Native American County Vocabulary

Native American contributions are all around us. They are most evident in the many place names around Connecticut. Learn about your neighborhood with this list of towns, schools, rivers, and more!

If you would like to make an activity out of this packet, have students circle all of the words and/or locations they are familiar with. Then, discuss or write about how the meaning of the word reflects what is in that area. What plants, animals, and other resources are present? What activities could you do in that location, and what activities do you think Native people completed there in the past? If the word meaning does not make sense, think about how the land may have changed since a thousand years ago, and why it changed that way.

LITCHFIELD COUNTY

Algonquin State Forest – Algonquin – People of the other shore
Aquehonga – Mahican - High place or high bluff
Aspetuck River – Fish net place
Ashpatuck River – Paugussett - High place
Bantam – Mahican – He prays
Beezelake Pond – Muddy place or sticky place
Cowautacuck – Mahican - Pine woods place
Honkamonk Pond – Mahican – hook shaped lake
Housatonic River and State Forest – Mahican – At the place beyond the mountain
Keetutenny – Mahican – principal town
Kehek kettleooksook Pond – Mahican? Paugussett? – Outlet of large stream
Kenunck Pacooke Brooke – Mahican – where the body of water bends or turns
Kishkituckock – Mahican – by the river side
Konkapot River – Named for a Stockbridge Mahican chief – Long Spout
Marandus Brook – Natick – Cedar Swamp
Mattatuck State Forest – Paugussett – Without trees or badly wooed
Mauwee Brook, Lake, and Peak – Mahican – Hungry animal
Metichawon Falls – Mahican – Because of big rapids or the swift current
Muhhekeaneeew – Mahican – People of the flowing river
Muscoota – meadow or grassy land
Naromiyock nowhusun Kantank Shunk Brook –Mahican – Fishing place in the gravelly stream near the big hill
Noncook Pond – Mahican – Sandy place or at the shore
Nonnewaug River – Mahican - Dry land
Orenaug Hill – Quinnipiac? Paugussett? – Pleasant place
Pachgatgotch Hill – Mahican – Where the river divides
Pachquadnach – Mahican – at the mountain with bare, cleared sides
Panneheconnock – Mahican – spread out lakes
Paquabaug Island – Paugussett – Clear, open pond or shallow pond
Pateook – Mahican – Place at the falls
Pauquapaug Brook – Mahican – Clear water pond
Riscatacook – Mahican – At the river branch
Pishgachtigok – Mahican – Where the stream branches
Ponsamsick – Mahican- The place of fallen rocks
Scaticook- Mahican – Where rivers divide
Schaghatiaucake/Pishquachticook – Mahican – Where the river forks
Scoonups Brook – Mahican – Dark rocks
Sequassen Pond – Tunxis – Sachem of the Tunxis Indians
Shakameeko – Mahican? – Slippery fish or straight fish
Shepaug Reservoir and River – Tunxis – Great pond
Taghkannuc – Mahican – Wild lands
Tattaquamock-pangok Pond – Pond in the boggy trembling meadow
Unkapaukook – Mahican – Place at the bend in the pond
Wachocastinook Creek – Mahican – Land at the stony hill
Wachquatnach – Mahican – The end of the mountain
Wampee Pond – Paugussett – Clear Water
Wanashack Brook – Mahican – At the end place
Wangum or Wangam Lake – Paugussett - Bend
Wannuppe Island – Mahican – Good water or good pond
Wamonkapooke – Mahican – Crooked pond
Waramaug Lake – Mahican – Good fishing place
Washing – Mahican – Mountain country
Wassaic Stream – Mahican – Rocky land
Watchquadnach – Mahican – At the end of the mountains
Waweeco Brook – Mahican – Meandering or twisting
Wawayachtanook – Mahican – Place at the bend of the river
Wetatawananche Mountains – Mahican – Wigwam shaped mountain
Weatic – Mahican – at the village of wigwams
Webatuck Stream – Mahican – Narrow stream
Wecuppermee Stream – Mahican – Linden or bass wood inner bark
Weataaug – Paugussett – At the wigwam
Weepatuck Mountain – At the narrow passage
Wekopec Pond – Mahican – Wigwam or dwelling near pond
Wemesuck Brook – Mahican – Council place
Wenashego Brook – Mahican – Grapes country
Wetau Wadchu – Mahican – Wigwam shaped mountain
Wiatick – Mahican – Village of wigwams
Wiqusseck – Mahican – Place at the end of the marsh
Wiwinam River – Mahican – Land at the end of the river
Womenshenick Brook – Mahican – Place of the steep rocks
Wononpacook(kook) – Mahican – Land at the bend of the pond
Wononsc(k)opomuc Lake – Mahican – Rocks at the bend in the lake

