



The Science
Literacy Project

Quest
for
Literacy



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QUEST FOR LITERACY: The Science Literacy Project

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Preface

It has long been a passion of mine to educate and simulate the minds of individuals less fortunate than myself. This workbook is one such attempt to fulfill that passion.

If you can't answer the following questions, this book hopefully will be the stimuli that we help you in your "Quest for Literacy".

What is the nations capital?

Is a liter more than a gallon?

What does NAACP stand for?

How many United States Senators represent the country?

What is the metric system?

What is the longest river in the United States?

What country borders the United States on the north?

Is a meter longer than a yard?

How many stars are on the American Flag?

What is global warming?

What states border Oregon?

Once again thanks for using this workbook in your "Quest for Literacy" and I look forward to printing additional literacy books, worksheets and handouts for you in the future.

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The Science Literacy Project (TSLP)

The mission of TSLP is to promote an increase of science literacy in the general population by developing resources and programs, and by teaching, training, and supporting students and educators committed to learning about and understanding science. To reach this goal, the level of literacy in many different areas in our community must be addressed. Therefore, our mission encompasses the dissemination of information on a number of subjects and interests.

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 1 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Abolitionism -

Accelerator -

Acquittal -

Actuary -

Acupuncture -

Adrenal Gland -

Adverb -

Aegean Sea -

AFL-CIO -

Aggression -

Alabama -

Alexander the Great -

Alexandria, Egypt -

Alkaline -

Alloy -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 2 Worksheet
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Absolute Zero -

Acid Rain -

Acronym -

Alaska -

Algae -

Alias -

Amnesty -

Artic Circle -

Artic Ocean -

Arizona -

Artery -

Atmosphere -

Atom -

Australia -

Axis -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 3 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Alma mater -

Alps -

Alter ego -

Alternator -

Amazon River -

Amnesia -

Amoeba -

Amortization -

Ampere -

Amplifier -

Analogy –

Anarchy –

Anchorage, Alaska –

Andes Mountain –

Antibody -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 4 Worksheet
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Anxiety -

Aorta -

Apartheid -

Apocalypse -

Appalachian Mountains -

Aquifer -

Architecture -

Arkansas -

Armageddon -

Armstrong, Louis -

Arnold, Benedict -

Arthritis -

Ascorbic acid -

Asia -

Assimilation -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 5 Worksheet
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Asteroid belt -

Astronomy -

Asymmetry -

Atlantic Ocean -

Atom bomb -

Augustus Caesar -

Aurora borealis -

Austin, Texas -

Autobiography -

Automation -

Autonomy -

Axiom -

Axis (mathematics) -

Aztec Empire -

Axis –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 6 Worksheet
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Babylon -

Bach, Johann Sebastian -

Bacteria -

Bahamas-

Baker's dozen -

Baltic Sea -

Bangkok -

Bankruptcy -

Barcelona -

Battle of Bunker Hill -

Battle of Concord -

Bay of Pigs -

Bear market -

Belfast -

Belgrade -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 7 Worksheet
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Bell, Alexander Graham -

Berlin -

Bethlehem -

Bibliography -

Bill of Rights -

Biochemistry -

Biology -

Birmingham, Alabama -

Black magic -

Black market -

Black Sea -

Blue-chip stock -

Blue Ridge Mountains -

Bogart, Humphrey -

Boiling point -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 8 Worksheet
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Bolivia -

Bombay -

Bona fide -

Bond (chemical) -

Boone, Daniel -

Boston, Massachusetts -

Boston Massacre -

Boston Tea Party -

Botany -

Boycott -

Brazil -

Breach of contract -

Britain -

British Columbia -

Broker -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 9 Worksheet
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Buenos Aires -

Buffalo Bill -

Bull Run, Battle of -

Bureaucracy -

Caesar, Julius -

Calculus -

Calvary -

Canada -

Capacitor -

Capitalism -

Capitol Hill -

Caracas -

Carbohydrate -

Carbon -

Carbon Dioxide –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 10 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Caribbean Sea -

Carnegie, Andrew -

Carnivorous -

Carpetbagger -

Cater, Jimmy -

Casablanca -

Cascade Mountains -

Castro, Fidel -

Catalyst -

Catch-22 (title) -

Catcher in the Rye, The (title) -

Catherine the Great -

Cathode ray tube (CRT) -

Catholic -

Caucus –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 11 Worksheet
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Cell -

Cellulose -

Celsius -

Center of gravity -

Centigrade -

Centimeter -

Central America -

Central Intelligence agency (CIA) -

Cerebellum -

Chaplin, Charlie -

Charisma -

Charleston, South Carolina -

Charlotte, North Carolina -

Checks and balances -

Cherokee Indians -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 12 Worksheet
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Chesapeake Bay -

Cheshire cat -

Chicago, Illinois -

Chicken Little -

Chile -

China -

Chip off the old block -

Chivalry -

Chloroform -

Cholesterol -

Choreography -

Christmas Carol, A (title) -

Churchill, Winston -

Cincinnati, Ohio -

Cinderella -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 13 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Cirrus cloud -

Civil rights -

Civil War -

Clarinet -

Cleopatra -

Cleveland, Ohio -

Cobb, Ty -

Cold war -

Collateral -

Collective bargaining -

Colorado -

Colorado River -

Columbus, Christopher -

Columbus, Ohio -

Comedy -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 14 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Comet -

Commissioned Officer -

Commodity -

Common denominator -

Communism -

Communist Manifesto, The (title)

