

Connecting to Our State's Story

In this chapter students learn what history is and how to think like historians. As part of this, students learn how to think like historians in ways that will help them learn about Wisconsin's past.

Activity 1.1 Primary or Secondary

Overview

This activity helps students to learn about the qualities of both primary and secondary sources, and also to recognize one from the other. Students will identify various items, from artifacts to written materials, as either **primary** or **secondary** sources of information.

Management

Materials

- Student Activity 1.1 (Teacher Page 1; Student Page 1)

Grouping

- Whole class
- Small group or pairs
- Individual, supervised or independent