### “Comparing World Religions/Philosophies with Oceti Sakowin Origins” | OSEU 3: Culture & Language

#### Compelling Question
How might the origin story of the Oceti Sakowin be similar or different to that of other religions around the world?

#### Standards and Practices
- **9-12.G.5.2** Identify and explain the characteristics, distribution, and complexity of Earth’s various cultures.
- **OSEU 3.3** – Recall Oceti Sakowin sacred sites, creation stories, and star knowledge and describe how they relate to each other, and how they are still used today on and off the reservation.

#### Staging the Question
Compare the various origin beliefs of world religions such as Buddhism, Confucianism, Hinduism, Islam, Judaism, Christian, Sikhism, to that of the Oceti Sakowin.

#### Supporting Question 1
What are the major points in the origins of the World Religions?

#### Supporting Question 2
What are the major points in the Origin Story as told by Duane Hollow Horn Bear?

#### Supporting Question 3
What are the major points in the Origin Story as told by Duane Hollow Horn Bear?

#### Formative Performance Task
Complete a graphic organizer that compares the world’s major religions.

#### Formative Performance Task
Make a tri-fold pamphlet that outlines the major points in the origin stories of each religion for each page.

#### Featured Sources
- [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m6dCxo7t_aE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m6dCxo7t_aE)
- [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MHbXk63wMTI](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MHbXk63wMTI)

#### Summative Performance Task
**Argument**
Write an essay that compares the origins of mankind using elements of all of the belief systems that were studied.

**Extension**
Create a poster that compares one major religion with the religious beliefs of the Oceti Sakowin.

#### Taking Informed Action
Invite an Oceti Sakowin holy man to your class to explain how spirituality plays an important part of our lives.

Attend a Powwow to learn more about the spirituality of the Oceti Sakowin.