Artists
communicate
ideas, emotions
& perspectives
through imagery

- I can create Art by combining a variety of material
- I consider the work habits of art professionals
- I can express meaning/intent/emotions & feelings through visual arts
- I can clearly express personal views, perspectives, feelings & values in my art
- I can use art to respond to local, regional, global issues
- I can create personally meaningful artworks that demonstrate an understanding & appreciation of cultural, environmental, historical & social context.

## **GEORGE LITTLECHILD**



## ARTIST STATEMENT

- If I were to ask myself why I create the art I do; I would have to answer: "It is what I was born to do. It is my passion, my joy, as my art has been there throughout my life's journey!"
- If I were asked what kind of art I create; I would answer by saying, "It is art that speaks from the heart, the social and the Political."
- My art is charged with energy & color, vibrant, magical, & thus enabling the soul to travel.
- I envision, I rely on the intuitive, the spiritual, the emotional. To tell stories through my art. I am a storyteller, a visualist. A conveyer of messages...
- I began to create art as a small boy. My foster mother saw that I had a talent, at a very young age. She was encouraging, loving... She saw the gift in me. Scribblers were filled, art lessons began at an early age... Art school, exhibition and books, lectures, and teaching.

CHIEF BOBTAIL, CHITTY CHAT CHATS TO RAVEN, 2014 Mixed Media on Paper,



Your assignment-Option 1

Select an image of a social/political issue that is important to you Add to the image with watercolr paints, pencil crayons, collage to <a href="make-a statement">make a statement</a> about how you feel about that issue, event, person

## Your assignment-Option 2

Create self portrait and use images, elements of your culture/history to create an artwork that reflects your cultural heritage, how you fit in your culture, how your culture has affected you

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PLAINS CREE MAN, DWELLS IN THE CITY, 2014

