## Youth Beginner 0-17 years old

The intention of the **Youth Beginner Category** is to promote the language learning of our youth that may just be starting their language learning journey and to encourage more of our youth to start learning the language.

Please choose the appropriate competition level based on your own or your students' knowledge. You must have a **3-person team** to participate. **All** members of your team must **equally** participate throughout the challenge.

## Round 1

#### **Introduction Q&A**

- One person on your team will give a short introduction (see Example 1 on Page 2).
- Each person will be asked a question about themselves (see Example 2 on Page 3).

## Round 2

#### Táku waŋdaka he? (What do you see?)

- You will be shown a picture or word and asked to say what you see in a Dakota sentence.
- See list of words on Page 4.
- Example of student response: Śúŋka núŋpa waŋmdake.
- Example of student response: Tatanka gi wanmdake.
- No one word responses!

### Round 3

#### Odowaŋ (Song)

- At least one team member will be asked to sing a song in Dakota.
- It can be a traditional song, or an English song translated to Dakota.
- You will be judged on your use of the language, not on your singing voice.
- See Page 5 for some examples.

### Round 4

#### Kahoot

• Your team will play a Kahoot on provided devices. It will be based on this packet.

# Round 1

# Example 1

<u>Dakota</u>		
Hau/Haŋ mitakuyepi!		
Caŋtewasteya napeciyuzapi.		
Dakota ia <u>(Your Dakota name or birth order name)</u> de miye do/ye.		
Wasicu ia <u>(Your English name)</u> emakiyapi do/ye.		
English		
Hello my relatives.		
I shake your hand with a good heart.		
In Dakota, I am (Your Dakota name or birth order name).		
In English, I am called (Your English name).		

Male Birth Order Names		Female Bir	th Order Names
<u>Dakota</u>	English	<u>Dakota</u>	English
Caske	First born son	Winuna	First born daughter
Нерађ	Second born son	Hapaŋ	Second born daughter
Нері	Third born son	Hapstiŋ	Third born daughter
Cataŋ	Fourth born son	Waŋske	Fourth born daughter
Hake	Fifth born son	Wihake	Fifth born daughter

## Example 2

Judges will ask one of the following questions in Dakota to the members of each team. Participants will have to reply in Dakota.

<u>Dakota</u>	English
A: Dakota henica he?	A: Are you Dakota
<b>B:</b> Haŋ/Hau, Dakota hemaca.	<b>B:</b> Yes, I am Dakota.
(k'aiš)	( <i>or</i> )
Hiya, Dakota hemaca sni.	No, I am not Dakota.
A: Ate yaye tóked eciyapi he?	A: What is your father called?
<b>B:</b> Ate waye <u>(David)</u> eciyapi ye/do.	<b>B:</b> My father is called <u>(David)</u> .
A: Ina yaye tóked eciyapi he?	A: What is your mother called?
<b>B:</b> Ina waye <u>(Karen)</u> eciyapi ye/do.	<b>B:</b> My mother is called <u>(Karen)</u> .
A: Tókiya henitaŋhaŋ he?	A: Where are you from?
B: (Mni Sóta Makoce) hemataŋhaŋ.	<b>B:</b> I am from <u>(Minnesota)</u> .

# Round 2

# Owapi (Colors)

<u>Dakota</u>	English
Śa	Red
Sápa	Black
Τ̈́ο	Blue
Zi	Yellow
Ska	White
Ġi	Brown
Staŋ	Purple

# Wamakaskan (Living Beings)

<u>Dakota</u>	English
Śúŋka	Dog
Ihmu	Cat
Mato	Bear
Waŋmdi	Eagle
Kéya	Turtle
Śúŋkawakaŋ	Horse
Tataŋka	Buffalo
Táhca	Deer

# Wóyawa (Numbers)

Dakota	English
Wáŋca	1
Núŋpa	2
Yámni	3
То́ра	4
Záptaŋ	5
Śákpe	6
Śakowiŋ	7
Śahdoġaŋ	8
Napciŋwaŋka	9
Wikcemna	10

### Round 3

### **Odowaŋ (Song Examples)**

#### Happy Birthday

Túŋpi aŋpetu waste Túŋpi aŋpetu waste Túŋpi aŋpetu waste Túŋpi aŋpetu waste

#### O Christmas Tree

O wazicaŋ, O wazicaŋ Adetka waś'agya nażiŋ Mdoketu adetka totoya Waniyetu ihuŋniya O wazicaŋ, O wazicaŋ Adetka waś'agya nażiŋ

### Itsy Bitsy Spider

Uŋktomi cístiŋna mnibosdi adi Amaġazu ka uŋktomi hiŋhpaye Wihinape ka maka apusya ka Ake uŋktomi cístiŋna mnibosdi adi

#### Head, Shoulders, Knees & Toes

Pa hiŋyete huṗahu siṗa, huṗahu siṗa Pa hiŋyete huṗahu siṗa, huṗahu siṗa išta nuġe i ṗoġe Pa hiŋyete huṗahu siṗa, huṗahu siṗa