HARTFORD COUNTY

Ammanatocksuck Hill – Wangunk – Lookout place on a hill near a brook outlet
Amonontuck Hill – Wangunk – Lookout place
Asnuntuck Brook – Agawam – Stony stream
Assawassuck – Wangunk – Place between
Congamuck Lake – Nipmuck – Long fishing place
Congamund Pond – Long enclosed fishing lake
Cushankamaug – Tunxis – Eel fishing place
Hassawassuck – Wangunk – Between two brooks
Kongsicut Mountain – Wangunk – At the high place
Mabauvantucksuck Hill – Wangunk – Outlet of rushing river
Magunkook- Wangunk – Place of large trees
Manatuck Hill – Massacoe – Lookout place
Manetic Reservoir – Tunxis – The high place
Manhannock Wright's Island – Wangunk – sheltered Island
Massaco(e) State Forest – Tunxis – Great lowland or outlet
Matacomacok Swamp – Sicaog – Bad going, where paths or trail are difficult
Matianuck – Pocasset – The lookout place
Mattaneaug – Sicaog – Abandoned fields
Mawnantuck Hill – Hill near swift running brook
Mayawaug – Tunxis – At the meeting place
Minnechaug Mountain – Wangunk – Berry mountain
Mohawk State Forest – (Name for Mohawks given by other tribes) – Cannibals, hungry animals, wolves
Muskehtu-auk Plain – Tunxis – Green grass place
Namareck – Podunk – Fishing place
Narshapogge – Wangunk – Two ponds near together
Nasshahegan State Forest – Tunxis – He has two houses
Naubuc – Wangunk – Overflowed, flooded
Nepash Stream – Sicaog – Upright stake
Nepaug Reservoir and River – Wangunk – Fresh pond
Nipsic – Wangunk – Fresh pool or water brook
Nowashe – Podunk – Between rivers
Onshaukamaug – Wangunk – Fishing place for eels
Ouschankamaug – Mahican – Eel fishing place
Pabachismskum – Tunxis – Fishing place at the bend of the stream
Pahegansue Hill – Wangunk – Bare hill place
Pantoosuck Mountain – Wangunk – At the falls in the brook
Paquanaug – Wangunk – Cleared lands
Paug – Sicaog – A pond
Pagansic Hill – Wangunk – Bare, unwooded place
Pequabuck River – Wangunk – Clear open pond
Podunk – Nipmuck – Where you sink in mire
Poggatossur Brook – Agawam – Clear pool
Poppotonuck Mountain – Tunxis – At the double mountains
Quebek – Tunxis – Enclosed place
Saukiog – Wangunk – The ground is dark
Scantic River – Nipmuck – Branch of the river
Scanticook – Nipmuck – At the river fork
Scatico – Nipmuck – Land at the river branch
Seaukum – Wangunk – Muddy place
Seche nayaug – Wangunk – Spring at the corner
Sicaog – Dark earth or muddy place
Somersic (Rattlesnake) Hill – Wangunk – At the large outlet
Sonkipaugsuck – Wangunk – Outlet of cold brook
Squituck – Tunxis – Red River
Suckiaug – Sicaog – Dark colored land
Tauchaug Meadow – Tunxis – Land at the brook
Terramuggus Lake – Name of Wangunk chief – Forest bear or digging bear
Tunxis State Forest (Tunxis sepos) – Tunxis – Fast flowing little stream
Unchemamuck – Wangunk – Fishing place for eels
Unshemamuck Pond – Tunxis – Eel fishing place
Upaquoag Woods – Wangunk – Land where rushes grow
Washiack – Mohegan – At the mountain
Wassio- Mohegan – Place or country beyond
Weatogue – Tunxis – At the wigwams place or he is at home there
Wemekei-amaug – Agawam – Boundary fishing place
Wenekocamaug – Tunxis – Near the boundary lake
Wepansock – Tunxis – Narrow place or ravine
Wongunk – Wangunk – The bend
Wongunshoake – Mohegan – Place at the bend

