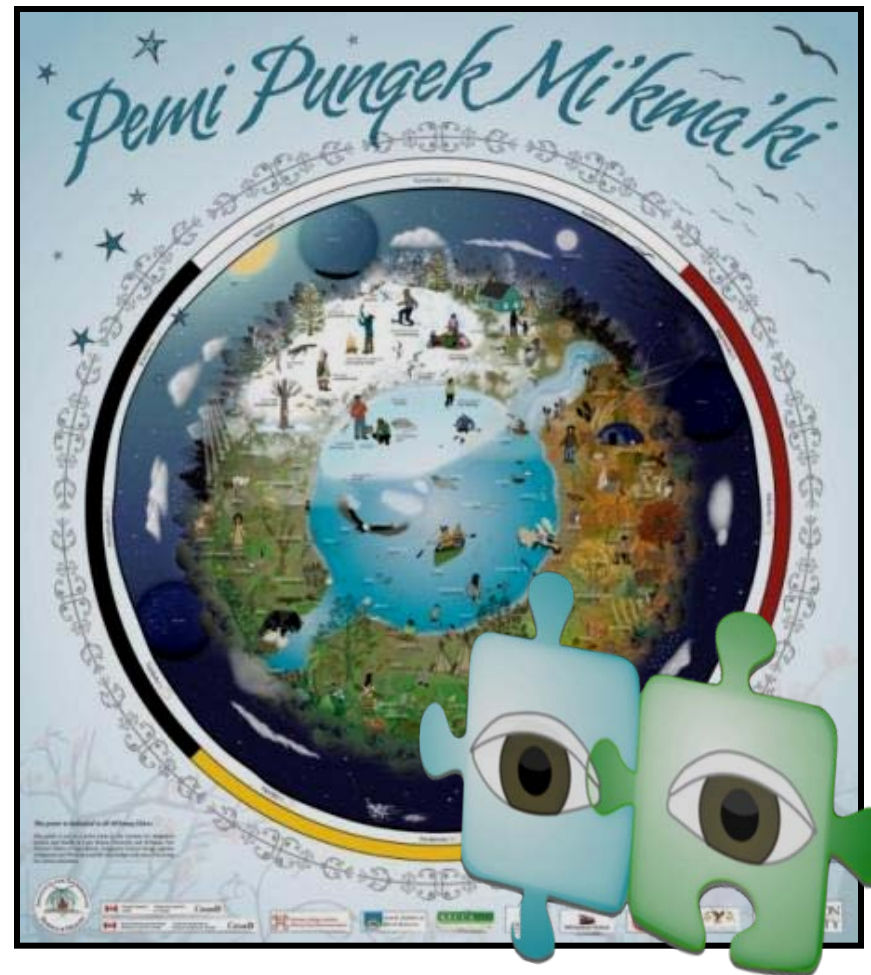
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