AILDI-Santa Ana Workshop - September 26-27, 2019 Re-Surfacing Our Ancestral Map

Thursday, September 26: "Taking Stock"

- Immersion introduction (using Hopi)
- Where does our ancestral language live today?
- What beliefs about language teaching, language learning and language learners do we bring to our language work?
- In what ways do we bring our ancestral language into the classroom?
- What are my language/culture teaching needs?

Friday, September 27: "Re-surfacing Our Ancestral Map"

- How can a re-focus on the traditional enculturation process inform our work? Stages of language acquisition and development
- Where do we want our ancestral language to be used and by whom?
- What is the role of the brain in the language learning process?
- Demonstration Hopi immersion lessons/language script/lesson plan:
 - 1. Song
 - 2. Planting corn
 - 3. Making piiki
- Examples of language materials development
 - 4. Children's Book
 - 5. Hopi Children's Wordbook Teacher Manual
 - 6. Classroom routines/Daily Morning Routines (template)

Supplies:

- Post it notepads (3x5 size of index cards)
- Post it Chart paper
- Markers

Handouts/Materials (SNicholas/AILDI)

- Self-Assessment of Ancestral Language Competency
- Community and Personal Domains of Language Use
- Student Self-/LanguageTeacher Assessment of Ancestral Language Competency
- Oral Immersion Methodology and Strategies
- Degrees of Immersion Chart