Tolland County

Auquebatuck Hill – Nipmuck – Top of tree
Hockanum River – Podunk – A hook
Mashapaug Pond and Village – Nipmuck – A large pond
Mogewetu – Podunk – A large dwelling or big house
Moshenupsuck – Nipmuck – Great brook
Nootimishash – Podunk – Oak trees
Owweonhungganuck – Nipmuck – Place where we gather eggs
Puttacawnaumshuck – Nipmuck – Place of the round rock
Sagumumpsketuck – Nipmuck – River that runs through hard rock
Shenipsit Lake – Mohegan – At the great pool
Skunkamug (Hop) River – Nipmuck – Eel fishing here
Snipsic Pond – Mohegan – The great outlet
Wabaquasset – Nipmuck – A place covered with rush matting
Wangom bog – Nipmuck – Crooked pond
Watchogash – Mohegan – Near the mountains
Watchoog Brook – Nipmuck – At the hill
Watuppa Pond – Nipmuck – Roots to be used in sewing
Weaxcashuck – Mohegan – At the end of the meadow or swamp
Wegquapamisk – Nipmuck – At the end of the rocks
Wepauc – Nipmuck – Edge of the pond
Wishquawwunsuck – Mohegan – Good brook at the end of the meadow
Willimantic Reservoir and River – Mohegan - Good cedar swamp
Wochokieskquas – Mohegan – Place near the mountains
Wongateeg – Mohegan – Place at the bend
Wuttochoquisk – Nipmuck – Rocky hill

WINDHAM COUNTY

Abaquage Pond – Nipmuck – Place where rushes grow
Acquebatuck Hill – Nipmuck – At the end of the river
1. Acqueedenuck or Acquidaneek – Mohegan or Nipmuck – Place beyond the hill
2. Acquiunk Falls and Hill – Nipmuck – Under a tree
3. Acquunkoke/ Acquunkquoke – Nipmuck – Elevated place or highland
4. Acunepequash Brook – Nipmuck – High level ground
5. Appaquag River – Nipmuck – Where flags (for making mats) grow
6. Aquibapaug Pond – Nipmuck – Before or alongside of the pond
7. Attawaugan – Nipmuck – A knoll or hill
8. Babaquamshk – Nipmuck – Split rock
9. Charggoggagoggmanchogaggogg Pond – Nipmuck or Mohegan – You fish on your side, I fish on my side, nobody fish in middle, no trouble
10. Chaubamaug – Nipmuck – Fishing place at boundary
11. Ekonk – Nipmuck – Bend or turn
12. Elat – Nipmuck – Towards the hills
13. Kuttutuck (Blackstone) River – Nipmuck – The great river
14. Manexit – Nipmuck – Path or gathering
15. Machimucket Brook – Nipmuck – Bad fish here
16. Mahnunsqueag – Nipmuck – Gravelly place
17. Mamaquog (part of the Natchaug River) – Mohegan – Small bait fish around here
18. Manhumsqueag – Mohegan – Whetstone place
19. Mashamoquet Brook and State park – Nipmuck – At the important fishing place
20. Mashentuck Brook and Mountain – Mohegan – Many trees
21. Mashenups Pond - Mohegan – Big rocks
22. Massomuck Stream – Nipmuck – Great fishing place
