

Word Origins Worksheet

Please complete the following Web Search using the links below. Make sure that you fill out the worksheet COMPLETELY! Take your time! We will be in the lab for 2 days! Good luck! This worksheet is worth 56 points. You will also be given 10 points a day for participation in the computer lab!

State Name Origins: *Please go to the following site to answer the following questions:*

<http://www.nativecircle.com/iicIndianWords.html>

Please give me the American Indian definition of the following state names:

1.) Alaska-

2.) Massachusetts-

3.) Dakota-

4.) Wyoming-

5.) Connecticut-

6.) Utah-

7.) Ohio-

8.) Alabama-

9.) Tennessee-

10.) Wisconsin-

11.) Idaho-

12.) Iowa-

13.) Oklahoma-

14.) Missouri-

15.) Michigan-

16.) Illinois-

17.) Arizona-

18.) New Mexico-

19.) Mississippi-

20.) Oregon-

21.) Arkansas-

22.) Texas-

23.) Minnesota-

24.) Indiana-

25.) Nebraska-

26.) Kansas-

27.) Kentucky-

Now, go to the following site and tell me which tribe this name originated from (for questions 1-27):

<http://www.infoplease.com/ipa/A0854966.html>

Words we see every day. I want you to use the following websites to locate the definition and origination of the following words we see every day:

<http://www.answers.com>

28.) Winnebago-

29.) Potato-

30.) Raccoon-

31.) Coyote-

32.) Tomato-

33.) Chipmunk

34.) Maize

35.) Moose-

36.) Skunk-

37.) Opossum-

38.) Toboggan-

39.) Igloo-

40.) Barbecue-

41.) Squash-

42.) Teton-

43.) Hickory-

44.) Chocolate-

45.) Bayou-

46.) Podunk-

47.) Tipi-

48.) Guacamole-

49.) Shasta-

50.) Sequoia-

51.) Seattle-

52.) Spokane-

54.) Pocatello-

55.) Winnemucca-

56.) Yakima-