



4Canoes Digital Shelf

[4Canoes](#) is a Canadian based content creator and publisher formed in response to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Calls To Action. 4Canoes content is evolving as a unique, ongoing, 28-edition series created to bring Indigenous Peoples telling their stories into our classrooms and homes. Each issue highlights a different Indigenous Peoples, and is produced with integrity and respect. The 4Canoes team embeds and works with the featured People for months, providing a forum for them to tell their stories.

Service Summary

- Subscribe to access an ongoing 28 edition series, collection of children's books, OWL Special Editions (*new editions and children's books published every year*), and STEM-based Teacher Guides based on the Canadian curriculum
- District Digital Shelf includes titles purchased for the year accessible to all staff, students, and community members
- Audio included in many editions and children's books (*stories read in English and the Indigenous language; sounds of nature, etc.*)
- Read the editions and children's books on any device in any browser (*no downloads required*)
- Customer support available via email

How Does it Work?

- Once subscribed, a Digital Shelf is set up for your district with the titles you've purchased
- Subscriptions include unlimited simultaneous access for staff, students and community
- Each edition and children's book builds awareness about Indigenous culture by sharing the stories as told by the People about the land, water, and culture
- Subscriptions are available annually and can be canceled at any time

The Collection

- Visit the 4Canoes Demo Digital Shelf to preview all of the titles currently available
- **Editions:** *Ojibwe (Volume 1), Haida (Volume 2), Mi'kmaq (Volume 3), Yavapai (Volume 4), Dakehne (Volume 5 - coming soon!)*
- **Future Editions:** *Apache, Blackfoot, Celt, Comanche, Cree, Dakota, Dene, Haudenosaunee, Inca (Quechua), Inuit, Lanape (Delaware), Maori, Mayan, Metis, Navajo, Pawnee, Sami (Laplander), Seminole, Shawnee, Shoshone, Ute*
- **OWL Special Editions:** *Ojibwe of Great Spirit Island (English & French)*
- **Teacher Guides:** *Objiwe (Volume 1), OWL Special Edition*
- **Children's Books:** *Whispers on the Water, Gifts for Donis, The Eagle Feather Story, The Drum Story, Residential Schools, and more...*

How to Get Started

- Preview the 4Canoes Digital Shelf using the link provided in your *dHL Services Overview* email
- [Contact us](#) for our incredibly low annual site-based subscription fee (priced \$15 per title, per school, per year; OWL Special Edition and Teacher Guides priced separately)
- Once your Digital Shelf is set up, staff, students and the community can browse the titles and read the editions and children's books in any browser, anywhere, anytime