

2025 Oklahoma Native American Youth Language Fair

6th – 12th Grade Winners

6th – 8th Grade Age Division

6th – 8th Grade Book

1 st Place	Luna Jacobs <i>Cougar and Grizzly</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK
2 nd Place	Pehan Redcorn <i>Bunny & Bear</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK
3 rd Place	Story Bear <i>Bed Bug</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK
Honorable Mention	Shane Ventura-Cass <i>Bugs</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK

6th – 8th Grade Comic and Cartoon

1 st Place	Mocs Primeaux <i>Brain Rotman Analog Horror</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK
2 nd Place	Malana McGlaston <i>Hide and Seek</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK

3 rd Place	Alexandria Jacobs <i>4 Weathers</i> Edmond Public Schools Indian Education Cheyenne Edmond, OK
Honorable Mention	Adele Greeley <i>Heitowatoo</i> Arapaho Language and Culture Program Arapaho Watonga, OK

6th – 8th Grade Comic and Cartoon – Comic Book

1 st Place	Signy Redcorn <i>The Lost Sheep & the Brave Fox</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK
2 nd Place	Alice DeLeon <i>A Bunny Escapes</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK

6th – 8th Grade Film and Video

1st Place	Otoe-Missouria Youth Program <i>Waruje Chi</i> Otoe-Missouria Youth Program Otoe-Missouria Red Rock, OK
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6th – 8th Grade Mobile Video

1 st Place	Raiden Bible, Micah Littlecrow & Kindall Warrior <i>HUMBA</i> Otoe-Missouria Youth Programs Otoe-Missouria Meeker, OK
2 nd Place	Sixth Grade Boys <i>Playing “Uno” in Cheyenne</i> Hammon Public Schools Cheyenne, OK Hammon, OK

6th – 8th Grade Poster Art Winners

1 st Place	Lottice Redcorn First Bell Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, Ok
2 nd Place	Luna Jacobs World Language Drum Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK
3 rd Place	Joanna Warrior Princess Saying Her Stuff Otoe-Missouria Youth Program Otoe-Missouria Red Rock, OK
Honorable Mention	Parker Lawrence Untitled Edmond Public Schools Indian Education Cherokee Edmond, OK
Honorable Mention	Joseph Scott Untitled Choctaw Language Class/Hartshorne Public Schools Choctaw Hartshorne, OK
Honorable Mention	Esther Warrior Beauty in Season Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK

6th – 8th Grade Individual Spoken Language

1 st Place	Da'leigh Johnson <i>Pledge in Mississippi Choctaw</i> Choctaw Language Class Choctaw Hartshorne, OK
2 nd Place	Averie Herl <i>Chickasaw Introduction and Animals</i> Edmond Public Schools Indian Education Chickasaw Edmond, OK

3rd Place Jayleigh Harjo
 How the Earth Was Made
 Euchee Language Learning Center
 Euchee (Yuchi)
 Glenpool, OK

6th – 8th Grade Duet Spoken Language

1st Place Michaela and Aashari
 Conversation in Cheyenne
 Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes
 Cheyenne
 Watonga, OK

6th – 8th Grade Small Group (7) Spoken Language

1st Place Jones Academy Elementary
 Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma Salute
 Choctaw Language Class
 Choctaw
 Hartshorne, OK

6th – 8th Grade Individual Spoken Poetry

1st Place John Ben Seidner
 Hqwe Waxonyitq Uyqwe
 Otoe-Missouria Tribe
 Jiwere
 Midwest City, OK

6th – 8th Grade Individual Spoken Prayer (Group A)

1st Place Clay Donelson
 Lord's Prayer
 Kaw Tribe
 Kaw
 Kaw City, OK

2nd Place Audrina
 God is Good, God is Great
 Arapaho Language and Culture Program
 Arapaho
 Watonga, OK

3rd Place Tvpvsanv Cargil
 Summer Prayer
 Euchee Language Learning Center
 Euchee (Yuchi)
 Glenpool, OK