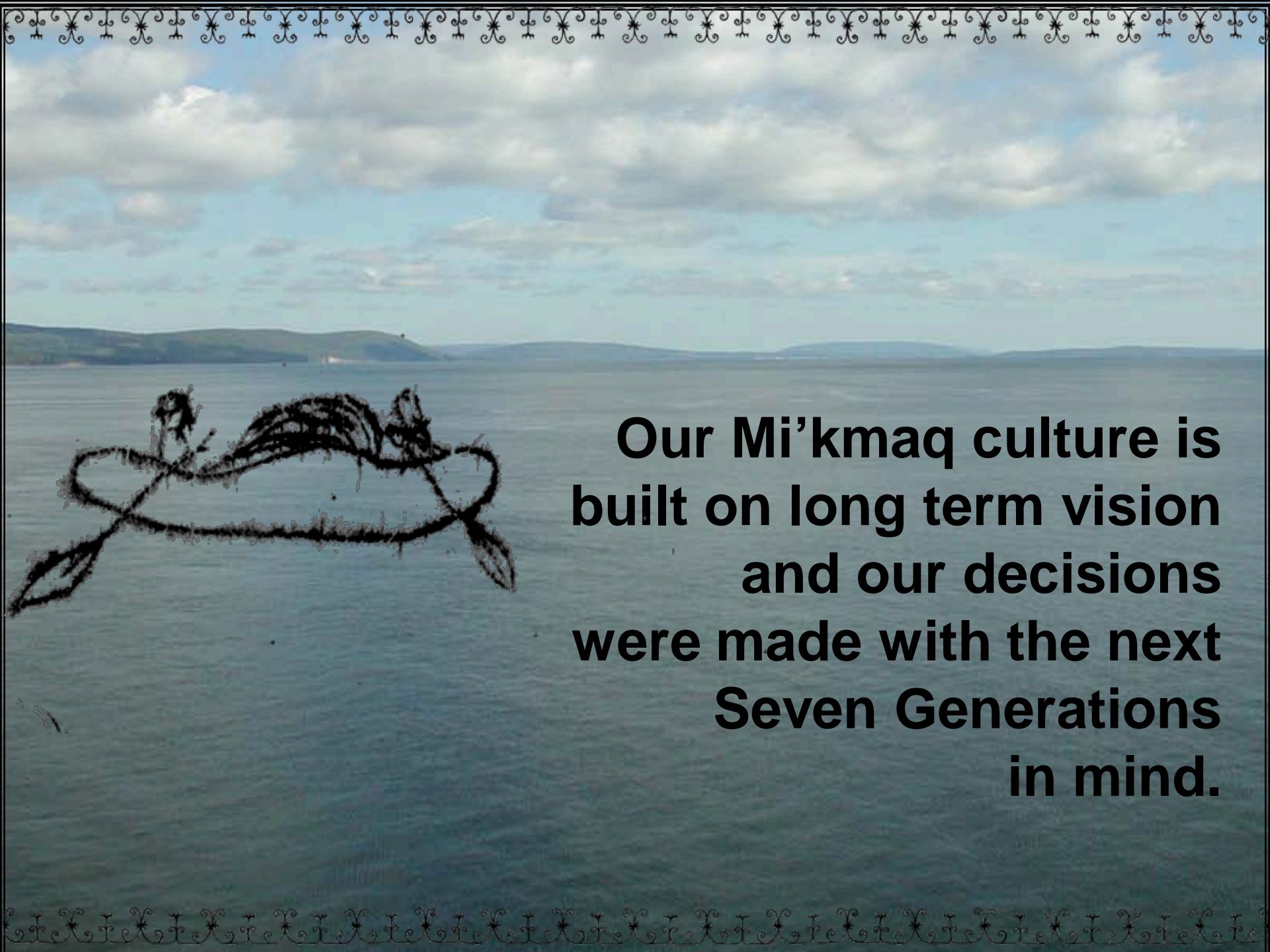
learning to see with the strengths of each & together



