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## OSAGE EDUCATION: HISTORY & IMPACT ON CULTURE - Review



**OSAGE EDUCATION TIMELINE:** On black time-line below, write in the stages of Osage education from Fact Sheet. In box above, put the name of the stage and dates, (2) In box below, put two facts about each stage

I. Self-Education Early times- 1821	II. Early Protestant Missions 1821-37	III. Osage Mission School 1847-72	IV. Osage Boarding School (govt) 1870's-1921	V. Off-reserv federal govt Boarding Schools 1880-1920	VI. On-reserv. Catholic Boarding Schools 1887-1948	VII. Public and Non-Indian Private Schools 1920's	VIII. Osage Nation Schools Today 2015 - present
(two facts each - answers will vary)							

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1. Put in your own words what Governor Joe said when he got home from the Osage Mission school. ["It took Father Schoenmaker fifteen years to make a white man out of me, and it will take just fifteen minutes to make an Osage out of myself."] answers vary - I can abandon their education in white culture a lot faster than it took them to give it to me, etc.
2. How does Joe's response represent the Osage's early resistance to formal education?  
They wanted to hang on to their Osage traditions and culture. They would pretend to take up the ways of the modern white world, but when returning to the reservation, also returned to the traditional life-style.
3. List the four factors which led to Osage cultural loss and assimilation between 1910 - 1930:
  - (a) Increasing exposure to white culture - interacting with white people who were majority population in their communities
  - (b) Attending public and non-Indian private schools
  - (c) Serving with whites in the military
  - (d) Their parents encouraged them to adapt to the white world