This unit plan for the Grade 8 Understanding Earth and Space Systems water unit allows educators to connect students to an Indigenous perspective while addressing the Ontario Science & Technology Curriculum.

Prior to beginning teaching, educators may wish to review the resource, *An Introduction to Indigenous Knowledge and Science*. Click here to access this resource.

Links for this unit plan include:

* [Water Unit Plan](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/water-unit/download)
* [Water Cycle Slides](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/water-cycle-slides/download)
* [Water Cycle Handout](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/watercyclelabelingworksheet/download)
* [Fresh Water and Salt Water Slides](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/fresh-water-and-salt-water-slides/download)
* [Desalination Slides](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/desalination-slides/download)
* [Article - Making seawater into drinking water with the help of the sun](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/making-seawater-into-drinking-water/download)
* [Article - Vital lakes disappearing around the world](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/vital-lakes-disappearing/download)
* [Article - Why Cape Town Is Running Out of Water, and Who’s Next](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/cape-town-water/download)
* [Contaminants in Water Slides](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/contaminants-in-water-slides/download)
* [Contaminants in Water Worksheet](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/contaminants-in-water-worksheet/download)
* [Contaminants in Water - Answers](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/contaminants-in-water/download)
* [Article - Traditional Knowledge](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/traditional-knowledge/download)
* [Hydroelectric Power Slides](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/hydroelectric-power-slides/download)
* [A History of Bottled Water Slides](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/history-of-bottled-water-slides/download)
* [Nestle and First Nations Resource](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/nestle-and-first-nations/download)
* [End of Unit Task Slides](https://stao.ca/cms/en/resources/indigenous-peoples/water-unit-task-slides/download)