

**Ojibwemotaadidaa Omaa Gidakiiminaang
Biboon 2026
Biindigebii'ige-mazina'igan**

**Winter Camp Application
January - April 2026**

****This is not an application for the Gookonaanig Endaawaad
Family Language Nest year-round program****



Before filling out the application, make sure to read over the
Biboon 2026 Eligibility & Details document found on our website.

2026 Weekend Dates:

January - 24 & 25

February - 14 & 15

March - 21 & 22

April - 11 & 12

Daga mooshkinebii'an miinawaa azhe-izhinizha'amawishinaam
gibiindigebii'ige-mazina'igan imaa ojibwemotaadidaa@gmail.com

jibwaa-naano-diba'iganek ashi-niiyo-gonagizid

Manidoo-giizisoons. Gaawiin inga-agindanziimin giishpin
bi-izhinizha'amawiyaang **ishkwaa-naano-diba'iganek.** Daga
weweni giizhitoon gakina gegoo wezhibiigaadeg omaa
mazina'iganing.





Weweni naanaagadawendan wezhibii'aman. Daga nandagikendan gegwejimigooyan omaa biindigebii'ige-mazina'iganing. Giishpin gegoo nisidotanziwan, aabajitoon gidikidowiniimazina'iganan, gagwejim gichi-ayaa'aag, gekinoo'amaagejig, miinawaa giiji-gikinoo'amaaganag. Giishpin geyaabi nisidotanziwan gidaa-waasamoobii'amawinaam omaa ojibwemotaadidaa@gmail.com. Daga gagwejimishinaam awegonesh nesidotanziwan.

Miiwan onowe ge-bi-izhinizha'amamban:

1. Inaadawi'igoobii'igan:

- a. Mooshkinebii'an miinawaa daangibii'an
“Gagwe-ondinamaadizon zhooniyaa”

2. Ozhibii'igan:

- a. Daga ojibwewibii'igen. **Aabita mazina'igan eta-go** izhibii'an.

3. Mezinaateseg: (1-3 diba'igaans)

- a. Gego agindangen gegoo. Gaagiigidon gide'ing!
- b. Akawe dazhindizon. Mii go izhi-ojibwemotaw awiya maagizhaa gaye giin eta-go gaagiigidon.
- c. Boozitoon imaa GiinToob maagizhaa ge imaa Dengway-mazina'iganing mii dash izhi-waasamoobii'amawishinaam 'URL' ji-ganawaabandamaang.
 - i. (Wiindamawishinaam giishpin gashkitoosiwan ji-boozitooyan imaa GiinToob, gidaa-ganoonigoo ji-ojibwemotaadiyang.)





**4. Aaniin keyaa ezhi-gikinoo'amaagooyan Ojibwemowin?
Zhaaganaashiiwibii'igan gaye.**

- a. Daga nakwetan gagwedwewinan. Mii-go izhi-zhaaganaashiiwibii'an.

5. Boozitooon gihadaka'ogoo-mazina'iganens.

- a. Waabanda'ishinaam gihadaka'ogoo-mazina'igan. Gidaa-bi-dago-izhinizha'aan gibiindigebii'ige-mazina'iganing.

Ikidowinan ji-wiidookaagoyan

aabita mazina'igan: one-half page *ni*

biindigebii'ige-mazina'igan: application *ni*

boozitooon: upload s.t. (computer function, as in upload on a computer or the internet) *vta*

