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Wahzhazhe: An Osage Ballet

Review Questions

1. *Wahzhazhe* means _____. It came from the French. The original Osage word for themselves is *Nee Oh-kah-shkahn* meaning _____.
2. *Wahzhazhe: An Osage Ballet* provides a _____ through dance and music.
3. Why might it be a good idea to tell history through and dance and music? _____

4. Write the names of two scenes which make you interested. Then go to the website "[The Story](#)" and read about those two scenes. Write a brief summary of what they are about:
 - a. Scene title: _____
Story summary: _____

 - b. Scene title: _____
Story summary: _____

5. Watch the dancing, costuming, and choreography and hear the stirring music in the [Osage Ballet Sizzle Reel](#). What is one thing you like about it: _____
6. What is one place outside of the Oklahoma region where the Osage ballet has been performed: _____
7. What does it take to create a ballet production? Tell three of the positions of people involved in creating *Whazhazhe: An Osage Ballet*:

8. *Whazhazhe: An Osage Ballet* honors the legacy of ballet created by the famous Osage ballerinas, Maria and Marjorie Tallchief. To continue this tradition, the _____
_____ Performing Arts Academy offers dance education opportunities to all young people in the area today.