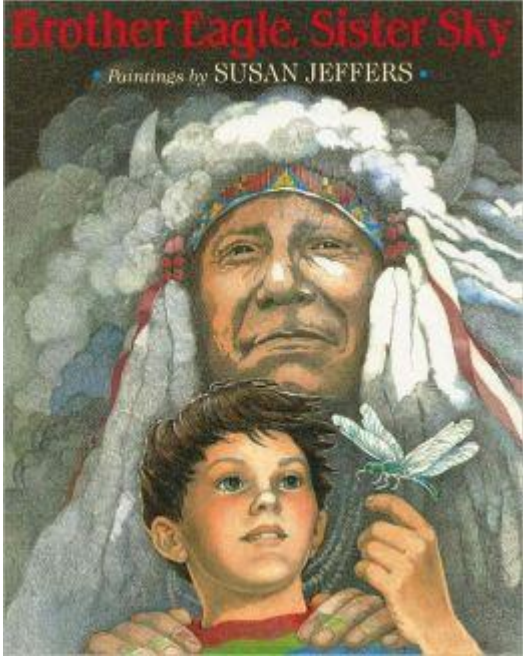


<p>Key vocabulary and phrases</p> <p>Ancestors – family or people who have lived before us</p> <p>Commanding – dominating and powerful</p> <p>Civilisation – a group of people who live in a certain area that have their own way of life and culture</p> <p>Commissioner – a leader who has been appointed to carry out an important role</p> <p>Prairie – a vast open grassland, usually without trees</p> <p>Presence – being present in a place or thing</p> <p>Resounding – loud and booming</p> <p>Tracts – large area of land</p> <p>“We did not weave the web of life. We are merely a strand in it. Whatever we do to the web, we do to ourselves.”</p> <p>“The earth does not belong to us, we belong to the earth.”</p>	<p>Year 3 Summer 2:</p> <p>English Knowledge Organiser</p> <p>Brother Eagle, Sister Sky</p> <p>Written by: Susan Jeffers</p>  <p>What can the book teach us</p> <p>To be in touch with nature.</p> <p>To protect and take care of the land for future generations</p>	<p>Context</p> <p>Nearly 150 years ago, Chief Seattle, a respected and peaceful leader of one of the Northwest Indian Nations, delivered a message to the government in Washington who wanted to buy his people's land.</p> <p>Writing focus</p> <p>Setting description; using figurative language and expanded non phrases</p> <p>Newspaper report: showing different points of view, using direct speech</p> <p>Important information</p> <p>Theme: Learning that the tradition of the Native American people is to be at one with nature. Their culture is to pass down their ideals through word of mouth from their family.</p> <p>Themes: non-fiction; Historical speech</p> <p>Settings: Northwest Indian Nations & Washington 150 years ago</p>
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