

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

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September 30 marks the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

The day honours the children who never returned home and Survivors of residential schools, their families and communities. Many in-person and online events will take place on September 30 and in the days that follow as a vital component of the reconciliation process.

From September 22 to October 4, Mount Royal University will commemorate the signing of Treaty 7, the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, Orange Shirt Day, and Sisters in Spirit Day with a series of activities hosted by the Office of Indigenization and Decolonization.

[Visit MRU's Journey to Indigenization page to register and for the full program of events.](#)

[Online registration](#) is recommended but not required for all events.

Please engage respectfully with Elders, internal and external MRU speakers, staff, students, and volunteers. And remember that this day, any of the planned activities, and related media coverage may be difficult for those impacted by the tragic and painful history and the ongoing impacts of residential schools.



Upcoming MRU Events

- [sept. 28: reconciliation: what does it mean for you?](#)
- [sept. 28: judy and jody bear, bsct students](#)
- [sept. 28: cps partnership on indigenization](#)
- [sept. 29 – 30: wear an orange shirt](#)
- [sept. 29 – oct. 3: orange shirt campaign](#)
- [sept. 29: every child matters booths with buttons](#)
- [sept. 29: elder roy bear chief reads you hold me up](#)
- [sept. 29: every child matters march](#)
- [sept. 29: acknowledging national day for truth and reconciliation](#)
- [sept. 29: orange cupcakes](#)
- [sept. 29: gardens and grounds walking tour](#)
- [sept. 29: paulette fox](#)
- [sept. 29: beverly hungry wolf](#)
- [sept. 30: offering of painted buffalo robe to the mru president and vice-chancellor and special guests](#)
- [sept. 30: lament of the children and the day the earth cried musical concert](#)
- [sept. 30: cougars men's hockey game](#)
- [oct. 3: blackfoot way of life with kent ayoungman](#)
- [oct. 3: iyârhe nakoda way of life with alice kaquitts](#)
- [oct. 3: tsuu'tina way of life with bruce starlight](#)
- [oct. 4: wear red](#)
- [oct. 4: red dress campaign](#)
- [oct. 4: the canadian library's mmiwg book art installation](#)
- [oct. 4: sisters in spirit vigil and march](#)
- [oct. 4: the canadian library mmiwg book art installation talk](#)
- [oct. 4: stardale's Indigenous teenage female drummers](#)
- [oct. 4: closing prayer with wanda first rider](#)

MRU Events held to date

- [sept. 22: pipe ceremony and face painting.](#)
- [sept. 22: the treaty relationship with tracy mchugh](#)
- [sept. 22 – oct. 4: campus lit up in orange](#)
- [sept. 23: elder relationships with alvine and spike eagle speaker](#)
- [sept. 23: elder ruth scalplock](#)
- [sept. 26: community futures first nation women's entrepreneurial program](#)
- [sept. 27: old sun college mou](#)

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