

Historical Significance

Name: _____

Date: _____

Primary or secondary source (page numbers, if relevant):

Event or person (or people) **that is historically significant in this source:**

Brief description:

Significance Criterion – In what ways is this event or person historically significant?	Does it apply? (Y/N)	In what way does this event or person meet the criterion?
<u>Resulting in Change</u> Profundity: How were people affected by the event or person?		
Quantity: How many people’s lives were affected?		
Durability: How long lasting were the changes?		
<u>Revealing</u> How does this event or person help us to understand the past?		
<u>Resonant or Relevant</u> How does this event or person shed light on issues or problems that concern us?		
Of what larger story or argument might this event or person be a part?		
How might the historical significance of this event or person change over time?		