Pluralization

Capitalize names and titles of Indigenous People.

02 Capitalization

Indigenous Peoples and views them as remnants of the past.

Indigenous Peoples exist today, as they have for millennia.

Possessives

Direct quotes should be identified using possessives that state personal pronouns.

03 Terminology

Use quotes and capitalization for Indigenous names, pronouns, and terms.

Indigenous Peoples is monocultural.

04 Naming

Don’t capitalize Indigenous Peoples.

05 Tense

Always use the present tense, except when referring to a past event.

06 Other Helpful Resources

Using Indigenous Style and Knowledge Base

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