23. Maumansuck – Nipmuck – Where two streams meet
24. Mayanexit - Nipmuck – Where we gather
25. Momagegwetuck – Nipmuck – River abounding in small fish
26. Munnamommuck – Nipmuck – Island place
27. Nansquatog – Nipmuck – Above the confluence of two rivers
28. Nashawag – Nipmuck – Between two river branches
29. Natchaug State Forest – Nipmuck – Between rivers
30. Nemonunck or Nominick – Nipmuck – Land to be seen far off
31. Newichawannuck Hill – Nipmuck – Extended rapids at the fork in the river
32. Owunnegunset Hill – Mohegan – At the place of portage
33. Pachaug State Forest – Mohegan – Turning aside place
34. Pacomsuck Island – Nipmuck – Swift narrow brook
35. Paquantuck River – Nipmuck – Clear open or shallow river
36. Paskeegh – Nipmuck – At the branch of the stream
37. Patacomumscott - Nipmuck – Place of the round rock
38. Pattaquodtuck – Nipmuck – Round hill near the river
39. Pautapaulg Hill – Nipmuck – The jutting cove or pond
40. Pautipaug – Nipmuck – Miry land
41. Peagwompsh – Nipmuck – Bare rocks
42. Pemenos – Nipmuck – Small path or narrow trail
43. Pompwanganug Hill – Nipmuck – Where the trail turns or bends
44. Powntuck - Nipmuck – River falls
45. Quaddick State Park and Reservoir – Nipmuck – Bend in the river
46. Quanatusset – Nipmuck – At the long brook
47. Quantisset – Nipmuck – Long brook
48. Queghommatch – Nipmuck – Shaking or trembling mountain
49. Quadnic River and Pond – Nipmuck – Place at the end of a hill
50. Quinebaug Pond – Nipmuck – Long pond
51. Quinnatisset Brook and Pond – Long brook or little long river
52. Sagiask – Nipmuck – Hard rocks
53. Segunesit – Nipmuck – Where we go in spring or early summer
54. Senexet Valley and Meadow – Nipmuck – Place of small stones
55. Tatnic Brook and Hill – Nipmuck – At the great hill
56. Towcocks – Nipmuck – Cold place or cold weather
57. Tuckachawan – Nipmuck – Mist over the wooded hill
58. Uhquanchaug – Nipmuck – At the end of the hill
59. Wanungatuck Brook and Hill – Mohegan – Winding river or at the river bend
60. Wappaqua Brook – Flags or cattails
61. Wappaquassett Pond – At the place of flags or cattails
62. Wequepamish – Nipmuck – Place at the end of the rocks
63. Weyouchaug – Nipmuck – As far as the mountains
64. Wickaboxet – Nipmuck – End of the small pond
65. Willamantic River and Reservoir – Mohegan – Good cedar swamp
66. Winicowett – Nipmuck – Place of good pines
67. Wishquagawans – Nipmuck – Mist over the end of the meadow
68. Wishquodiniack – Nipmuck – Place of the walnut tree
69. Wonkituck – Nipmuck – Crooked river
70. Yeushquatuck – Mohegan – As far as the end of the river

