

Guidance

The aim is to form basic biographies through research.

Step 1

- Gather any facts, images, sources that reflect the life of the person you wish your learners to study.

Step 2

- Mix up all the facts, sources and images and distribute across each group/table.

Step 3

- Provide each learner with a worksheet to record notes.

Step 4

- Explain how basic research methods are used to find information. Paying particular attention to the fact that information comes for a variety of sources and is often held in lots of places. Internet, Books, Libraries, Archives etc.

Step 5

- Ask the learners to familiarise themselves with material/facts/images/Books etc on their table and make notes of any facts on their sheets.

Step 6

- Ask a group member to read their facts out/show their object or book to share with the other groups (mimicking archival research). Ask the other groups to make notes of any new facts they hear.

