

**More-than-humans signs...**

Land has a way of showing signs that beings are there...

Get outside!

Can you spot one sign that nature is more than just humans? Draw, take a pic, etc.

From there, look into what the sign is revealing!

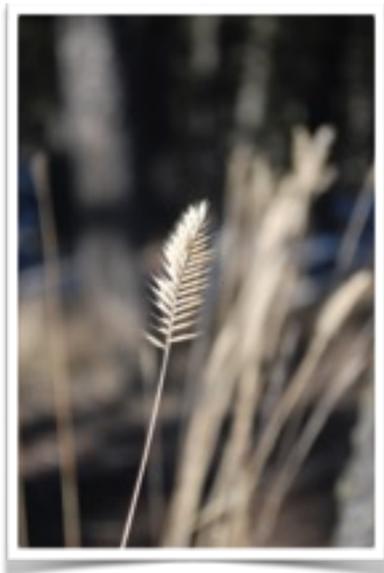
Are there stories relating to this/these being(s)?



Think about it!!



Observe closely!



What do you notice?



**Living, Non-Living, or...?**

Have a look at all the pictures, pick one, explain how the being you see on the picture is living, non-living, or...

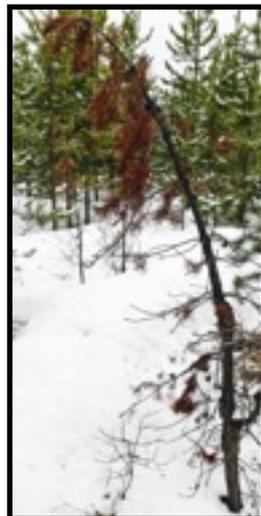
What are clues that tell you it's one way, or another... or another!

What are stories that can provide a different perspective?

How do these beings contribute to their environment?

**Create a way to demonstrate your ideas, the knowledge you acquired, and the web of relationships for the picture you picked.**

**Remember that you are part of that web as well!**



## **Connect with more-than-humans.**



Is there a tree, a plant, a place, an animal, or another being who you are drawn to all the time?

Or, is there a tree, a plant, a place, an animal, or another being who caught your attention by their very presence?

Did you notice them or did they notice you?

Sometimes, we form a connection with a particular place, a particular plant, a particular animal, rock, etc... What makes this connection so special? What else can be added to your special connection?

This is what this outdoors inquiry is all about!!!

### What to do:

1) On your next adventure outside, take a moment to think about who you are drawn to. You do not have to go very far, more-than-humans are usually very close.

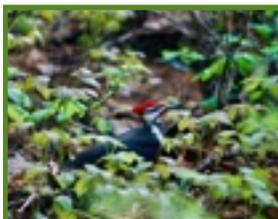
Is there a tree you find amazing, a plant you really like, an animal who always shows up, etc... Do you have a connection with a more-than-human being?

2) Tell about the more-than-human you have a connection with and talk about this connection...

- Did you choose that being?
- Or, did the being choose you?
- Why is there such a strong connection?
- How do you feel when you are in the presence of this particular being?
- How do you nurture this special connection with a more-than-human?
- Does the being you have a connection with Ktunaxa stories?
- Does the being have a Ktunaxa name? How did you find out?
- What is there to know about this particular being?
- Etc.

3) You can write about this connection, you can draw or take a picture, you can create a short film... Whatever you wish to do to share, go for it! (But leave the more-than-human right where it is!!)

### **Here's some of my connections**



I chose them...



They chose me!



They chose me!