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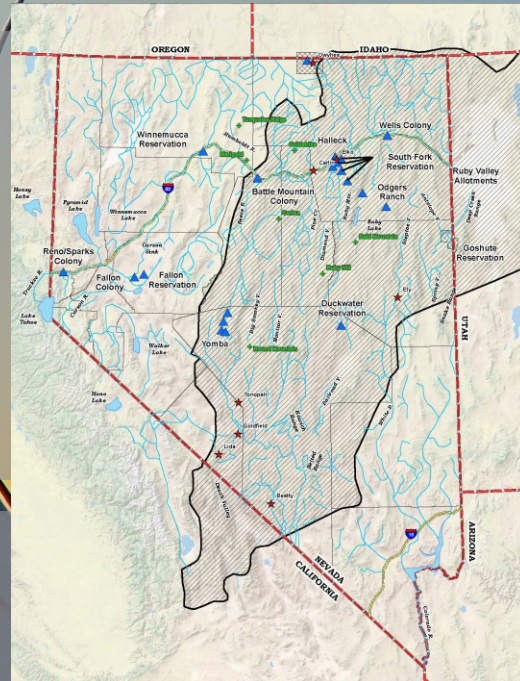


Sam Broncho
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Te-Moak Elko Band / Tosa Wihi Band
BA Linguistics, University of Utah
Attended Elko schools and
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SYLAP 2009-2014

2016-Present GBC
Shoshone Instructor

Language: Shoshone / English



The Shoshonean Numic branch of the Uto-Aztecan language family speak Shoshone, Comanche, Timbisha and Goshute. These languages are closely related and sound similar; together they comprise the Central Numic branch of Numic. Not all of these languages reside within the Western Shoshone territory. Shoshone is divided into three separate territories and are known as the Northern Shoshone in Idaho, the Eastern Shoshone in Wyoming and the Western Shoshone in Nevada.



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Yomba Shoshone Tribe
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Learned Shoshone from grandparents
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Language: English / Shoshone

SYLAP 2009, 2015, 2016



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Introducing

The Shoshone Community Language Initiative (SCLI)

Hosted by the
GBC Great Basin Indian Archives

»»»»» Dammen Newe Daigwan Suande «««««
Our people wanting to speak Shoshone



July 5-August 4, 2017



SCLI

Dammen Newe
Daigwan Suande

SCLI application is open to students who will be in 10th-12th grades for the 2017-2018 school year.

Students who are affiliated with the following Western Shoshone tribes are eligible to apply:

- Battle Mountain Band
- Duck Valley
- Duckwater
- Elko
- Ely
- South Fork Band
- Wells Band
- Yomba

SCLI is a four-and-a-half week program hosted at Great Basin College for high school students.

If you're accepted into SCLI, you will:

- Experience college
- Reside on campus
- Earn college credit
- Meet new friends
- Have fun learning!
- Applicants may be eligible for a stipend.

Former language participants are encouraged to apply.



Mission Statement

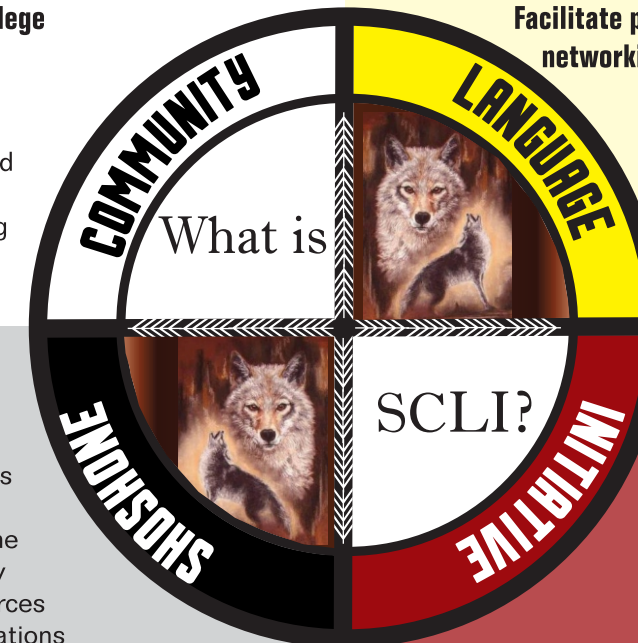
To establish a Shoshone Community Language Initiative (SCLI) at GBC campus for Western Shoshone youth to enrich their cultural awareness.

Introduce Shoshone youth to a college experience:

- Earn a foreign language credit
- Experience college campus and lifestyle
- Have an introduction to writing and speaking Shoshone

Facilitate peer-to-peer project collaboration and networking:

- Meet other Newe students from the greater Western Shoshone Nation
- Build team relationships
- Visit other Shoshone communities
- Establish life-long friendships
- Complete language program projects



Develop relationships with Shoshone communities:

- Experience working with elders
- Learn from elders
- Learn about Western Shoshone history and aboriginal territory
- Learn about community resources
- Learn about Shoshone reservations

Enhance awareness of Shoshone culture and personal identity:

- Reconnect to Shoshone culture and traditions
- Learn your tribal history and significance
- Learn about traditional foods
- Learn about traditional/creation stories
- Visit important cultural Shoshone sites
- Experience traditional cultural arts and games

