

ONEIDA



NATION

Vision:

A Nation of strong families built on
Tsi ʔNiyukwaliho TÁ and a strong economy

Mission Statement:

To strengthen and protect our people,
reclaim our land and enhance the environment by
exercising our sovereignty

Core Values

The Good Mind

as expressed by Onʔyoteʔa•ká

Kahletsyalúsla (*Gahlay-ja-loo-sla*)

The heart felt encouragement of the
best in each of us

Kanolukhwásla (*Gano-loo-kwa-sla*)

Compassion, caring, identity,
and joy of being

Kaʔnikuhli•yó (*Ga-nee-goo hlee yo*)

The openness of the good spirit and mind

Kaʔtshatstʔsla (*Ga-stat-stuh-sla*)

The strength of belief and vision as a People

Kalihwi•yó (*Galeeh-wee-yo*)

The use of the good words about
ourselves, our Nation, and our future

Twahwahtsíláyʔ (*Dwah wah jeeleye*)

All of us are Family

Yukwatsistáyʔ (*You-gwa-jees-stai*)

Our fire, our spirit within each one of us