STCC
A place for inclusion

Miami, OK
The Beginning
A cultural center should be for tribal members..... or visitors?

A cultural center should be active ......or peaceful?

At cultural center, it should be important to.....learn information or share your knowledge?

A cultural center should....talk to visitors or listen to visitors?

Formative Evaluation
Mission

To be the place for Shawnees to tell the story of the Shawnee past, how that informs and shapes Shawnees today, and who we see ourselves becoming tomorrow.
RFIs

Requests for information.
Our Community Value.
From Ancient Hands: Stories Fire and Clay

- Interactive experience
- STEAM-based activities
- Science is indigenous
- Tribe leads research
- Partnerships
- ATALM ‘Outstanding Project’ Award
Our Community

Diaspora.
“All the material was new to my children - they were excited and talked about Fort Ancient pottery for days after” - Nicole Andrews
Our Stories: Community Curated Exhibits

Flip the Script.
Tourism

The good, the bad, and the ‘oh no he didn’t’.
Niyawe

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