

Indigenous Place Naming Initiatives*

Jurisdiction	Indigenous Nation(s)	Title	URL	Creator(s)
Nunavut	Inuit living in Inuit Nunangat	<i>Original Place Names in Arctic Lands</i>	https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/4eb8b3486c0e43cc8b9922a514a790b3	Inuit Heritage Trust and Esri Canada
British Columbia	Haida Nation	<i>Haida Place Names</i>	https://www.haidanation.ca/haida-place-names/	Council of the Haida Nation
Saskatchewan	Métis Nation	<i>Métis Nation – Saskatchewan : Eastern Region III</i>	https://leaderpost.com/news/saskatchewan/metis-nation-saskatchewan-launches-story-mapping-of-er3	Métis Nation Saskatchewan
British Columbia	Secwepemc Nation	<i>Cstélen: R Tmicws-kuc</i>	http://www.chiefatahm.com/WebPages/cstelen_place_names.html	Chief Atahm School research projects with Cstélnec Elders.
British Columbia	Sk̓wx̓wú7mesh (Squamish), and Tseil-Waututh (Burrard)	<i>imesh (To Walk)</i>	http://www.sfu.ca/brc/imeshMobileApp.html	Bill Reid Centre for Northwest Coast Studies at Simon Fraser University
British Columbia	Tla'amin Nation	<i>Traditional Place Names of the Tla'amin Nation Project</i>	https://powellriver.ca/pages/photo-history-of-powell-river	Members of the Tla'amin Nation
British Columbia	Musqueam Nation	<i>Musqueam Place Names Map</i>	https://placenamesmap.musqueam.bc.ca/	
British Columbia	Syilx Nation	<i>Syilx Place Names</i>	https://www.syilx.org/projects/place-names/	Natural Resources Department &

				Enowkin Centre
British Columbia	First Nations part of the Hul'qumi'num Treaty Group (HTG). Formed in 1993, the HTG is a treaty group that represents six First Nations: Cowichan Tribes, Halalt First Nation, Lake Cowichan First Nation, Stz'uminus First Nation, Lyackson First Nation, and Penelekut Tribe.	<i>Hul'q'umi'num Storied Place Names Project</i>	https://earth.google.com/web/@48.87881439,-123.56138707,49.65274118a,10270.0,35106921d,30y,0h,0t,0r/data=MiCkJQojCiExVTI2TnphZlBwT2lmUOFhRks1UIZwUIZ2X0hIM2tPR0o https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/viewer?mid=1_CIO2LChMK_xC-kc87ZwbeQMmUY&ll=48.93174745165281%2C-123.7602604999999&z=9	Mélanie Witts co-supervised by Brian Thom and Colin Scott.
Alberta	Treaty 8 First Nations	<i>Placenames and Oral Histories of Change in the Peace River Sub-Basin (Treaty 8 First Nations of Alberta)</i>	https://trackingchange.ca/projects/#toggle-id-11	Treaty 8 First Nations of Alberta
Alberta	Mikisew Cree First Nation (MCFN)	<i>MCFN Indigenous Knowledge and Use Report for Teck Frontier</i>	https://www.ceaa-acee.gc.ca/050/documents/p65505/114483E.pdf	Mikisew Cree First Nation
Alberta	Blackfeet, Siksika, Pikani and Kanai First Nations	<i>Blackfoot Place Map and the homelands of the Blackfeet, Siksika, Pikani and Kanai Nations</i>	https://www.indigenousvision.org/maps/	Indigenous Vision (IV) Maps
Saskatchewan	Plains Cree, Woodland Cree, Swampy Cree, Dakota, Nakota, Lakota,	<i>SICC First Nation Traditional Place Names</i>	https://sicc.sk.ca/traditional-place-names/	Saskatchewan Indigenous Cultural Centre (SICC),

