The 8 Ways of Learning is a pedagogical framework that allows educators to use Aboriginal learning techniques and processes when teaching Aboriginal students within an educational setting. It allows educators to engage with Aboriginal students and allow them construct deeper meaning using ‘ways’ which are innately familiar to them; however, teaching ‘culture way’ has the ability to enhance the learning of all students. However, the 8 Ways of Learning is more than just a pedagogical framework, they are our ways of knowing, being, doing and valuing; they are our ways of constructing the world around us and understanding our place within it. Understanding and applying 8 Ways beyond the classroom has the potential to create a deeper understanding of why intergenerational trauma has such an impact on all aspects of the lives of Aboriginal people and begin the healing process.