Dengway-mazina'igan: Facebook *ni*

ezhibii'igaadeg endaayan: your address

gagiigin: select someone from a group *vta*

gekenimik: reference *pvt*

gihadaka'ogoo-mazina'iganens: your COVID-19 vaccination card
ni

giigidowin: phone number *ni*

GiinToob: YouTube ☺

inaadawi'igoobii'igan: contact information

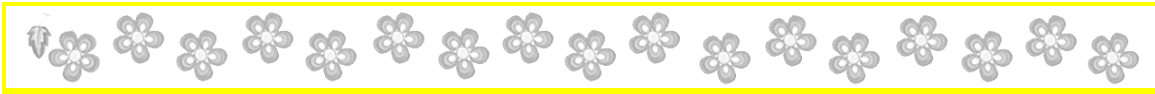
izhinizha'amaw: email s.o. *vta*

ozhibii'igan: essay *ni*

waasamoobii'amaw: email s.o. *vta*

waasamoobii'igan: email *ni*

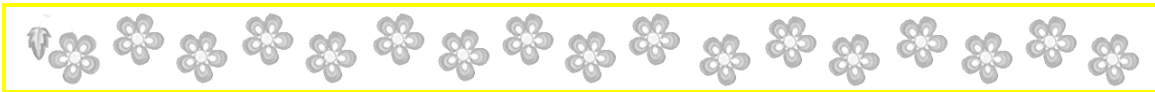


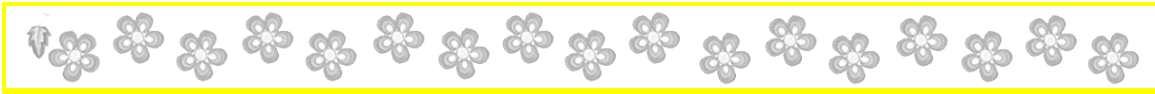


Inaadawi'igoobii'igan

Izhinikaazowin:	
Aaniin apii gaa-ondaadiziyan?	
Ezhibii'igaadeg endaayan:	
Giigidowin:	
Waasamoobii'igan:	
Aaniindi endanankiiyan/ Aaniindi endazhi-gikinoo'amaa gooyan?	
Aaniin enankiiyan?	

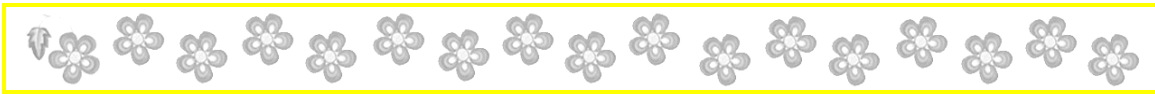
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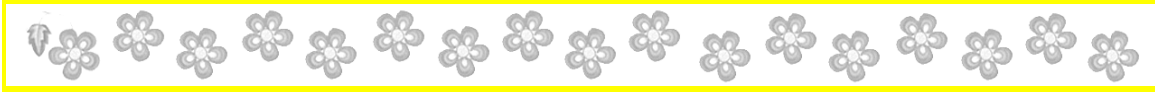




Gekenimik(waa):

Gekenimik #1	
Izhinikaazowin:	
Giigidowin:	
Waasamoobii'igan:	
Aaniindi endananokiid?	
Aaniin enawemad mooshkinebii'iged?	
Gekenimik #2	
Izhinikaazowin:	
Giigidowin:	
Waasamoobii'igan:	
Aaniindi endananokiid?	
Aaniin enawemad mooshkinebii'iged?	

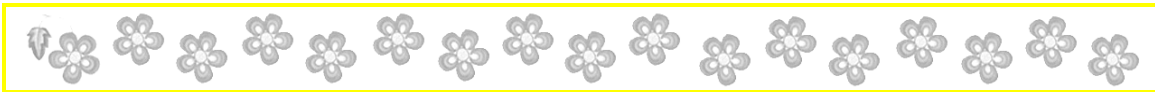


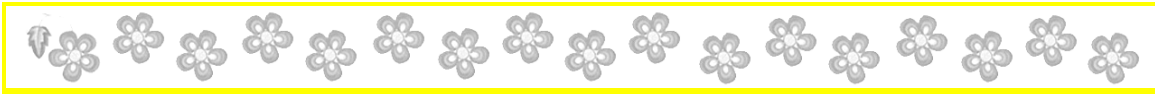


Ozhibii'igan:

Wiindamawishinaam aaniish ge-inaabajitooyan gaa-kikinoo'amaagooyin omaa *Ojibwemotaadidaa Omaa Gidakiiminaang?* Daga ojibwewibii'igen. **Aabita mazina'igan eta-go** izhibii'an.

Please tell us (**in Ojibwe**) how you will use what you learn at *Ojibwemotaadidaa Omaa Gidakiiminaang?* Please keep your response up to a **half page**. You may use a separate sheet if necessary.

