Michigan Indians, or Anishinaabek

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Michigan!!!!
The Three Fires

- Ottawa (Odawa)
- Chippewa (Ojibwe)
- Potawatomi (Bodewadmi)
Indian Communities in 1837
Boarding School – Mt. Pleasant
Boarding Schools (1870s to 1950s)

- Involuntary
- English only!
- Farming only!
- Christianity only!
- Violence and abuse!
Tiny Handcuffs
Anishinaabe Art

Zoey Wood-Salomon

Kelly Church
Other Native Artists

Bunky Echo Hawk -- http://bunkyechohawk.com/
Sherman Alexie: The Absolutely True Story of a Part Time Indian
Native Appropriations Blog

http://nativeappropriations.com/
My Family
Anishinaabemowin – Some Indian Words

- Hello = Boozhoo or Aanii
- Until Later = Baamaapii
- Eagle = Migizi
- Bear = Mukwa
- Fish = Giigonh
- Deer = Wawashkesh
- Rabbit = Waaboz
- Skunk = Zhagaag
- Raspberry = Mskwamin
- Blueberry = Miin
- Apple = Mishiimin
- Zero = Kaagegool
- One = Bezhik
- Two = Niizh
- Thee = Nswi
- Four = Niiwin
- Five = Naanan
- Six = Ngodwaaswi
- Seven = Niizhwaaswi
- Eight = Nshwaaswi
- Nine = Zhgaanswi
- Ten = Mdaaswi
The Word for Pie

Baashkiminsigebiitoojishkweginiganak
We’re not afraid of bad weather
We’re not afraid of good weather, either
Chi-miigwetch!!!!

Baamaapiii!!!!!