

## **A Few of the Many Native American Words which are Now also Part of the English Language**

Chipmunk, Woodchuck, Skunk, Moose, Coyote, Muskrat, Opossum, Raccoon, Quahog, Squash, Succotash, Pumpkin, Tomato, Potato, Pemmican, Hominy, Hickory, Hurricane, Toboggan, Moccasin, Uh Huh (yes), Massachusetts, Nashua, Souhegan, Penacook, Pennichuck, Monadnock, Amoskeag, Pemigewasset, Connecticut, Mississippi, Missouri, Illinois, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Dakota, Utah, Nebraska, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota – to mention just a few!

Some Suggested Activities;

To help remember these words, please draw a picture showing as many of these beings / concepts as possible in one scene. Your picture can be realistic or a sketch: serious or funny. Use your imagination!

Alternately, write one interesting sentence including as many of these words as possible. You could also write a paragraph, a story, or a poem...