Honorable
Mention Averie Herl
 Chickasaw Prayer
 Edmond Public Schools Indian Education
 Chickasaw
 Edmond, OK

6th – 8th Grade Individual Spoken Prayer (Group B)

1st Place Tori Hayden
 Mealtime Prayer
 Osage Nation Language Department
 Osage
 Ponca City, OK
2nd Place John Ben Seidner
 Wagiroxi
 Otoe-Missouria Tribe
 Otoe-Missouria
 Midwest City, OK
3rd Place Tito Noriega
 Summer Prayer
 Euchee Language Learning Center
 Euchee (Yuchi)
 Glenpool, OK

6th – 8th Grade Small Group (4-7) Skit/Short Play

1st Place DA 6th Grade Class
 Weather Report
 Daposka Ahnkodapi
 Osage
 Pawhuska, OK
2nd Place DA 7th & 8th Grade Class
 Osage Skit
 Daposka Ahnkodapi
 Osage
 Pawhuska, OK
3rd Place CICS 6th Grade Class
 Making a Robot
 Cherokee Charter Immersion School
 Cherokee
 Tahlequah, OK

6th – 8th Grade Medium Group (10-17) Skit/Short Play

1st Place Tajé Sage
 Coyote and the Mice
 Kaw Tribe
 Kansa/Kaw
 Newkirk, OK

6th – 8th Grade Individual Modern Song

1st Place Maggie Rhodes
 Will the Circle be Unbroken
 Grand View School
 Cherokee
 Tahlequah, OK

2nd Place Adele Greeley
 Honoabee heriisiineb
 Arapaho Language and Culture Program
 Arapaho
 Watonga, OK

6th – 8th Grade Small Group (7-9) Modern Song

1st Place 6th & 7th Grade Class
 Lean On Me
 Grand View School
 Cherokee
 Tahlequah, OK

6th – 8th Grade Large Group (29) Modern Song

1st Place Chipota Chikashashanompoli
 Cha Cha Hilha'
 Chipota Chikashashanompoli – Children Speaking Chickasaw Club
 Chickasaw
 Ada, OK

6th – 8th Grade Individual Traditional Song

1st Place Kari Jo Quoetone
 Only Trust in Him
 Caddo Nation Childcare Program
 Caddo
 Anadarko, OK

2nd Place Constance Smith
 The Way the Father Told Us
 Caddo Nation Childcare Program
 Caddo
 Binger, OK

3 rd Place	Sarv Wolf <i>Hvthvyatken Viicecet</i> Oklahoma City Public Schools Creek Oklahoma City, OK
Honorable Mention	Anthony Monoessy, Jr. <i>Lakota Sun Dance Song</i> Riverside Indian School Lakota Anadarko, OK

6th – 8th Grade Duet Traditional Song

1 st Place	Maggie and Grace <i>Beautiful Home</i> Grand View School Cherokee Stilwell, OK
2 nd Place	Maggie and Grace <i>Orphan Child</i> Grand View School Cherokee Stilwell, K
3 rd Place	Athena and Khole <i>Espokestis Omes Kerrosot</i> Oklahoma City Public Schools Oklahoma City, OK
Honorable Mention	Alannah and Sadie <i>Kiowa Hymn</i> Riverside Indian School Kiowa Anadarko, OK

6th – 8th Grade Trio and Quartet Traditional Song

1 st Place	Viven, Brooklyn, Tavery and Arena <i>God's Children</i> Grand View School Cherokee Tahlequah, OK
2 nd Place	Izhinke, Jianna and Pehan <i>Osage Song</i> Daposka Ahnkodapi Osage Pawhuska, OK

3 rd Place	Viven, Brooklyn, Tavery and Arena <i>Orphan Child</i> Grand View School Cherokee Tahlequah, OK
Honorable Mention	Vera-Marie, Serinity, Unique and Nicholas <i>Vba Isht Taloa 183</i> Oklahoma City Public Schools Choctaw Oklahoma City, OK

