

**Missouri Native American Bingo**  
**Calling Card Glossary**

**17<sup>th</sup> Century** – A.D. 1600-1699

**18<sup>th</sup> Century** – A.D. 1700-1799

**Archaeology** – study of past people through the objects and material they left behind

**Artifact** – any object made or altered by humans

**Atlatl** – spear thrower

**Bison** – important mammal hunted by the Osage on the Great Plains

**Bow-and-Arrow** – used in Missouri starting around 2,100 years ago

**Chiwere Siouan** – native language of the Missouri

**Corn, Beans, Squash** – primary crops historically grown by Osage and Missouri farmers

**Dhegia Siouan** – native language of the Osage and Kansa

**Father Jacques Marquette** – first European to write about the Missouri and the Missouri River

**History** – study of people through written records

**Kansa** – close relatives of the Osage, and the tribe that gave Kansas its name

**Kimmswick Bone Bed** – Paleoindian site at Mastodon State Historic Site

**Missouria** – Missouri native tribe

**Oral Tradition** – stories passed from generation to generation by the spoken word

**Osage** – native tribe from Missouri

**Osage Village State Historic Site** – a site where one can visit a historic Osage village

**Otoe** – tribe that the Missouri lived with after the 1790s

**“Oumessourit”** – the Illinois tribe’s name for the Missouri

**Paleoindian** – a term archaeologists use for the earliest people in North America

**Pawhuska, Oklahoma** – modern day headquarters of the Osage

**Prehistory** – before written history

**Red Rock, Oklahoma** – modern day headquarters of the Otoe and Missouri

***Smallpox*** – deadly disease introduced to the Native Americans by the Europeans

***Van Meter State Park*** – site where one can visit to learn about the Missouri and Osage

***Village*** – a settlement composed of many families

***White-tailed Deer*** – primary mammal hunted by the Missouri and Osage