Fairfield County

Acquasimink – Mahican – Abode of the woodchuck
Alipconk – Paugussett – Overflowed place
Appamapog – Mahican – Pond where rushes grow
Aspetuck Reservoir – Paugussett – At the high place
Asumswis – Paugussett – A small fish net
Betuckquapock – Wappinger – Round pound
Cos Cob – Siwanoy – High rock
Cupheag Cove – Paugussett – At the cove
Eqawames – Mahican – Covering tree
Hassacky – Siwanoy – Swamp, meadow
Maanepes Brook – Mahican – Slow water
Mahantic Swamp (near Newtown) – Paugussett – Cedar or spruce trees
Mahkahkassen Cliff – Mahican? Or Delaware? – The very large rock
Makoron Swamp – Quinnipiac – A gift or wasteland
Maminketesuck – Wappinger – Swift, strong flowing brook where there are alewives
Manunketesuck – Siwanoy – Strong flowing stream
Matabaun – Siwanoy – It is day
Miamogue (west side of Bridgeport Harbor) – Paugussett – Where we come together to fish
Mayanno (chief killed in 1683) – Paugussett - He who gathers together. Two words derived from this are Mayannoes Creek and Mianus River. The latter meaning Mayanno’s River
Minusing Island – Mahican – Small island
Moissehassaky – Paugussett – Black mire bog
Nanachestawack – Mahican – Place of safety; fort
Napackamach – Mahican? – Fish trap place
Naperhan Creek – Wappinger – A snare or trap
Napucke – Paugussett - At the pool
Nayump River – Mahican – Point, rocky
Nayums Rock Point – Mahican – Rocks at the point
Nippowin – Mahican – Good water
Nisorsack Ponds – Siwanoy – Double or two ponds
Norsaton (Now Norton Village) – Siwanoy – creek almost dry at low tide
Norwauke (Now Norwalk) – Siwanoy – At the point of land
Nowatunamon – Siwanoy – Dried up place
Oronauke – Quinnipiac – Land at the bend
Owenoke – Mahican – Low land
Pachquinacook – Wappinger – Elevated land
Pagassett – Paugussett – Place where the river widens
Pah Quioke – Mahican and Siwanoy – cleared land
Paugussett Trail – Paugussett – A swift current in the divided river
Pemunneaht – Paugussett – A string or cord
Petuckquapaug – Siwanoy – Round pond
Piamikin – Paugussett – Where the path is narrow
Pootatuck State Forest – Paugussett – Country around the falls
Poosehuck – Paugussett – Place where the river widens
Pisquepwn Hill – Paugussett – A sweat lodge
Pomeraug River – Paugussett – (Name of sachem in Woodbury) Place to walk or play
Pyquiag – Paugussett – open land
Quanapaug – Paugussett – Long pond
Ramapoo – Mahican – Temporary dwellers
Rippowams – Siwanoy – Standing rocks or rocky cliff
Sacunyle – Mahican – Path along the seashore
Sasco Swamp – Wappinger – Mud
Saugatuck Reservoir and River – Paugussett - Outlet of tidal river
Sheehauge – Paugussett – Land between
Shippan – Paugussett – The shore, where the sea begins
Sioascauk – Paugussett – Black or dark colored earth
Tabuttantam – Paugussett – He gives thanks
Tamtauthua – Paugussett – Summit of the mountain
Tatumuckatakaik – Paugussett – Little meadow trembles (when you walk on it)
Tetutsuck – Paugussett – Principal stream
Tatomuck Brook – Paugussett – Trembling meadow
Titicus Village – Mahican – Place without trees
Tokenake – Mahican – Tree land
Tomakergo – Paugussett – Flood tide
Tomock River – Siwanoy – Flooded
Toquams – Paugussett – Round rock
Totomak Brook – Mahican – A meadow that trembles
Tunxis Hill – Wangunk – Little river
Umpanawang Hill and Pond – Paugussett – Beyond the bend
Uncoa – Paugussett – Beyond the fishing place
Unkawa – Paugussett – Beyond the fishing place
Wataba Lake – Mahican – Roots (of a plant; for sewing)
Wauregan Pond – A handsome thing
Waubeoka Lake – Mahican – A crossing place
Werewaug – Mahican – Good fishing place
Winnipauk – Mahican – Beautiful pond
Winnepuck – Paugussett – Good water or good pond
Wunnompamukquock – Wappinger – In the open place
Wuttoonug River – Mahican – Rocky place