6th – 8th Grade Small Group (6-8) Traditional Song

1 st Place	Kiononia Indian Mennonite Church <i>Jesus Hemeo'o-Honor Song</i> Kiononia Indian Mennonite Church Cheyenne Clinton, OK
2 nd Place	Grand View School <i>Sunday School Song</i> Grand View School Cherokee Tahlequah, OK
3 rd Place	Daposka Ahnkodapo 7 th Grade <i>Osage Song</i> Daposka Ahnkodapo Osage Pawhuska, OK
Honorable	CICS 6 th Grade <i>Canaan</i> Cherokee Charter Immersion School Cherokee Tahlequah, OK

6th – 8th Grade Medium Group (10-15) Traditional Song

1 st Place	Otoe-Missouria Youth Program <i>Church Song</i> Otoe-Missouria Youth Program Otoe-Missouia Red Rock, OK
2 nd Place	Cherokee Pride <i>Cannan's Land</i> Rocky Mountain School Cherokee Stilwell, OK

3 rd Place	CICS 7 th Grade <i>Planting Corn Dance</i> Cherokee Charter Immersion School Cherokee Tahlequah, OK
Honorable Mention	CICS 6 th Grade <i>Cherokee Bear Dance</i> Cherokee Charter Immersion School Cherokee Tahlequah, OK

6th- 8th Grade Large Group (30-32) Traditional Song

1 st Place	Carnegie Middle School Kiowa Class <i>Kiowa Christian Hymn</i> Carnegie Public Schools Kiowa Carnegie, OK
2 nd Place	Otoe-Missouria Youth Programs <i>Take the Name of Jesus with You</i> Otoe-Missouria Youth Programs Otoe-Missouria Red Rock, OK

9th – 12th Grade Age Division

9th – 12th Grade Book

1 st Place	Jennifer Rodriguez <i>Respect The ... Showing Respect as a Kiowa</i> Anadarko Public Schools Kiowa Anadarko, OK
2 nd Place	Michaela Pratt <i>Guess the Animal</i> Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools Osage Pawhuska, OK
3 rd Place	Madison Bighorse <i>I Spy</i> Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools Osage Pawhuska, OK

Honorable Mention	Brylee Rumsey <i>What is the Possum Doing?</i> Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools Osage Pawhuska, OK
Honorable Mention	Blakely, Braydee & Jaidyn <i>Hushi Na Yukhpa (The Happy Bird)</i> Valiant Public Schools Choctaw Valiant, OK
Honorable Mention	Cortlynn Jech <i>The Green Turtle</i> Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools Osage Pawhuska, OK

9th – 12th Grade Comic and Cartoon

1 st Place	William “Tuc” Schultz <i>Lhakofichi</i> Chipota Chikashshanompoli/Byng High School Chickasaw Byng, OK
2 nd Place	Olivia Worcester <i>Himona Ki’Yo</i> Chipota Chikashshanompoli/Byng High School Chickasaw Byng, OK
3 rd Place	Jaxon Arnett <i>Talking with Grandma</i> Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools Osage Pawhuska, OK
Honorable Mention	Kylee Parnacher <i>Yopola</i> Chipota Chikashshanompoli/Byng High School Chickasaw Byng, OK

9th – 12th Grade Comic and Cartoon – Comic Book

1 st Place	Teagan Gouge <i>Speaking my Kiowa Language through Comics</i> Anadarko Public Schools Kiowa Anadarko, OK
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2 nd Place	Kylee Ruff & Laney Lefthand <i>Waráwe/Wethawa/hetwan</i> Frontier Public Schools Jiwere Red Rock, OK
3 rd Place	Haden Johnson <i>Jesus Minke Rigragina</i> Otoe-Missouria Language Department Jiwere Red Rock, OK

