

Kindred

In the Kindred project, students research events in the lives of members of their family or local community to find the impact of world or local history.

Students are asked to interview members of their immediate or family, neighbors or friends in the local community about experiences in their lives that have been affected by the events of world or local history. Events may include war, natural disasters, migration, important discoveries, monuments, famous places and so on. Students should focus on the impact for the family.



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Ages: 5 – 18

Languages: English

1. In a small group, read an essay from the Kindred book or from the Kindred forum <http://foro.iearn.org/webx/iearnforums/family/>.
2. Discuss the essay and write a response to it.
3. Discuss some themes that your students would be interested in writing about.
4. Prepare questions that your students could use while interviewing their family or community members.