NEW HAVEN

Abrigada Hill – Quinnipiac – Hiding place or shelter
Agircomook Stony Creek – Quinnipiac – Sheltered haven
Araugacutack – Quinnipiac – Place of the furthest cultivated meadow
Capage – Quinnipiac – Closed in place
Cocacocks – Quinnipiac – Drinking place
Foxon – Mohegan? or Pequot? – Flat stone or level rock
Hammonasset Beach, Point, River – Hammonassett – At the place of small islands or sandbars
Hesseke Meadow – Quinnipiac – Meadow place or swampy land
Kissenaug – Paugussett – Place of big stones
Kuttanoo – Quinnipiac – The sea
Manhan or Munhan – Quinnipiac – An island
Maruscopag – Quinnipiac – At the narrows
Massaucunnock – Quinnipiac – Place off the great fish hawks
Mattatig – Quinnipiac or Paugussett – Bad tree or poorly wooed
Mattuckhott – Quinnipiac – In the woods
Mauntunsq West Rock – Quinnipiac – Difficult rock to climb
71. Megunhuttake – Quinnipiac – Place of the gift
72. Mioonkh-tuk (now East Haven) – Quinnipiac – Where tidal streams come together
73. Momauguin or Momauquin Beach – Quinnipiac – Black feather (Name of a Quinnipiac chief)
74. Montewese – Quinnipiac – Little god
75. Moosamuttuck River – Quinnipiac – Big rocks in the stream
76. Musquauke – Quinnipiac – Red earth
77. Naugatuck River – Quinnipiac – A single tree
78. Niupp aquashnag Brook – Quinnipiac – Water at the place of flags or rushes
79. Occopaug – Quinnipiac – Head of the pond
80. Ockseatthontack – Quinnipiac – Wading place at the creek
81. Pacoquarokee – Quinnipiac – A long stretch of cleared land
82. Pacowachuck – Quinnipiac – Place of the bare hill
83. Panootan – Quinnipiac – Distant out of the way village
84. Paugassett – Quinnipiac – Where river widens
85. Petowtucke river – Quinnipiac – Country around the falls
86. Pistapaug Mountain and Pond – Quinnipiac – Muddy pond
87. Pohtatuck or Potatuck – Paugussett or Quinnipiac – Land near the falls (other spellings include Potateuk and Powtatuck)
88. Pomperaug River – Paugussett - (Name of the sachem in Woodbury) Place to walk or play
89. Poquahaug Island – Quinnipiac – The round clam
90. Punkquahawks – Quinnipiac – Open plains
91. Punkups – Quinnipiac – Bare rocks
92. Quarasksucks – Mohegan – Long green lands
93. Quassapaug Pond – Quinnipiac – Stones in the pond
94. Quillipiac – Quinnipiac – Where we change our route
97. Quinnipaug Pond – Quinipiac – Long pond
98. Quinipiac – Where we change our route (derived from Quinuppin-uk)
99. Quonepaug Hill – Quinipiac – Long river
100. Rutawoo River – Quinipiac – Flowing out of a pond
101. Saracasks – Quinipiac – Green banks
102. Sassucksuck Brook – Quinipiac – Muddy brook
103. Secuorra (Snakes hill) – Mohegan – Snakes here
104. Sequankit – Quinipiac – What is left, what remains
105. Skokorat – Quinipiac – Snake hill
106. Squantuck – Quinipiac – At the end or branch of the river
107. Squapnasuttle – Quinipiac – Place at the top of the rocks
108. Taphamshashack – Quinipiac – At the place of the cold springs
109. Turop Pond – Quinipiac? or Mohegan? – Snapping turtle
110. Totoket Mountain – Western Niantic – On the great tidal stream
111. Towantic Village – Quinipiac – Wading place in the river
112. Tunxisshaog (Tunxis) Island – Paugussett – At the place of the small stream
113. Tuxisshoag Pond – Quinipiac – Land at the little river
114. Wachu – Quinipiac – A hill or mountain
115. Wecobemeas – Quinipiac – Tying bark fiber
116. Wepawaug Reservoir – Paugussett – Crossing place
117. Wequarunch - Quinipiac – An upright rock at the end
118. Wesquantook – Quinipiac – Source of the river
119. Woronock – Quinipiac – turning place

MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Beseck Lake – Mohegan – At the water place
Cawkinchaw or Cawgenchaug – Wangunk – Long swamp
Coginchaug Brook – Wangunk - At the place where they cure fish (by drying or smoking)
Coschow Path – Natick – High
Cossonowock – Hammonassett – Long stone place
Hassumps Road – Wangunk – Overhanging rocks
Higganum – Mohegan – Quarry where we get stone for axes
Machemoodus (East Haddam) – Wangunk – There is a bad noise
Mamooson Ave. – Natick – Smooth stone or bare rocks
Manitoese Ave. – Paugussett – Little God
Maromas – Natick – Bare
Massawamsog – Wangunk – Place of the great declivity
Mattabesett – Wangunk – A resting placed
Menunketesuck Island and River – Western Niantic – Strong flowing stream
Mesohamic State Park – Place of the great springs
Moodus Reservoir and River – Wangunk – Bad Noises
Okenmakomesut – Natick – At the field on other side
Pameacha Pond – Wangunk – crooked mountain
Pashesauke – Western Niantic – Near the outlet or river mouth
Passenchaug Meadow- Wangunk – Miry land or mucky place
Passquishunk – Western Niantic – Land at the outlet
Pataconk or Pattequonk- Wangunk – At the round place
Patchogue River – Western Niantic – At the place of turning
Pattaquassett – Hammonassett – At the round place
Pattyquonck Hill – Wangunk – Round place
Peamecha – Natick – Small river near the hill
Pecausset Pond – Wangunk – A small clearing
Petukunok (Chester) River – Hammonassett – Round rock place
Pishatipaug – Wangunk – Muddy or miry place
NEW LONDON COUNTY

