

# Biography Research Graphic Organizers

**Biography Research** Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Biography on: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth: Where? When... etc. Family Life: Childhood:

Major Influences: \_\_\_\_\_  
(What's the person known for? Who's the person known? What's his person most famous period for?)

What made them who they are? \_\_\_\_\_  
(Challenges, Education, Career, Marriages, Experiences, Mistakes... etc.)

Impact on History \_\_\_\_\_  
(Accomplishments, Recognition, Are we different today?... etc.)

**Biography Research Reflection** Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Biography on: \_\_\_\_\_  
Complete this page after you have finished your research project.

Describe a question you had before, during or after reading? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you find the answer to your question? What was it? (If not what do you think the answer might have been?) \_\_\_\_\_

Describe a connection you made while researching: Connections to other information (your research) to what you already know (your learning). Did you find something in contrast, similar or different to what you already know? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe something that surprised you while you were researching \_\_\_\_\_

Describe an emotion you experienced while researching. What caused that? \_\_\_\_\_

Pick one word to represent your person. Write it in the space provided. \_\_\_\_\_

Describe a time in your person's life when they experienced a trial, failure, mistake... etc. What did they choose to do in response to this hard thing? \_\_\_\_\_

What can you learn from this? Are there any lessons you can apply in your own life? \_\_\_\_\_

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Sources Cited: List all of the resources you used for your research.

Source 1	Source 2	Source 3
Title/URL: _____	Title/URL: _____	Title/URL: _____
Author: _____	Author: _____	Author: _____
Other: _____	Other: _____	Other: _____

Birth/Early Years \_\_\_\_\_  
Where & when were they born? Who took care of the parent? How many siblings or other? What important events happened?... etc.

Adulthood/Death \_\_\_\_\_  
Where did he or she live in the last? Any education? Marriages? What job did he or she have? (Detail the how any children? Important events? Death? Cause? Burial?... etc.)

Character Traits/Evidence \_\_\_\_\_  
List any character traits the person possessed. Then list an experience or something that happened as evidence of the character trait.

Months/Quarters \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Facts? Something Strange? Other Information... etc. \_\_\_\_\_



## ANY Biography Growth Mindset Character Traits Sources Cited

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## Adulthood/ Death

## Character Traits/ Evidence

Where & when was he/she born? Who took care of the person? Were there any brothers/sisters? What important events happened? ...etc.

Where did he or she live? Any education? What job did this person have? Married? Did he/she have any children? Important events? Death Cause? Buried?...etc.

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## Mistakes/ Failures/ Struggles...etc.

## Favorite Quote

## Accomplishments/ Success...etc.

Are we different today? Legacy left behind? ...etc.

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Something Unique? Other Information...etc.

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Born: Where When...etc.

Family Life:

Childhood:

Simple Statement: What is this person known for? Why is this person known for? What is this person most remembered for?

What made them who they are?  
(Choices, Education, Career, Mentors, Experiences, Mistakes ...etc.)

Impact on History  
(Accomplishments, Awards, Recognition, Are we different today? ...etc.)

Final Years: Death, Burial, Cause of Death, Legacy?

Favorite Facts:  
Anything unique or interesting?

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Portrait:

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