

# Native American Stories for Kids

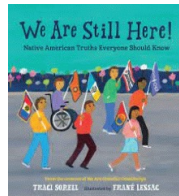
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## American Indian Youth Literature Award

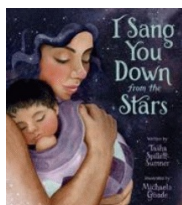
<https://ailanet.org/activities/american-indian-youth-literature-award/>



## We are still here!

Traci Sorell ; illustrated by Frané Lessac.

American Indian Youth Literature Award, Picture Book, Honor 2022



## I sang you down from the stars

written by Tasha Spillett-Sumner ; illustrated by Michaela Goade.

American Indian Youth Literature Award, Picture Book, Honor 2022



## Classified

Traci Sorell ; illustrated by Natasha Donovan.

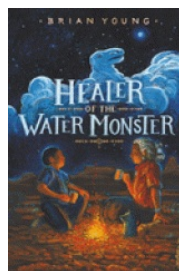
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## We are water protectors

written by Carole Lindstrom ; illustrated by Michaela Goade.

Caldecott Medal Winner, 2021.



## Healer of the water monster

Brian Young.

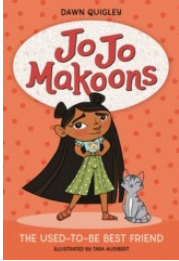
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## The used-to-be best friend

Dawn Quigley ; illustrated by Tara Audibert.

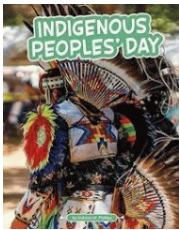
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## The sea in winter

Christine Day.

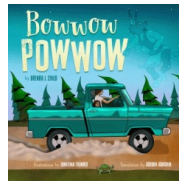
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## Indigenous Peoples' Day

Katrina M. Phillips.

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Middle Grade, Honor 2022



## Bowwow powwow

by Brenda J. Child ; translated by Gordon Jourdain ;  
illustrated by Jonathan Thunder.

American Indian Youth Literature Award,  
Picture Book, Winner 2020