

"How do we progress into the modern day while keeping old traditions alive?"

It's an interesting question. We no longer offer sacrifices to the gods nor hunt in the forests. We still pray and nowadays we get our food from the markets.

To me the best blending is a tricky one that bends and flows with each situation and tradition. I would say first explaining what our people believed pre-contact and how they did rituals. Then showing and explaining how we can now do something similar and at times

more symbolically.

Our people had a lot of beliefs engraved into the afterlife and the gods. How the world around us worked. We of course now turn to the knowledge of science to explain the mysteries and ways of the universe but science does little to understand the faith and human spirit. In this we can always be connected to our ancestry and our people. The sun may be a star burning billions of light years away but we can still refer to it as Huitzilopochtli or Xuihpilli when praying or speaking our language. Being Mexica in the modern day is a path each person walks in their own

way. As long as they carry our traditions with them and pass them down to family members then we're walking the right path our ancestors would have.