Indian Boarding Schools

Video: A Documentary: The Carlisle Institute

- 1) Who started the Indian Boarding Schools?
- 2) How many of the Carlisle Students graduated?
- 3) What was the school's motto?

Video: The Missing Chapter -- The Indian Boarding School Experience

- 1) What is one thing that would happen to students when taken to the schools?
- 2) Following the Boarding School era, what tactic was used to separate Native children from their families?
- 3) By the 1960s, how many Native children were living apart from their families?

Video: Jim Thorpe - the Best Athlete you've never heard of

- 1) What sports did Thorpe compete in?
- 2) Why did he lose his medals?

Video: A new look at Indian boarding schools

- 1) What is the new exhibit hoping to combine?
- 2) What was Indian School Road, in Phoenix named after? How long was it open?
- 3) Did the Boarding School system succeed in eradicating Native Culture(s)?

Video: Boarding School Healing

- 1) What did the Boarding School policy attempt to destroy?
- 2) Why were the handcuffs so small?
- 3) What can you pass on to your children if you cannot pass on who you are?

Conclusion: Now what?

• What are you going to do differently, now that you have this information? How does this change your understanding of Native Americans both then and now?