9th – 12th Grade Mobile Video

1 st Place	Meeker High School Sauk Class <i>Let's Make Frybread</i> Meeker High School Sauk Meeker, OK
2 nd Place	Sophia Nimsey <i>Getting Ready for Kiowa Youth Council</i> Anadarko Public Schools Sauk Anadarko, OK
3 rd Place	Cadence Wolf <i>Language All Around Us</i> Choctaw School of Language Choctaw Talihina, OK
Honorable Mention	Echo, Merlina & Nevaeh Post <i>Finger Puppets Kiowa Style</i> Weatherford Public Schools Kiowa Weatherford, OK

9th – 12th Grade Group Film and Video

1 st Place	Hartshorne Choctaw 2 Class <i>The Betrayal</i> School of Choctaw Language Choctaw Hartshorne, OK
2 nd Place	Rock Creek Choctaw 2 Class <i>Creative Kills the Ishkitini</i> School of Choctaw Language Choctaw Bokchito, OK

3rd Place Poteau Choctaw Language 1
 Palvska Vlwvsha Iksho Imma
 Poteau Public Schools
 Choctaw
 Poteau, OK

Honorable Hartshorne Choctaw I Class
Mention *You Are Not the Father*
 School of Choctaw Language
 Choctaw
 Hartshorne, OK

9th – 12th Grade Poster Art

1st Prize Arianna “AJ” Spottedwolf
 Nest̄sen̄senēstovv̄estse
 Kiononia Indian Mennonite Church
 Cheyenne
 Clinton, OK

2nd Prize Monica Daukei
 Taa Ahp̄
 Lawton Public Schools
 Comanche
 Lawton, OK

3rd Place Genevieve Barnett
 Rup’anyi
 Frontier Public Schools
 Jiwere
 Red Rock, OK

Honorable Ezabelle Chaddlesone
Mention *God Created Everything*
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

Honorable Ella Wallace
Mention *Language All Around Us*
 Osage Nation Language Department
 Osage

Honorable Talulah Sankadora
Mention *Steps of Tradition : A Walk through Culture*
 Weatherford Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Weatherford, OK

9th – 12th Grade Electronic Puppet Show

1st Prize Case, Xander & Kaden
 Kiowa Puppets
 Weatherford Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Weatherford, OK

9th – 12th Grade Individual Spoken Language (Group A)

1st Place Georgia Harjo
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 Oklahoma City Public Schools
 Creek
 Oklahoma City, OK

2nd Place Isaiah Fra
 Bringing to Life Storytelling in my Kiowa Language
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

9th – 12th Grade Individual Spoken Language (Group B)

1st Place Madison Bighorse
 Read with Me
 Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools
 Osage
 Pawhuska, OK

2nd Place Dayci Starr
 Teaching Cherokee
 Sequoyah High School
 Cherokee
 Tahlequah, OK

3rd Place Micah Onco
 My Narrative in My Language
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

Honorable Aleacia Frazier Walker
Mention *Sac and Fox Greeting*
 Edmond Public Schools
 Sauk
 Edmond, OK

9th – 12th Grade Trio Spoken Language

1st Place Araceli, Marley and AJ
 Cheyenne Introductions
 Kiononia Indian Mennonite Church
 Cheyenne
 Clinton, OK

9th – 12th Grade Large Group (15) Spoken Language

1st Place N̄m̄ Tekwap̄ Wahat̄
 Taa Wanatsiyaa
 Lawton Public Schools
 Comanche
 Lawton, OK

9th – 12th Grade Individual Spoken Poetry

1st Place Brooklyn Brown
 One Day
 Anadarko High School
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

9th – 12th Grade Group Spoken Poetry

1st Place N̄m̄ Tekwap̄ Wahat̄
 Taa N̄m̄ Tekwa ʉn̄
 Lawton Public Schools
 Comanche
 Lawton, OK

9th – 12th Grade Individual Spoken Prayer (Group A)

1st Place Neils Lockett
 Osage Prayers
 Osage Nation Language Department – Grayhorse/Fairfax
 Osage
 Fairfax, OK