Achagomiconenset Meadow – Eastern Niantic – place of green meadows
Acomekes or Acomeques – Mohegan – Place on the other side
Acquebapaug Pond – Eastern Niantic – Before the pond
Ahyosupsuck Pond – Mohegan – Place of wild hemp
Anitaash Pond – Eastern Niantic – Rotten corn
Aquapauksit – Eastern Niantic – At the end of the small pond
Ashawog River – Eastern Niantic – Land in the middle
Ashawugh Commock (Mystic harbor) – Mohegan – Fishing place in harbor-halfway between
Aspinook Pond – Eastern Niantic – At the high place
Assekonk Brook and Swamp – Mohegan – Much green grass at this place
Atchaubennuck Hill – Mohegan – At the dividing place
Aukumbumsk – Mohegan – Other side of the rock ledge
Cassomacook – Hammonassett – Rocky place
Catantauk Swamp – Mohegan – Place of large cedar trees
Catumb Reef – Mohegan and Pequot – At the place of the great rocks
Checkechussett Brook – Eastern Niantic – At the boundary
Chicamug – Eastern Niantic – fish weir place
Chicomico Creek – Nipmuck – Large enclosed place
Chipchug Pond – Nipmuck – Place apart
Cochikuack Brook – Mohegan – Fast, strong current
Coddank – Mohegan and Pequot – Cleared land
Cowassit – Mohegan – At the pine woods
Cowwaus – Mohegan – Pine grove
Cuppacomuck Swamp (Ledyard Pine Swamp) – Mohegan – Place of refuge
Egunk Hill- Mohegan – At the turn or bend
Konomoc Lake – Pequot – Lamprey eels here
Kuppikomuk Swamp – Mohegan and Pequot – Closed place; enclosure; place of refuge
Machipiscat – Eastern Niantic – Stony path
Magonck – Mohegan – Grove of large trees
Mahmansuck (Billings Lake) – Mohegan – The brook connecting the ponds
Mamachoag Brook – Narragansett – Where small fish abound
Mamacock – Western Niantic or Mohegan – The great hook
Manatuck Mountain – Eastern Niantic – At the look out place
Manunkatset Brook – Western Niantic – Place of alewives
Mununkquag Point – Eastern Niantic – End of the land
Mashpeag – Mohegan – Land at great cove
Massapeag – Mohegan – Place at the large cove
Maumusuck Pond – Mohegan – Two streams meet
Minhannock – Narragansett – At the island
Monhunghunuck (Now Voluntown) – Mohegan – The Mohegan’s place
Mooapske – Eastern Niantic – Black stones
Mukyaweesug – Mohegan – Little people
Mystic River and Town – Pequot and Mohegan – The great tidal river
Naawayouk Point – Western Niantic? – Crooked point
Naiwayouk – Mohegan or Pequot – The fishing place
Namucksuck – Western Niantics – Fishing place at outlet
Nashuatukquet – Nipmuck – Between two rivers
Neetmock River (Blackstone) – Nipmuck – Fresh water place
Nehuntuck Niantic Point (Also Nehantic State Forest) – Western Niantic – Point of land on a tidal river
Nipsquanauge – Wangunk – Land at the long pond
Noank Bay Point – Western Niantic – It is a point
Obscob – Mohegan – White rock
Occum – Mohegan – Named for Samson Occum famous Indian Preacher
Ohomowauke (Pine swamp near Ledyard) – Eastern Niantic – Owl’s place
Onkoskopsug – Mohegan – Uncas’ spring
Oxecoset Creek – Eastern Niantic – Place of small pines
Oxoboxo Brook and Lake – Mohegan – A small pond
Oxopausuck Brook – Mohegan – Outlet of the small pond
120. Pawcatuck River – Eastern Niantic? or Pequot? – The clear divided stream
121. Paghmaigah – Mohegan – Where the trail splits
122. Pagwonk – Narragansett or Eastern Niantic – Cleared land
123. Pataguanset or Pattaquonset Lake – Eastern Niantic – At the round, shallow place
124. Pattaquonk Hill – Western Niantic – Round hill
125. Pattaquonsonet Pond – Western Niantic – At the small round place
126. Paunowsauquet – Mohegan or Pequot – Trading or barter place
127. Paugwonk – Mohegan – Pond at the cleared place
