



# **Restoring Connections**

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# 5th Grade Lesson 2

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# Seasonal Rounds in the Oak Savanna



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# Materials For Today

- Pencil
- Paper
- Bud journal
- Colored Pencil



# Meet the Teachers



**Laxayam! Our names are Garrett and Zoe.**

**Zoe**



**Vine Maple**

# Introduce Yourself!

Ask students to introduce themselves:

- Name
- Something fun! Example:
  - What's your favorite plant from Mt. Pisgah?





# Introduction to the Day

- Review of Lesson
  - Sit spot check-in
  - Introduction to seasonal rounds
  - Examples in oak savanna ecosystem
  - Seasonal round activity
  - Ecochallenge

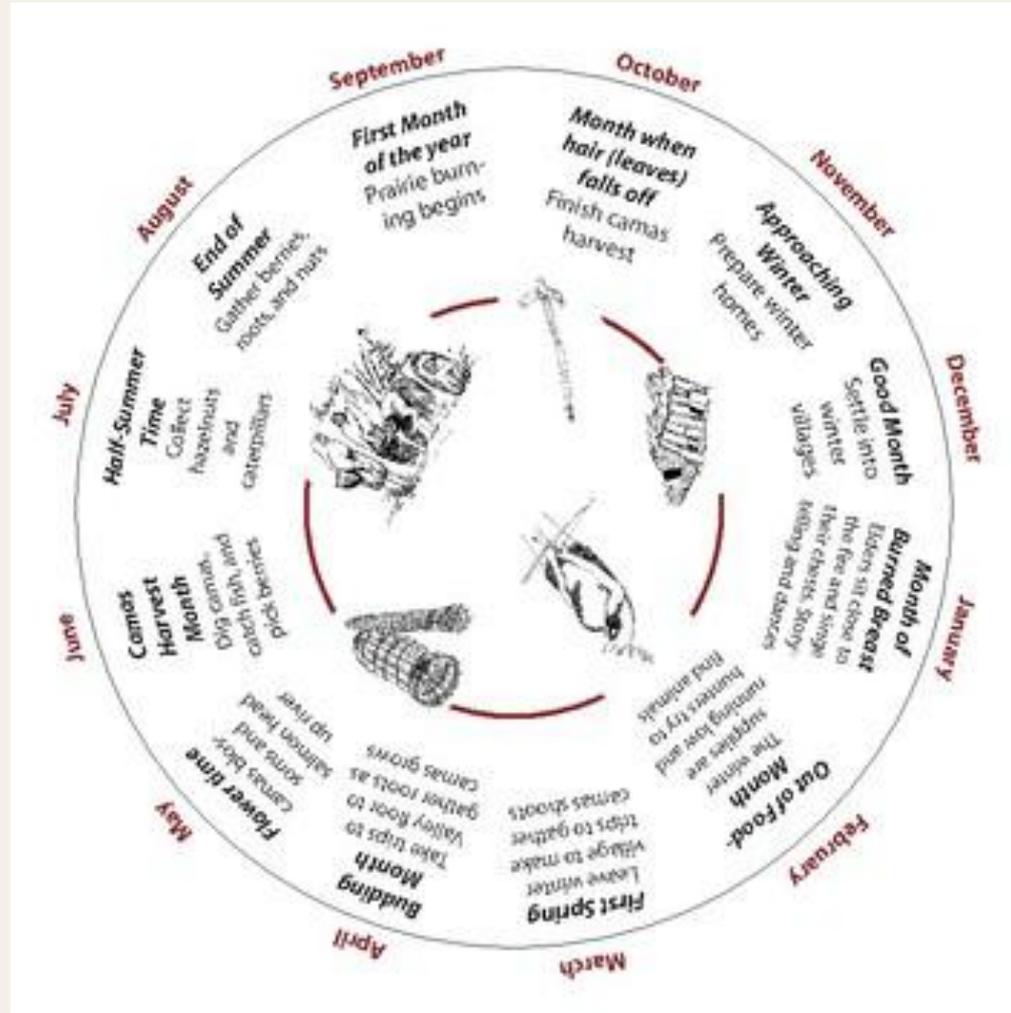
# Sit-Spot Journal check-in

- How are sit spot journals going?
- What was the process like for you?
- Where is your spot for observation?
- What were the things that stood out to you during your sit spot?
- What did you notice that you wouldn't normally notice?



