

Template for Kullik-lighting and/or Smudging Sign:

KULLIK-LIGHTING

Kullik-lighting is a ceremonial Inuit tradition which involves the lighting of oil in a soapstone lamp. The smoke associated with this practice is minimal.

AND/OR

SMUDGING

Smudging is a First Nations purification ceremony involving the lighting of sacred plants such as juniper, sage or sweet grass. Although these plants have distinct aromas, the smoke associated with smudging is minimal.

Memorial University recognizes kullik-lighting and smudging as important Aboriginal cultural practices and, through its Kullik-lighting and Smudging Policy, these practices are incorporated into campus life. The Kullik-lighting and Smudging Policy may be viewed at www.mun.ca/policy

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