Coyote the Trickster

Talking about "Folktales"



Meet Coyote, an Aboriginal "Legend"



Questions about Coyote

- 1. Is there one story about Coyote or many?
- 2. Where is Coyote?
- 3. What does Coyote do?
- 4. What do "Coyote Markers" mark?

How do we talk about folktales?

Folktale: "a story passed down from generation to generation orally"

- tradition
- legend
- culture
- moral

Individual Presentations

Do you have a favourite folktale from your culture?

Prepare a **two minute** presentation to answer these questions:

- What is the title of the folktale?
- 2. Who is the main character (like Coyote)?
- 3. What happens?
- 4. What is the moral?

Work in Pairs

- 1. Why is folklore important in a society?
- 2. Is folklore becoming more or less important?
- 3. Is it good or bad that folklore is more/less important?

Exit Ticket

What is something you have learned about folklore today?

What role have stories played in your life?