

# In This Issue . . .

## NiR Study Modules

Using print and video material from archival issues of *News in Review*, teachers and students can create thematic modules for independent assignments, and small group study.

## Related CBC Videos

Other videos available from CBC Learning; see the back cover for contact details.

## PUTTING A TAX ON CARBON (Start: 00:00; Length: 13:26)

This summer, Liberal Leader Stéphane Dion introduced a plan to reduce Canada's greenhouse gas emissions. The plan would place a new tax on carbon. Prime Minister Stephen Harper's Conservatives immediately attacked the plan, calling it a tax grab that would make gasoline even more expensive. In this *News in Review* story we'll look at the carbon tax debate and explain why it could become a big election issue.

### NiR Study Modules

Making Money by Going Green, May 2008  
Going Green to Fight Global Warming  
October 2007  
Dangers of Global Warming, May 2007  
A Call for Action on Climate Change  
March 2007  
The Big Melt: Canada's Changing Arctic  
September 2006  
After Kyoto: Trying to Cool the Planet  
February 2006  
Kyoto: The Battle Lines Are Drawn  
December 2002  
Canada's Long, Hot Summer, September 2002  
Ice Station SHEBA: The Warming Arctic  
September 1998

Cutting Emissions: New Fuels for Cars  
February 1998  
Global Warming: A Progress Report, May 1995  
Disappearing Ozone: Danger in the Sun?  
March 1992  
The Clean Air Act, December 1990

### Related CBC Videos

*Crude Awakening*  
*Land of Fire: Searching for Natural Gas Hydrate*  
*The Ghosts of Future's Past: Tom Berger in the North*  
*When is Enough, Enough?*  
*When Less is More*

## CHINA AND THE OLYMPIC GAMES (Start: 13:26; Length: 17:28)

On August 8, the 29<sup>th</sup> Olympic Games opened in the Chinese capital of Beijing. For the Chinese government the Games were not just a chance to host the biggest sporting event in the world, they were also a chance for the country to showcase its achievements as a rising global power. In this *News in Review* story we'll look at whether they succeeded and what happened when the Games got underway.

### NiR Study Modules

Tibet, China, and the Olympics, May 2008  
Beijing 2008: A Momentous Decision  
September 2001  
The Salt Lake City Olympics, March 2002  
U.S.-China: The Risks of Spying, May 2001  
The Sydney Olympics: Re-assessing the Costs, November 2000  
Tibet: A Rare Look, September 1999  
Olympic Corruption: Cleaning Up the IOC, April 1999  
The Winter Olympics: Canada Does Well  
March 1998  
Hong Kong: Back to China, September 1997

Special Olympics: Taking Part, April 1997  
Deng Xiaoping: China at the Crossroads  
April 1997  
The Olympics: Games People Play  
September 1996  
The UN Women's Summit: Two Weeks in China, October 1995  
China Today: A Correspondent's View  
September 1994

### Related CBC Videos

*China Rises*  
*Half the Sky: Women in China*

## **CANADA'S RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL APOLOGY (Start: 30:54; Length: 18:58)**

In June, the Government of Canada apologized to Aboriginal Canadians for the way they were treated in residential schools. Thousands of Aboriginal children were forced into government-financed schools where many suffered physical and sexual abuse. In this *News in Review* story we'll look at that sad chapter in Canadian history and at the moving ceremony in the House of Commons.

### **NiR Study Modules**

Neil Stonechild: The Boy in the Snow  
February 2005  
Saving the Native Children, February 2003  
Policing and Race in Canada, December 2002  
Racism: Then and Now, October 2001  
Children in Canada: In Harm's Way  
November 1996  
Native Claims: Growing Frustrations  
October 1995  
The Police and Changing Times  
December 1992  
Native Justice in Manitoba, October 1991  
Donald Marshall, September 1990  
Oka, September 1990

### **Related CBC Videos**

*Generations: Crowfoot Dynasty*  
*Reaching Out: Sandy Bay, SK*  
*Residential Schools*  
*Stolen Children*  
*Violation of Trust*

## **BOOM TIMES IN SASKATCHEWAN (Start: 49:52; Length: 13:25)**

After many lean years Saskatchewan has suddenly become an economic powerhouse. Soaring prices for oil, potash, wheat, and other products have brought new prosperity to the province. In this *News in Review* story we'll look at how these boom times are changing the lives of the people who live there.

### **NiR Study Modules**

Taking Off: Canada's Soaring Dollar  
November 2007  
Boom Times: Alberta's Red-hot Economy  
May, 2006  
Metal Mania: Canada's Mining Boom  
April 2006  
Oil and the Dollar: The Canadian Crunch  
December 2005  
Energy Shock: The Rising Price of Oil  
November 2004  
Rising Oil Prices: The New Energy Crisis  
April 2000

### **Related CBC Videos**

*Big Thirst: The Coming Drought*  
*Generations: 100 Years in Saskatchewan*  
*Geologic Journey*  
*Legacy: The Will to Survive*



Sections marked with this symbol contain content suitable for younger viewers.