2nd Place Brian Sivilai
 A Prayer Blessing upon the Choctaw People
 Stuart Public Schools
 Choctaw
 Stuart, OK

3rd Place Makiah Gibbs
 Bless Yourself
 Euchee Language Learning Center
 Euchee (Yuchi)
 Kellyville, OK

9th – 12th Grade Individual Spoken Prayer (Group B)

1st Place	Georgia Harjo <i>Mekusvpetv</i> Oklahoma City Public Schools Creek Oklahoma City, OK
2nd Place	Camden Schoggins <i>A Prayer Upon Our Nation and Language Fair</i> Stuart Public Schools Choctaw Stuart, OK
3rd Place	Brooklyn Brown <i>Let's Put God's Word Far Ahead</i> Anadarko Public Schools Kiowa Anadarko, OK
Honorable Mention	Adam Maker <i>I Want to Pray</i> Osage Nation Language Department-Grayhorse-Fairfax Osage Pawhuska, Ok

9th – 12th Grade Duet & Trio Spoken Prayer

1 st Place	Kylie Dickenson, Cheyenne Glbson & Jayda Bond <i>Chitokaka Im Anumpa libvsha</i> Valliant Public Schools Choctaw Valliant, OK
2 nd Place	Oske Bemo & Corbin Maggard <i>A Sauk Prayer</i> Meeker High School Sauk Meeker, OK
3 rd Place	Emmy Locket, Danene Long & Alissa Travis <i>Osage Prayers</i> Osage Nation Language Department – Grayhorse-Fairfax Osage Fairfax, OK

9th – 12th Grade Large Group Spoken Prayer

1st Place Nəm̃ Tekwap̃ Səm̃
 Taa Ahp̃
 Lawton Public Schools
 Comanche
 Lawton, OK

9th – 12th Grade Medium Group (10) Skit/Short Play

1st Place Broken Bow High School Language Team
 Nan Vlhpoa Aiyasha - The Zoo
 Broken Bow Public Schools
 Choctaw
 Broken Bow, OK

9th – 12th Grade Large Group (32) Skit/Short Play

1st Place Pawhuska High School Language Students
 Let's Handgame
 Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools
 Osage
 Pawhuska, OK

9th – 12th Grade Individual Modern Song

1st Place Audrina Greeley
 Neito'eno' Cihwoteesse'
 Arapaho Language and Culture Program
 Arapaho
 Watonga, OK

9th – 12th Grade Duet Modern Song

1st Place Kinley Hill and Penelope Williams
 Sinatra's Finest
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

2nd Place Landon Tisdal and Nickolas Washa
 Freedom
 Weatherford Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Weatherford, OK

3rd Place Brooklyn Brown
 Somewhere Over the Rainbow
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

9th – 12th Grade Small Group (4-8) Modern Song

- 1st Place Arapaho Language and Culture Program
 Amazing Grace
 Arapaho Language and Culture Program
 Arapaho
 Watonga, OK
- 2nd Place Arapaho Language and Culture Program
 Hinono'eitiit Gospel Song
 Arapaho Language and Culture Program
 Arapaho
 Watonga, OK
- 3rd Place Kiowa Language Class
 The Family of Baby Shark
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

9th – 12th Grade Medium Group (12-17) Modern Song

- 1st Place Weatherford Public Schools
 Star Spangled Banner
 Weatherford Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Weatherford, OK
- 2nd Place Yuchi Kids
 Cha Cha Slide
 Euchee Language Learning Center
 Euchee (Yuchi)
 Sapulpa, OK

9th – 12th Grade Individual Traditional Song (Group A)

- 1st Place Georgia
 Hvthyvtken Vliceet
 Oklahoma City Public Schools
 Creek
 Oklahoma City, OK
- 2nd Place Micah
 [gàui séñ: [bìñ dàu:gyà (The Kiowa Peyote Song)
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

3rd Place Kiowa Public Schools
 Kiowa Hymn
 Kiowa Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Kiowa, OK