128. Paupasquachuke – Nipmuck – Place of the double hill
129. Paupattokshick – Mohegan or Pequot – Round bare hills near the river
130. Pawtuuckquachoope – Eastern Niantic – At the hill near the river falls
131. Peormug seeboog – Mohegan – Fish in the brook
132. Pequatit – Narragansett – at the Pequot’s place
133. Pequot sepos – Mohegan – Little river of the Pequots
134. Pespataug – Narragansett – where the stream flows out
135. Pigscomsuck Island – Mohegan – Clear land
136. Pohio – Western Niantic – cleared land
137. Poquiogh – Eastern Niantic – Open land
138. Pomachaug – Mohegan – mountain near falls
139. Pomacuck – Mohegan – Narrow path
140. Poodhumsk – Mohegan – Projecting rocks
141. Poquiogh – Eastern Niantic – Open land
142. Powachaug – Mohegan – mountain near falls
143. Puccatannock River – Mohegan – Shallow river
144. Puckhussunaug Pond – Mohegan – Place of broken stones
145. Pumptumbashunk – Mohegan – Rocky reefs at the river mouth
146. Quacataug Hill – Eastern Niantic – Swampy land
147. Quaganapoxet (Salt Marsh) – Mohegan – Quag mire at the small pond
148. Quanaduck Meadow – Eastern Niantic – Long tidal stream
149. Quanotock Harbor – Eastern Niantic – Long tidal stream
150. Quodduck sunckset Brook – Mohegan – Turning place near the outlet
151. Quoquiquasoug brook – Mohegan - The long muddy outlet
152. Shantok – Mohegan – Midway up river
153. Shawamug – Mohegan – Fishing place at the fork in the stream
154. Shawwunk – Mohegan – Where the streams join
155. Shenecossett – Pequot – Level land
156. Shetucket River or Showatucket – Mohegan – Land between rivers
157. Sneeksuck – Mohegan – At the cave
158. Soongapog – Mohegan – Cold springs
159. Squamicuck – Eastern Niantic – Salmon fishing place
160. Sunkipaug – Western Niantic – cold pond
161. Susquetomscut Brook – Mohegan – At the place of mixed rocks and mud
162. Tagwonk – Eastern Niantic – A stone mortar
163. Tattamacuntaway River – Mohegan – Place of trembling bog
164. Tatuppequaog – Pequot – Level, open land that trembles
165. Taubakonommock Hill – Western Niantic – Place where there are many lamprey eels
166. Tawaway – Mohegan or Pequot – Useless or abandoned lands
167. Towqueensusuck – Mohegan – At the long wading place
168. Toyusk – Narragansett – A bridge
169. Tuckheganuck – Mohegan – where we cross the river by wading
170. Uhuio – Mohegan - It curves and winds about
171. Uncasville – Mohegan – Named for Uncas chief of the Mohegans
172. Uncushnet River – Mohegan – At the end of the rapid stream
173. Ungwonshackook – Mohegan – Place at the bend or fork of the stream
174. Wasquonasak- Mohegan – Place at the end of the rock
175. Waubeyaussuc – Eastern Niantic – A crossing place
176. Wawog Pond – Nipmuck – crooked pond
177. Weantucket River – Eastern Niantic – At the winding stream
178. Wecapaug Brook – Narragansett – At the end of the small pond
179. Wequatuck – Eastern Niantic – At the end of the river
180. Wequeneuck Swamp – Mohegan – At the end of the hill
181. Wequetequock – Mohegan – Place at the end of the tidal stream
182. Wexquapaug – Eastern Niantic – As far as the pond extends
183. Wianumcissetes – Eastern Niantic – Good little fish
184. Wisquades – Mohegan – Little earthen pot
185. Wochsquammuguck Brook – Mohegan – Salmon fishing place
186. Wonkemaug Pond – Mohegan – Fish curing place at the bend of the river (curing = drying or smoking the fish)
187. Wunneguset Hill – Mohegan – Bowl shaped place
188. Wyasup Lake – Mohegan – Flags or rushes
189. Yagompsh – Narragansett – On that side of the rock
190. Yawgobby – Mohegan – Extended rocks