	Saulteaux & Dene First Nation			in partnership with the Ministry of Parks, Culture and Sport (PCS)
Saskatchewan	Dakota First Nation	<i>Wahpeton Dakota First Nation Place Names Map</i>	https://wahpeton.knowledgekeeper.ca/placenames-map	Wahpeton Dakota First Nation Community Knowledge Keeper
Manitoba	Poplar First Nation	<i>Poplar River First Nation – Traditional Place Names</i>	https://pimaki.ca/wp-content/uploads/Poplar-River-Story-Map_low-res-14-July-2020-1.pdf	Poplar River Elders
Manitoba	Cree, Dakota, Dene, Oji-Cree and Ojibway First Nations	<i>Traditional First Nation Community Names Map</i>	https://mfnerc.org/community-map/	Manitoba First Nations Education Resource Centre Inc.
Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta	Nêhiyawak (Plains Cree), Woods Cree, Rocky Cree, Mushkegowuk (Swampy Cree), Moose Cree, and Eeyou Istchee (James Bay Cree)	<i>Cree Place Names Project</i>	https://creeliteracy.org/2015/08/19/cree-place-name-project/	Contributor: Arden Ogg for the Cree Literacy Network
Ontario	Temagami Anishinabai First Nation	<i>Temagami First Nation Mapping Project</i>	https://temagami.firstnation.ca/land-and-resources/mapping-2/	Traditional Ecological Knowledge Holders and Elders
Ontario	Kanienkeha:ka, Anishinabe & Ontario metis	<i>Niagara Escarpment Indigenous Cultural Mapping Project</i>	http://www.thegreatniagaraescarpment.ca/about	Plenty Canada
Ontario	Kanyen'kehà:ka (Mohawk)	<i>Atlas of Kanyen'kehà:ka Space</i>	http://www.elpublishing.org/docs/4/01/FEL-2018-05.pdf	Professor Kahente Horn-Miller & Rebekah Ingram, in

			https://www.facebook.com/events/2872796406076662/?acontext=%7B%22event_action_history%22%3A%7B%22mechanism%22%3A%22search_results%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22search%22%7D%7D	conjunction with Carleton University and funded by a grant from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC).
Ontario	Kanyen'kehà:ka (Mohawk)	<i>Map of Places Identified with Traditional Kanienkeha Names</i>	https://kanienkeha.net/map/	NA
Ontario	Fort Albany First Nation (Mushkegowuk Cree)	<i>Paquataskamik Project - Map of Cree names</i>	https://paquataskamik.weebly.com/index.html	
Ontario	Mushkegowuk First Nation Communities	<i>Mushkegowuk Guardian Program</i>	https://www.indigenousguardianstoolkit.ca/communities/mushkegowuk-council-mushkegowuk-guardian-program	CreeGeo Mush Guardians: A Citizen Science initiative for Mushkegowuk youth to collaborate with Elders and other community members to learn about the environment and identify Indigenous place names and its history.
Ontario	Anishinaabek First Nations located on Mndo Minis (Manitoulin Island)	<i>Manitoulin Island Place Names Project</i>	NA	Several Anishinaabem owin experts and the Wiikwemkoon g First Nation

Québec	Kanien'kehá:ka place names in the Montreal Archipelago bio-region & Tewakhwishenhelon (Turtle Island / North America).	<i>Tsi Tetsionitotiakon - Tiohtiake Mohawk Place Names</i>	https://sites.google.com/site/indigenecommunity/home/5-tiohtiake-mohawk-placenames	Onkwawen:na Language Center in Kahnawake
Québec	Nametau Innu	<i>Le Nitassinan</i>	http://www.nametauinnu.ca/fr/culture/territoire	Elders and Knowledge Holders
Québec / Ontario	Algonquin communities under the Algonquin Nation Secretariat (ANS) Tribal Council's umbrella	<i>The Land that Talks</i>	http://www.algonquinnation.ca/toponym/en/map/	Algonquin Elders & Knowledge Holders
Québec	Eeyou-Eenou communities of Eeyou-Itsee	<i>Cree Nation Government Place Names Program (Quebec)</i>	NA	Cree Nation Government's Department of Social and Cultural Development
Québec / NFLD / Nunavut / NWT	Inuit communities across Inuit Nunangat (Inuvialuit, Nunavut, Nunavik and Nunatsiavut)	<i>Nunatop - Inuit Place Naming Project</i>	https://www.nunatop.com/	Avataq Cultural Institute, McGill University and the Commission de toponymie du Québec
Newfoundland & Labrador	Qalipu First Nation	<i>Ktaqmukuk Place Naming Project</i>	https://qalipu.ca/ktaqmukuk-mikmaq-place-names-project-please-contribute-your-photos-videos-and-stories-to-our-new-interactive-map/	Qalipu First Nation Natural Resources led a partnership with the College of the North Atlantic and Memorial University's Grenfell Campus
Prince Edward Island	Mi'kmaq Nation in Epekwitk (Prince Edward Island)	<i>Mi'kmaq Place Names Cultural Preservation Project</i>	https://lnuey.ca/resources/epekwitk-place-names/	Mi'kmaq Leadership in Epekwitk (Prince Edward Island)