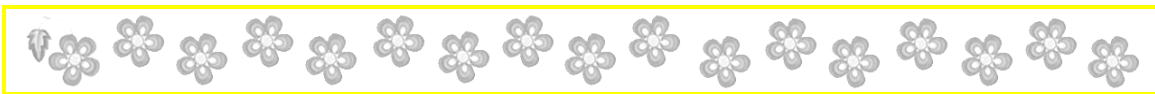


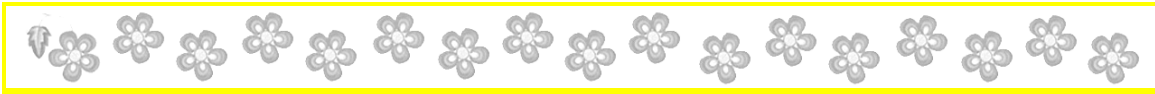


3. How much time per week and in what activities do you study Ojibwe on your own?

4. Have you ever had the opportunity to learn from a first language speaker? Describe the situation.

5. What level of language do you aspire to achieve in your lifetime and what do you plan to do with the language and skills that you learn?





6. How well would you estimate that you can speak Ojibwe?

- Fluently
- Somewhat well: can make myself understood but have some problems with it
- Not very well: know a lot of words and phrases, but struggle in certain areas
- Know some vocabulary, but can't speak in sentences or complete thoughts
- Not at all

7. How well do you understand Ojibwe?

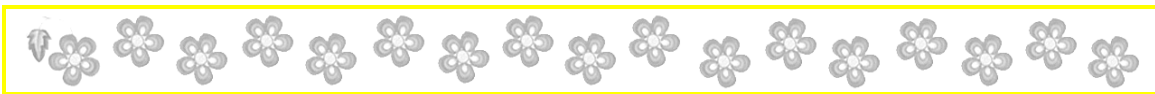
- Understand everything someone says to me
- Understand mostly, but not completely
- Understand some words and phrases only
- Not at all

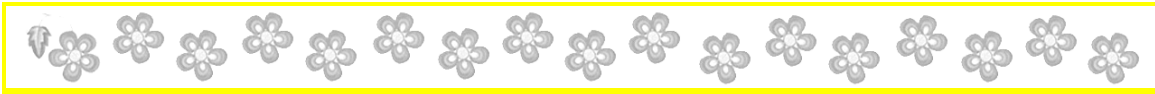
8. To what extent do you and your family use Ojibwe at home at the present time?

- Always
- Sometimes
- Never

9. When you were growing up, how often did you hear Ojibwe in your home?

- Always
- Sometimes
- Nev





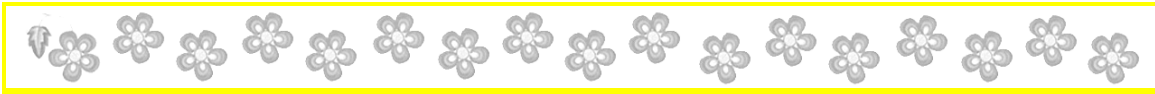
Zhaaganaashiiwibii'igan

Daga nakwetan gagwedwewinan. Mii go izhi-zhaaganaashiiwibii'an.

1. Are you willing to avoid speaking English, unless it is an emergency, for the entire program? Also, are you willing to leave technological devices and programs in English at home or in a safe under the care of Ojibwemotaadidaa Staff?

2. One of the main goals of this academy is to build a supportive community of language learners in order to help each other succeed in our journey to learn Ojibwe. How will you contribute to building a positive, nurturing, and successful learning community at the academy this winter?





Returning applicants *only*:

Reflecting on your past experience(s) with the academy, what did and/or didn't work well for you? Please explain why. How would you handle the experience differently in order to further benefit from it? Please examine your own methods and attitudes towards learning and what you would like to improve on.

Additional:

***Also, if you were a student in a recent Cohort and have missed more than the equivalent of one weekend/2 days (this includes missing parts of different weekends, totaling more than one weekend), please include your appeal on a separate page, explaining the reasons you were absent and why you think we should still consider your application. ***

