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WADE FERNANDEZ MENOMINEE NATION Musician, Songwriter, & Performer

ABOUT THE ARTIST

With Menominee roots that extend well over 12,000 years to the land that is now called Wisconsin, Wade Fernandez, Wiciwen Apis-Mahwaew, has been sharing his musical art and respectfully representing the Menominee culture on stages and classrooms worldwide for over 25 years. As an enrolled member of the Menominee Nation, he lives on the reservation where he and his family both live a contemporary life; they gather and hunt the traditional foods in the forests of their ancestors and strive to live in a respectful, honorable, and sustainable way. Wade is an international award winning musician/recording artist/songwriter/producer who performs with voice, guitar, Native American flute, and hand drum. As a certified teacher with extensive educational experience in classroom, on the stage, and parenting (proud father of 5), Wade combines a wealth of experience, a warm personality, and a sense of humor that has kept students and audiences repeatedly inviting him back year after year.

OFFERINGS

- Finding Your Voice Through The Native American Flute**
Grades K-5
- Menominee Culture, History, and Social Issues, A Multimedia Presentation**
Grades 6-12
- Music Workshop**
All Grades
- Erasing Stereotypes Through Arts & Culture**
Grades K-5
- Performance**



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