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## INDIGENOUS ROLE MODEL

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My home community of Tataskweyak Cree Nation provides me with the opportunity to connect with my culture through hunting. During our hunting expeditions, my dad taught me to respect the animals we are hunting and the land around us. Volunteering in different areas makes me happy; I have assisted with a Pow Wow in my community, helped at a therapy farm, worked in my school garden, and taught my classmates some of the Cree language and traditions. This year I was accepted to a professional cooking program at my school, and I have discovered that I have a real passion for cooking.

After high school, I plan on completing my Red Seal Level 2 for cooking at Vancouver Career College or the University of the Fraser Valley. I want to start my career immediately by finding a job in a kitchen. Sharing meat with my community has made me realize how important my culture is. Our traditional hunting grounds and the game we harvested have helped me give back to my people in a meaningful way and have allowed me to provide for my family.



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