Indigenous

Western





**Our Mi'kmaq culture is  
built on long term vision  
and our decisions  
were made with the next  
Seven Generations  
in mind.**

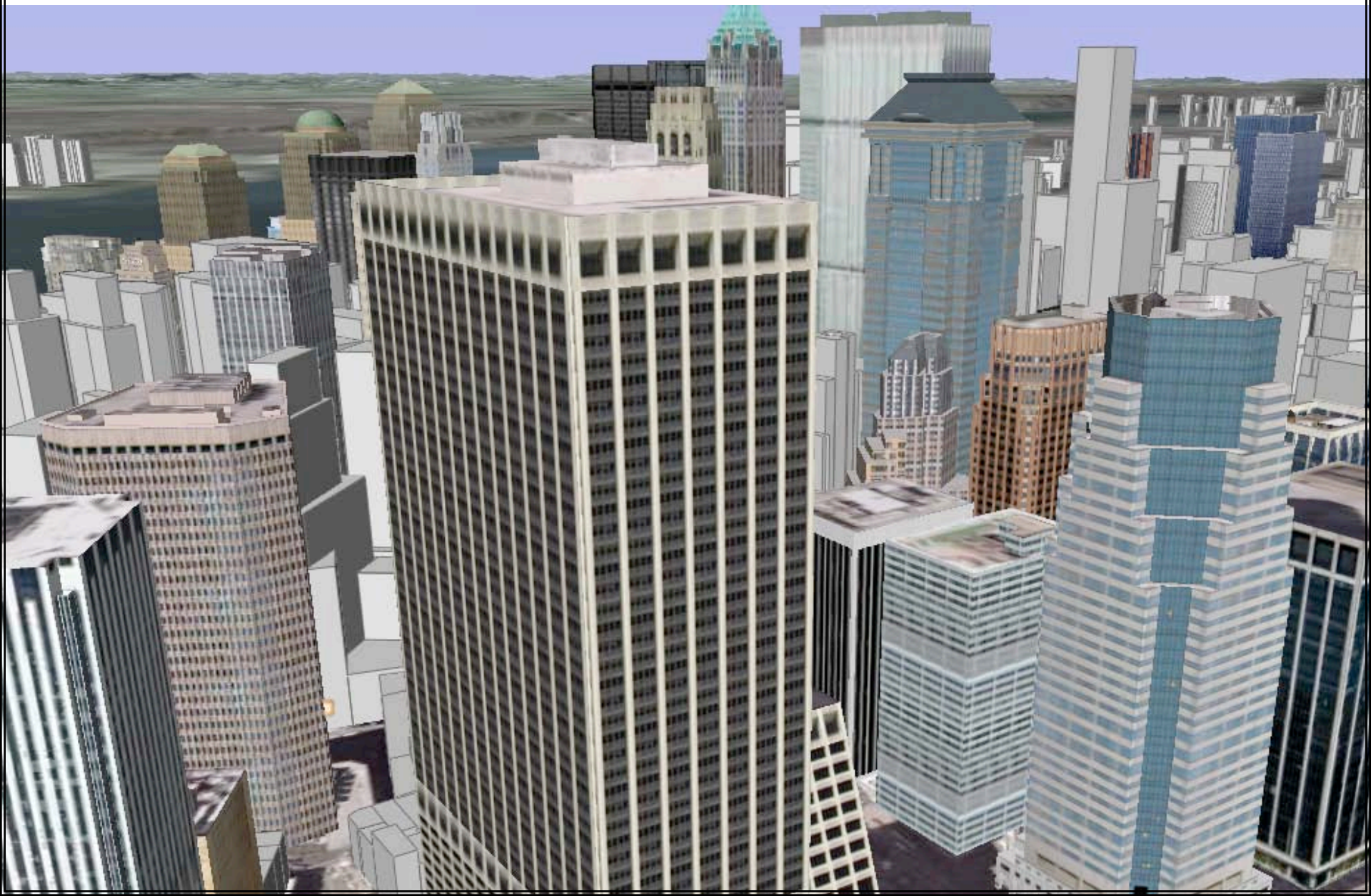


A wide expanse of blue water under a cloudy sky, with distant land visible on the horizon. The water is a deep blue-grey color, and the sky is a pale blue with scattered white clouds. In the distance, there are low, rolling hills or mountains. A small white structure, possibly a lighthouse or a tower, is visible on the left side of the horizon. The entire image is framed by a decorative border with a repeating floral pattern.

