

Enlighten the People: Jefferson and Native Americans

This guide directs to information on Thomas Jefferson and his experiences with Native Americans, both in Virginia and via communications with Lewis and Clark.

1. Thomas Jefferson Portal (<https://tjportal.on.worldcat.org/discovery>).

- When viewing an individual title, please click “View Description” to see more detail.

Jefferson and Native Americans (<https://tjportal.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=su%3A%28%22native+american%22+OR+indian%29+AND+%22jefferson%22%22>)

Sacagawea and the Lewis and Clark expedition (<https://tjportal.on.worldcat.org/search?databaseList=638&queryString=su%3Asacagawea+AND+lewis+and+clark+expedition>)

Lewis and Clark’s relations with Native Americans (<https://tjportal.on.worldcat.org/search?queryString=su%3A%22relations+with+indians%22+AND+%28%22lewis+meriwether%22+OR+%22clark+and+jefferson%22%22&search-page&clusterResults=false&scope=>

2. Thomas Jefferson Encyclopedia (<https://www.monticello.org/site/research-and-collections/tje>).

Wasconsca (<https://www.monticello.org/site/research-and-collections/wasconsca-silhouette>).

Tahawarra (<https://www.monticello.org/site/research-and-collections/tahawarra-silhouette>).

Shegagahega (<https://www.monticello.org/site/research-and-collections/shegagahega-silhouette>).

Sagessaga (<https://www.monticello.org/site/research-and-collections/sagessaga-silhouette>).

Jefferson’s Excavation of an Indian Burial Mound (<https://www.monticello.org/site/research-and-collections/jeffersons-excavation-indian-burial-mound>).

3. Founders Online (<https://founders.archives.gov>).

Indian (correspondence from Thomas Jefferson to Meriwether Lewis)
(<https://founders.archives.gov/index.xqy?q=%22indian%22+Author%3A%22Jefferson%2C+Thomas%22+Recipient%3A%22Lewis%2C+Meriwether%2C+Lewis%22%22>)

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4. Thomas Jefferson's Libraries Project (<http://tjlibraries.monticello.org>).

Indian (<http://www.librarything.com/catalog/ThomasJefferson&deepsearch=indian>).

5. Monticello (<https://www.monticello.org/>).

Jefferson and American Indians (<https://www.monticello.org/thomas-jefferson/louisiana-lewis-clark/origins-of-the-expedition/jefferson-and-american-indians/>).

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