

# Little Turtle

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The History Day Theme Is revolution, reaction, and reform but only two are needed. I chose Little Turtle because he ties to the two History Day themes revolution and reaction. His revolution was that he led the Native American Soldiers into the battles and after the war he

signed a treaty (Ray). The reaction to Little Turtle leading the soldiers into the war was that they won most of the wars and the Treaty of Greenville was introduced. The reaction to signing the treaty was that Native Americans made peace with each other and made peace with Americans (Ray). Signing the treaty also eradicated fighting, freed prisoners, and recreated a new border (Ray).

I wanted to learn more about Native American history in Indiana. I searched more into my Native American tribe which was in Indiana and I found Little Turtle. Little Turtle led the Native Americans into battle and signed the Treaty of Greenville (Hudson). He led them into the northwest war during 1785 to 1795 (Musick). He fought in four battles. He defeated a French group, led in the battle of Harmar's defeat, won against St. Clair in the Battle of Washba, and then finally lost in the Battle of Fallen Timbers (Sagamore of the Miami).

My research was conducted by me searching for Little Turtle's letters, websites, images, and books. I found most of my sources on Google and for my books I found on my home bookshelf because my family is Native American. Little Turtle's Letters to Thomas Jefferson were great primary sources because they came directly from Little Turtle. The websites were a great source of information and new knowledge. I used the websites for most of my National History Day website. My images gave me good visual descriptions of how it was in the time period. The books I found told me about information that I couldn't find on Google.

When I made my website I wanted an image as my home background but I quickly changed it to the blue design it has now. For the layout of my webpages I wanted each page

to have their own unique style while still keeping the same color and font. I made every page a little different by changing where the text and images were for each one. Almost all the images had Little Turtle as a main character in each image.