

TPS Professional Development Activity Template

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Title of	An Investigation on <u>Her</u> story in American History
Activity	
Overview	The following professional development activity is intended to have the participants experience and learn contextualizing and sourcing, within the historical thinking framework; as
	well as learn to navigate the Library of Congress website and resources.
Essential or	How did women make a difference in history? (additional, specific guiding questions will be
Investigative	given too)
Question	
Audience	This activity is best suited for educators of the following grade levels (List those that are applicable): • Grades K-2
	• Grades 3-5
	This activity is best suited for educators of the following content areas (List those that are applicable):
	Art/Music
	English/ Language Arts
	Social Studies/ Social Sciences

Time Required	Estimated time: 75-90 minutes
Goal	Goals
	Understand sourcing
	Understand contextualizing
	Teach with primary sources
	 Locate primary and secondary sources on LOC website
Standards	21st Century Learner Standards
	I. INQUIRE
	Build new knowledge by inquiring, thinking critically, identifying problems, and
	developing strategies for solving problems.
	• Learners display curiosity and initiative by: 1. Formulating questions about a
	personal interest or a curricular topic. 2. Recalling prior and background
	knowledge as context for new meaning
İ	• Learners engage with new knowledge by following a process that includes: 1.



Using evidence to investigate questions. 2. Devising and implementing a plan to fill knowledge gaps. 3. Generating products that illustrate learning.

• Learners adapt, communicate, and exchange learning products with others in a cycle that includes: Interacting with content presented by others. 2. Providing constructive feedback. 3. Acting on feedback to improve. 4. Sharing products with an authentic audience.

ISTE Standards for Teachers

Educators continually improve their practice by learning from and with others and exploring proven and promising practices that leverage technology to improve student learning. Educators:

- 1a Set professional learning goals to explore and apply pedagogical approaches made possible by technology and reflect on their effectiveness.
- 1b Pursue professional interests by creating and actively participating in local and global learning networks.
- 1c Stay current with research that supports improved student learning outcomes, including findings from the learning sciences.

Learning Forward The Professional Learning Association

Implementation: Professional learning that increases educator effectiveness and results for all students applies research on change and sustains support for implementation of professional learning for long-term change.

Objectives

TPS Foundation Objectives

By the end of this PD Activity, participants will be able to:

- Justify conclusions about whether a source is primary or secondary depending upon the time or topic under study.
- Describe examples of the benefits of teaching with primary sources.
- Analyze a primary source using Library of Congress tools.
- Analyze a set of related primary sources in order to identify multiple perspectives.
- Demonstrate how primary sources can support at least one teaching strategy (e.g., literacy, inquiry-based learning, historical thinking, etc.).

Digital Resources

Primary sources from loc.gov:

- Migrant Mother (contextualizing)
 February or March of 1936
 Dorothea Lange made in in Nipomo, California.
 https://memory.loc.gov/ammem/awhhtml/awpnp6/migrant_mother.html
- Norman Rockwell's Rosie
 https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/treasures/tr11c.html#obj65
- Rosie the Riveter: Real Women Workers in World War II https://www.loc.gov/today/cyberlc/feature_wdesc.php?rec=3350

Other sources:

https://www.nrm.org/rosie-the-riveter/ (the whole page)

Classroom Materials

Computer, Power Point presentation, ActivBoard to project activities and PP, copies of some primary sources, LOC analyzing tools (some printed), Historical Thinking chart

Preparation	read necessary background material
	print handouts
	 prepare to display a source via a document camera or smart board
	 have a primary source enlarged to hang on the wall as a social media post; participants
	will make comments on the source
	room arrangement, if necessary
Procedure	The project leaders will train the participants on historical thinking strategies and navigating
	the Library of Congress website, by use of Power Point presentation and LOC website.
	1. The presenters will have the first/welcome Power Point page displayed as participants
	are arriving, so they may pose comments, questions, etc., using sticky notes.
	2. Once all participants have had an opportunity to comment on the photo, the
	presenters will share details of the displayed photo.
	3. The presenters will define historical thinking
	4. The presenters will define contextualizing
	5. The presenters will model/guide what analyzing a source looks like, focusing on
	"contextualizing" (share Historical Thinking Chart from sheg), using LOC analyzing tool
	6. Challenge participants by asking: What's missing? What do you need to know?
	7. The presenter will share the historical context of the picture.
	8. The participants will analyze the second source (Rockwell's Rosie), focused on
	contextualizing (HT Chart), with guidance (whole group or in teams)
	9. Guide discussion on believability/trustworthiness
	10. Question the participants: How does contextualizing help you to understand this
	source? What are you questioning about this source?
	11. Offer context for this source
	12. Elicit more thoughts from participants
	13. Show a portion of the next source for participants to analyze and lead participants
	through analyzing that portion
	14. Lead participants through hands-on navigation of LOC sources: Women's page,
	teacher sources, etc. (see PowerPoint slide)
	15. Close with questions (see Power Point slide)
Assessment/	The participants will be able to provide evidence of implementing sourcing or contextualizing
Reflection	in their classroom, using resources from LOC.