

Potawatomi	
Topic	Tribe
Reason for coming to Michigan	probably migrated from Northeast coast of North America to: escape war, to find better hunting or fishing grounds, follow seasons
Language	Algonquian
Where they lived in Michigan	southwestern Michigan
Where they lived in summer	summer: large groups lived in <u>farming</u> villages (didn't move often)
Where they lived in winter	small groups in forests to hunt
Housing	wigwam (birchbark)
Food	meat and fish; corn, beans, pumpkins, squash, melons, sunflowers; dried fish for winter
What they did in summer/fall	farming, hunting, fishing, trading
Natural resources used	animal bones for hooks, spears from rocks and branches, nets from vines; fur and animal skins for clothing
What they did in winter	hunted, collected food in forest
Men's jobs	hunted and fished; protection; trade; made tools
Women's jobs	grew corn, beans, pumpkins, squash
Trade?	yes
Population	about 40,000