

## **September 30 – National Day of Truth and Reconciliation**

The TRC describes reconciliation as “an ongoing process of establishing and maintaining respectful relationships.” Key to this description is that reconciliation is “ongoing. It is not a destination, or something that is achieved and checked off of a to-do list. It will require continual effort and action over time.

September 30<sup>th</sup> is an opportunity for everyone to spend time reflecting, learning, reading or engaging with others on these important subjects. There are many events and activities happening the week of September 27 to October 3, as well as resources, below, to enhance our understanding. Please review this section to learn more about how to engage on Orange Shirt Day and the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, and watch for messaging and information from the task force in future eZines and on social media.

### [Honouring the Truth, Reconciling for the Future](#)

Summary of the Final Report of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada

### [The Survivors Speak](#)

A Report of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada

### [What We Have Learned](#)

Principles of Truth and Reconciliation

### [Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada: Calls to Action](#)

The 94 Calls to Action of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission

### [Where are the Children Buried?](#)

This report addressed the question where deceased Indian Residential School students are buried. Figures and illustrations to accompany the report are [available here](#).

### [Application + Action – TRC Reading Guide for Non-Indigenous Organizations](#)

This companion reading guide is shared by Ka Ni Kanichihk and produced by the Manitoba Harm Reduction Network. It encourages readers to reflect on the content of the TRC report through a series of reading guide questions and activities.

### [Bill C-5](#)

Act creating the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation