

# Maachi Kashkihtow Mamawii ( Learning together, Sharing Métis Culture Workshop)

**Métis Nation British Columbia Ministry of Education presents a workshop in understanding, identifying, and supporting Métis children and culture in early years programming. Through an interactive workshop, facilitators will share information on Métis history and culture in Canada. Understanding who Métis are, and ways individuals can connect. Through cultural resources, facilitators will demonstrate how to incorporate cultural items into early years programs and activities, to ensure children learn more about the Métis culture. Métis children and families will begin to see themselves reflected in the programming provided within their community. Throughout the workshop participants and facilitators will encompass and reflect on the Métis core values while engaging in an interactive workshop that focuses on relationships, connectivity and collaboration of knowledge and learning.**

Jocelyn Stuart is the Métis Family Connections Navigator and Métis Child Care Navigation and Support Coordinator in the Kootenay region, and lives as a grateful settler on the traditional lands of the Sinixt people. Holding a diploma in Early Childhood Education and in the early learning field for 13 years, Jocelyn has held various roles supporting Indigenous children and families throughout her career. She carries with her facilitation experience and a sound knowledge of child development. Jocelyn comes from a background of mixed Scottish settler and Gitksan ancestry of the Fireweed Clan; and is the mother to a teenager and two bonus, pre-teen children. She enjoys spending time with her partner and children, playing golf or being on the land enjoying and connecting to our beautiful Mother Earth.



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