9th – 12th Grade Individual Traditional Song (Group B)

1st Place Peggy Maynahonah
 Traditional Song of the Kiowas
 Carnegie Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Carnegie, OK

2nd Place John Jay
 Kiowa Hymn
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

3rd Place Levi Hulett
 Kiowa Hymn
 Riverside Indian School
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

9th – 12th Grade Duet Traditional Song (Group A)

1st Place Isaiah Fragua and Kylee Robedeaux
 [gáui dàu:k'yà dàu:gyà (Kiowa Church Song)]
 Anadarko Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Anadarko, OK

2nd Place Tyler Neel and Isaac Williams
 A Song for My People
 Osage Nation/Pawhuska Public Schools
 Osage
 Pawhuska, OK

9th – 12th Grade Duet Traditional Song (Group B)

1st Place Levi Huelett and Peggy Maynahonah
 Kiowa Traditional Song
 Carnegie Public Schools
 Kiowa
 Carnegie, OK

2 nd Place	Candelinn Toehay-Tartsah and Keaton Toehay-Tartsah <i>Kiowa Hymn</i> Riverside Indian School Kiowa Anadarko, OK
3 rd Place	Sophia Nimsey and Olivia Bible <i>Silent Night</i> Anadarko Public Schools Kiowa Anadarko, OK
Honorable Mention	Jayden and Devin <i>Cheyenne Honor/Prayer Song</i> Kiononia Indian Mennonite Church Cheyenne Clinton, OK

9th – 12th Grade Trio Traditional Song

1 st Place	Nevaeh Post, Echo Post and Merlina Post <i>Kiowa Storm Song</i> Weatherford Public Schools Kiowa Weatherford, OK
2 nd Place	Anthony Monoessy Jr., Decora Monoessy and Dezirae Monoessy <i>Lakota Sun Dance Song</i> Riverside Indian School Lakota Anadarko, OK
3 rd Place	Madison Lonewolf, Peggy Maynahonah and Michelle Tsotaddle <i>Singing for Our Kiowa People</i> Carnegie Public Schools Kiowa Carnegie, OK
Honorable Mention	Sine Cargil, Tvolope Cargil and Makiah Gibbs <i>Euchee Hymn</i> Euchee Language Learning Center Euchee (Yuchi) Kellyville, OK

9th – 12th Grade Small Group (4-7) Traditional Song

1 st Place	Shawnee Drum Group <i>Shawnee Drum Song</i> Riverside Indian School Shawnee Anadarko, OK
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2 nd Place	Comanche and Kiowa Group <i>Comanche and Kiowa Hymns</i> Riverside Indian School Comanche and Kiowa Anadarko, OK
3 rd Place	KIMC Girls <i>Jesus Nahoonósetano</i> Kiononia Indian Mennonite Church Cheyenne Clinton, OK
Honorable Mention	Arapaho Group <i>Arapaho Church Hymn</i> Riverside Indian School Arapaho Anadarko, OK

9th – 12th Grade Medium Group (10-16) Traditional Song

1 st Place	Kiowa Language Class <i>The Kiowa Love Doctor Returns</i> Anadarko Public Schools Kiowa Anadarko, OK
2 nd Place	Carnegie High School <i>Kiowa Christian Hymn</i> Carnegie Public Schools Kiowa Carnegie, OK
3 rd Place	Lawton Public Schools <i>I am Glad that I Came to Know You as God</i> Lawton Public Schools Kiowa Lawton, OK
Honorable Mention	Frontier High School <i>Jesus Mjnke Rigragina</i> Frontier Public Schools Jiwere Red Rock, OK

9th – 12th Grade Large Group Traditional Song

1st Place	Anadarko High School Kiowa Class <i>Hearing Daw-Kee's Word Comforts the Mourners</i> Anadarko Public Schools Kiowa Anadarko, OK
2nd Place	Pawnee High School Pawnee Class <i>Pawnee Traditional Song</i> Pawnee Public Schools Pawnee Pawnee, OK