

Activity: Annotated List of Works Consulted

Directions:

1. Use NoodleTools (MLA Advanced) to create an Annotated List of Works Consulted for your History Fair Project.
2. You should have a minimum of 10 sources. Two of these sources must be primary.
3. It must be annotated. Write your annotations using past tense. It is acceptable to say "I used this source..." but unacceptable to say "I will use this source to..."
4. Annotations should be at least three sentences long. The first sentence should describe your source. The second sentence should reference what you learned

form the source. The third sentence should explain how you used the source. Here is an example of an excellent annotation:

"This website gives detailed information regarding the early life of Malcolm X. It includes his experience as a young child being raised by a father who was a civil rights activist. I learned from this source that Malcolm X's childhood was very difficult and that he experienced much violence from a white supremacist organization called the Black Legion. I used this source to show that the environment in which he lived helped to shape his belief system of using violence as a tool to achieve his goals."

5. Once you have completed the

required information for all your sources remember to indicate whether it is primary or secondary. Under your citations page select the source and use the drop down menu at the bottom of the page under "Description: Select an attribute" to choose primary or secondary.

6. In the upper right hand corner change the sort tab from "Alphabetic" to "Primary,secondary".
7. When you are ready to print, save your work as a word document. NoodleTools provides this option in the top menu. Do not copy and paste into a Word Document. NoodleTools will provide the correct format. Do not just click "print" without saving as a Word Document, it will not be in the correct format!
8. Once your document is saved correctly it should have

separate sections for your primary sources and secondary sources. If it does not have separate sections refer back to #5.

9. Change the title at the top from “Works Cited” to “Annotated List of Works Consulted”.

10. **Print!**