

HOMELAND OF THE NIUKONSKA/OSAGE NATION

CIRCA 1800

 OSAGE CEDED LANDS
 CURRENT RESERVATION

Osage Grand Divisions:
Hun ka "Earth People"
Tsi shu "Sky People"

The Niukonska ("People of the Middle Waters") -otherwise known as the Osage - have a long history. Pictured here is their territory around the time of first contact with newcomer Europeans. This territory includes land where villages were located, as well land in every direction from those points that they used for hunting, traveling and trading.