				with the collaboration of the Mi'kmaq Confederacy of PEI and Parks Canada
Canadian Maritimes & the East Coast of the United States	Member Nations of the Wabanaki Confederacy	<i>Languages and Landscapes</i>	https://www.arcgis.com/apps/MapJournal/index.html?appid=96f758a4708b4fd1999d6b1ddba62a46	University of New Brunswick's Mi'kmaq-Wolastoqey Centre
Newfoundland and Labrador	Labrador Innu	<i>Pepamuteiati nitassinat: "As we walk across our land"</i>	https://www.innuplaces.ca/introduction.php?lang=en	Labrador Innu
Nova Scotia	Mi'kmaw	<i>Ta'n Weji-sqalia'tiek: Mi'kmaw Place Names Digital Atlas and Website Project</i>	http://mikmawplacenames.ca/	Mi'kmaq-Nova-Scotia-Tripartite Forum in partnership with Confederacy of Mainland Mi'kmaq, Saint Mary's University, and the Nova Scotia Museum. Other partners have included, Parks Canada, Atlantic Region: Mi'kma'ki All Points Services (MAPS); Mi'kmaw Association of Cultural Studies (MACS), the Nova Scotia Provincial

				Government; and Kwilmu'kw Maw-kusuaqn Negotiation Office (KMKNO).”
New Brunswick	Mi'gmaq, Wolastoqiyik and Peskotomuhkati Nations	<i>Lnu Place Names</i>	https://www.arcgis.com/home/webmap/viewer.html?useExisting=1	Mi'gmawe'l Tplu'taqnn Inc.
Northwest Territories	Gwich'in	<i>Gwich'in Place Names and Story Atlas</i>	https://atlas.gwichin.ca/index.html / https://gwichin.ca/publications/gwichin-atlas-place-names-maps-and-narratives	Gwich'in Tribal Council, Gwich'in Social and Cultural Institute, Gwich'in Elders and traditional land users living in the Gwich'in Settlement Region communities of Aklavik, Fort McPherson, Inuvik and Tsiigehtchic.
Nunavut	Inuit communities of the Kitikmeot Region (Nunavut)	<i>Kitikmeot Place Name Atlas (Kitikmeot Heritage Society)</i>	https://atlas.kitikmeotheritage.ca/index.html?module=module.about	Kitikmeot Heritage Society and the Geomatics and Cartographic Research Centre at Carleton University.
Nunavut	Inuit communities in Nunavut	<i>Place Names Program (Inuit Heritage Trust)</i>	http://ihti.ca/english/place-names/pn-index.html	Inuit Heritage Trust
Yukon Territory and northwest British Columbia,	Shadhäla Äshèyi yè Kwädän (Champagne and Aishihik First Nations or CAFN)	<i>Dakéyi (our country) - Heritage sites,</i>	https://cafn.ca/government/departments/language-	Elders and Knowledge Holders

		<i>place names (Champagne and Ashishak First Nations)</i>	culture- heritage/heritage -sites-place- names/	working closely with the Lands and Resources Department of Champagne and Aishihik First Nations
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