**Water is the cradle of life.**

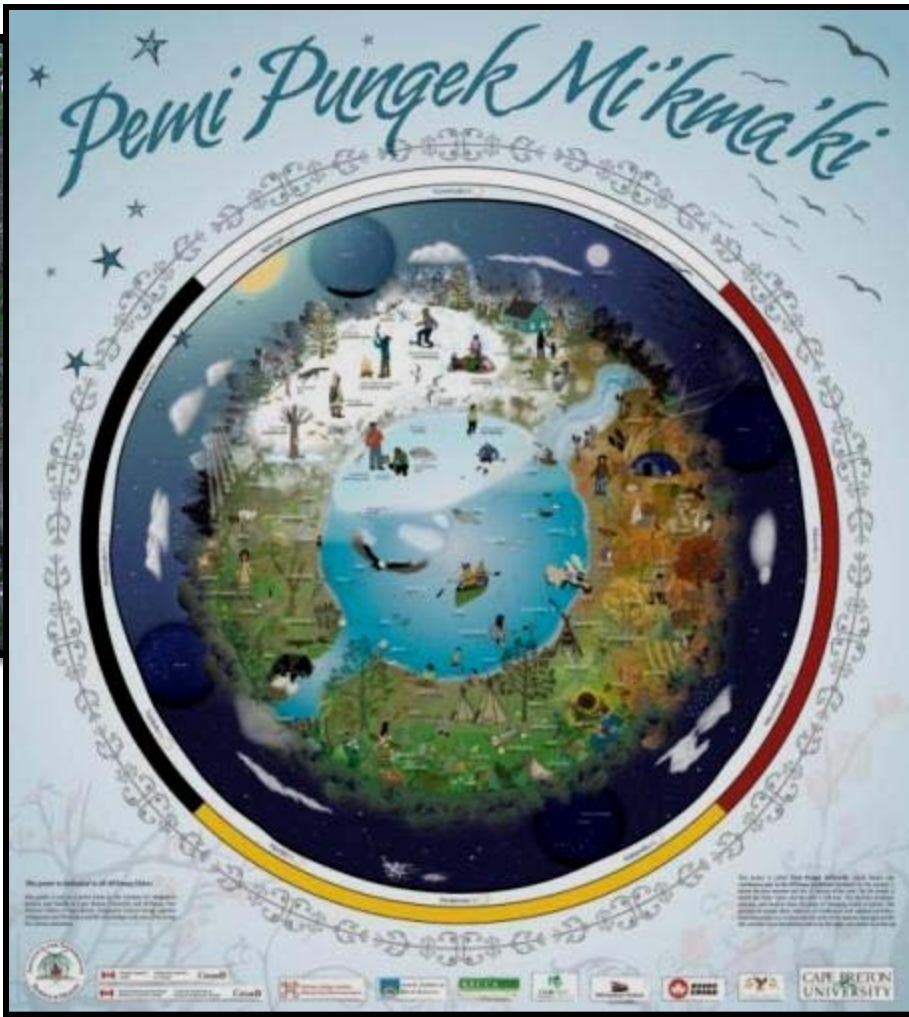
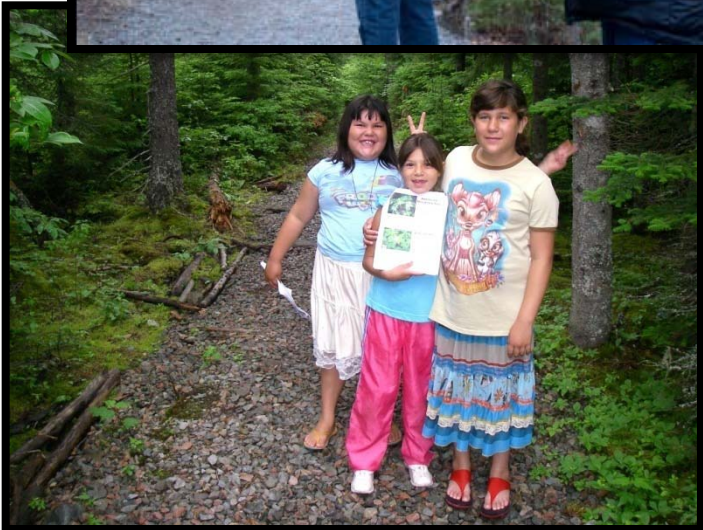


# Inner-city environment





# Nature brings stability to human behaviour.



# Collective culture guides behaviour.





# Netukulimk

developing the skills and sense of responsibility required to become a protector of other species





**Knowledge**  
**a living spirit -**  
**we are meant**  
**to pass it on**



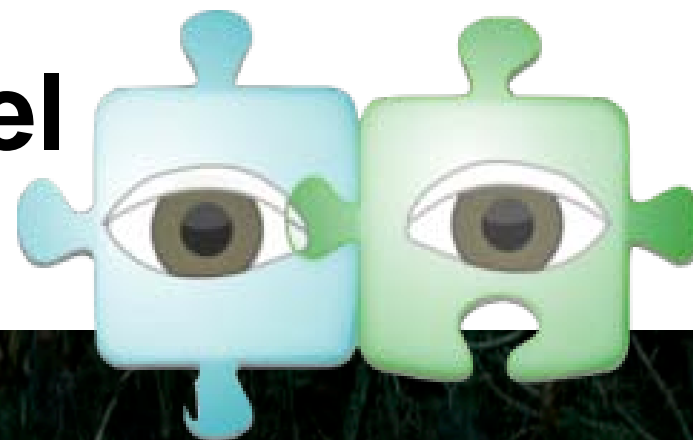
# Education towards rivers of knowledge





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You are part and parcel  
of the whole.







**Wela'lioq**  
**Thank you**