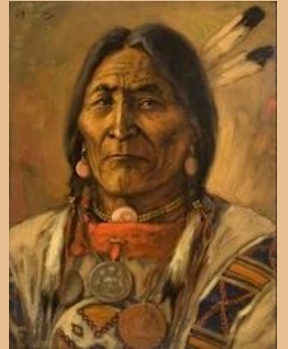


# Blackfoot Native American Oral Story Assignment

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## OVERVIEW & PURPOSE

As history students, you will be honoring the Blackfoot Native American oral tradition of storytelling by creating your own narrative according to research derived from primary and secondary documents. The purpose is that you learn about the culture of Blackfoot Native Americans according to their own documentation as opposed to studying their history through the lense of “outsider” observations.



## This assignment will require the following:

- A **disclaimer** acknowledging why your story does not represent Blackfoot Native American people or their culture
- A story that includes an **exposition, rising action, climax, falling action, and resolution**
- Incorporation of at least **two Blackfoot Native American words** from the vocab sheet
- Be based off of information gathered *solely* from the **sources given in class**

## How it will work:

1. You will be divided into groups and given information according to your group’s topic
2. Everyone in your group will read the information and vote on who will be the scribe and who will be the narrator
3. The scribe will record the story that the group creates
4. The following day, the narrator will read the group’s story to the class

**\*Your stories need to be well written, descriptive, accurate, and at least two pages, double-spaced in length**