# Seasonal Rounds

- 12 sections based on lunar cycle
- Different growing cycles and levels of importance



# Seasonal Rounds in the Oak Savanna

- Acorns - K'anawi-taqwela
  - Harvested in the fall
- Camas - Lakamas
  - Harvested in the summer
- Fire - Paya
  - Seasonal burns begin in September



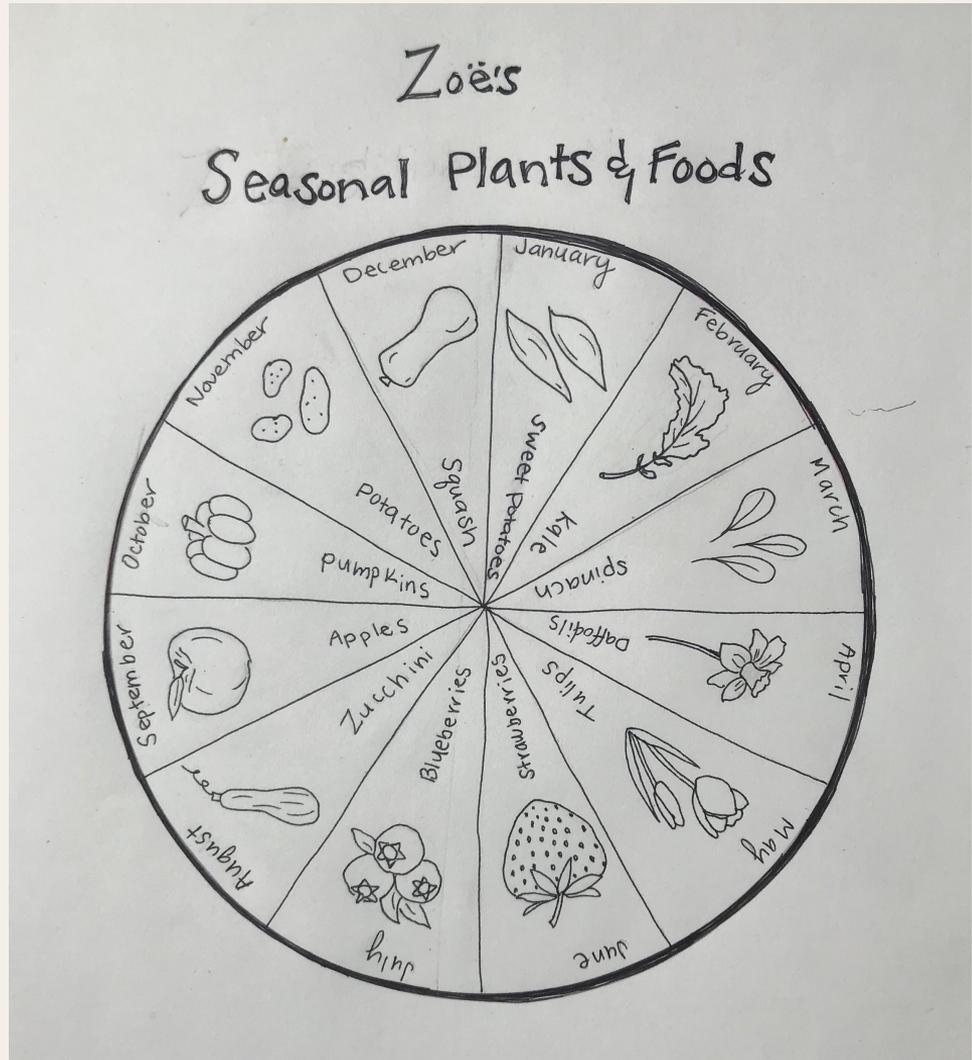
# Personal Monthly Traditions Activity

- Draw a circle or chart and divide it into 12 months.
- Label each month with something significant to you.



# Personal Monthly Traditions Activity Example

Your drawing could look something like this seasonal plants and foods calendar



# Ecochallenge

## Sit spot



- If you can do this everyday that is encouraged!
- Take 5 minutes to lay underneath a tree and look up. What do you see? Write down observations.

# Materials for next week

- Paper
- Pencil
- Colored Pencils
- Your Bud Journal
- A good attitude!



# Thank you to our Community Partners!



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Thank you for participating

See you again next week

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