

Lesson Plan

Grade level(s): *6th grade*

Topic: *Biography Project*

Objective(s): *Students will determine range of sources that can be used for their biographical report and choose the best.*

Big6 Skills: *Information Seeking Strategies*

Materials Required: *Library access*

Time Required: *20-30 minutes*

Description of activities: *Students will brainstorm sources that can be used.*

- *Biographies/autobiographies*
- *Biographical encyclopedias/dictionaries*
- *eLibrary*
- *Google (discuss briefly how to determine validity of websites)*
- *Primary source materials*

Discuss each choice and if it would be useful for project and help students ascertain which sources to use.

Assessment: *Locate and evaluate sources for biographical information.*

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