Compass -

Composite materials -

Compound interest -

Conductor -

Coney Island, New York -

Confederacy -

Confucius -

Congenital Disease -

Congress of the United States –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 15 Worksheet
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Conjunction -

Connecticut -

Conscientious objector -

Constantine the Great -

Constellation -

Constitution -

Consumer price index -

Continental divide -

Coolidge, Calvin -

Copyright -

Coral reef -

Cornea -

Coronary artery -

Corporation -

Costa Rica -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 16 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Counterpoint -

Creditor -

Credit rating -

Creole -

Critical mass -

Crockett, Davy -

Cromwell, Oliver -

Crucifixion, the -

Cruel and unusual punishment -

Crusoe, Robinson (title) -

Cuba -

Cuban missile crisis -

Cult -

Cumberland Gap -

Cumberland Mountains –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 17 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Cumulus clouds-

Curie, Marie -

Curriculum vitae -

Cyclone -

Cyclops -

Cyclotron -

Cymbal-

Cyprus -

Czar-

Dallas, Texas-

Damascus -

Danube River -

Dark Ages-

Dark horse-

Darwin, Charles –

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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

David and Goliath -

D-day -

Dead Sea -

Death of a Salesman (title) -

Death Valley -

Decadence -

Deck the Halls (song) -

Declaration of Independence -

Deduction-

De facto -

Default -

Defense mechanism -

De Gaulle, Charles -

Delaware -

Democracy –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 19 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Democratic Party-

Demography -

Denmark -

Denver, Colorado -

Depletion allowance -

Depreciation -

Depression, Great -

Desalinization -

Des Moines, Iowa -

Deterrence -

Detroit, Michigan -

Developing nation -

Dewey, John -

Dialectic -

Dickens, Charles -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 20 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Dickinson, Emily -

Dictatorship -

Diffraction -

Dinosaur -

Diplomacy -

Diplomatic immunity -

Disney, Walt -

Dissident -

District attorney -

District of Columbia -

Dividend -

DNA -

Dog Days -

Dogma -

Doll's House, A (title) –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 21 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Dominant trait -

Dominican Republic -

Domino Theory -

Don Juan -

Don Quixote (title)-

Don't count your chickens before they are hatched -

Doppler effect -

Double jeopardy -

Douglass, Frederick -

Dow-Jones -

Dow-Jones average -

Down payment -

Down's syndrome -

Dracula -

Drake, Sir Francis -

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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Dred Scott case -

Du Bois, W.E.B. -

Due process of law -

Dulles, John Foster -

Dummy Corporation -

Dunkirk -

$E = mc^2$ -

Eardrum -

Earp, Wyatt -

Earth -

Easter -

Eclipse -

Ecology -

Ecuador -

Edinburgh -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 23 Worksheet
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Edison, Thomas A. -

Editorial -

Ego -

Egocentric -

Egypt -

Einstein, Albert -

Eisenhower, Dwight D. -

Electoral College -

Electric charge -

Electric field -

Electron -

Elephant -

Elite-

Ellington, Duke -

El Paso, Texas-

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 24 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

El Salvador -

Emancipation Proclamation -

Embargo -

Embezzlement -

Embryo -

Emerson, Ralph Waldo -

Eminent domain -

Empathy -

Empire State Building -

England -

English Channel -

Entropy-

Enzyme -

Epic -

Epilepsy –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 25 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Epoxy -

Equation -

Equator -

Equilibrium -

Erie Canal -

Erosion -

Escalation -

Eskimo -

Extrasensory perception -

Ethiopia -

Euphrates River -

Eureka -

Euripides -

Eustachian tube -

Evaporation -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 26 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Evolution -

Exchange rate -

Excise tax -

Exclamation point -

Executive branch -

Ex officio -

Expletive -

Exponential growth -

Extradition -

Extraterrestrial -

Faction -

Fahrenheit -

Fair-weather friends-

Falkland Island -

Fallacy –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 27 Worksheet
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Fallopian tubes -

Falwell, Jerry-

Faraday, Michael -

Far East -

Far West -

Faulkner, William -

Faux pas -

Federal Bureau of Investigation -

Federalism -

Federalist Papers, The (title) -

Federal Reserve -

Felony -

Fermi, Enrico -

Fertilization -

Fetus –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 28 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Feudalism -

Fiber optics -

Fiction -

Fiesta -

Filibuster -

Finland -

First Amendment -

First-strike capability -

Fiscal policy -

Fission, nuclear -

Fitzgerald, F. Scott -

Flapper -

Florida -

Florida Keys -

Flute -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 29 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Food chain -

Ford, Gerald -

Ford, Henry -

Foreclosure -

Fort Worth, Texas -

Fourth of July -

France -

Frankfurt -

Freezing Point -

French and Indian War -

French Revolution -

Fresno, California -

Freud, Sigmund -

Friction -

Fringe benefit -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 30 Worksheet
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Frost, Robert -

Furies -

Fusion, nuclear-

Galileo, Galilei-

Gallbladder -

Gallstone-

Gallup poll –

Galvanize -

Gamma Rays -

Gandhi, India-

Gandhi, Mahatma -

Gangrene -

Garbo, Greta-

Geiger counter -

Geisha-

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 31 Worksheet
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General anesthetic -

Generator -

Genetic Code -

Genetics -

Geneva -

Genghis Khan -

Genocide -

Gentile -

Geology -

George III, King -

Georgia -

Geronimo -

Gershwin, George -

Gestapo -

Ghetto -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 32 Worksheet
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Gibraltar -

Glacier -

Gladstone, William -

Glucose -

Glut -

GNP (Gross National Product) -

Golan Heights -

Golden Gate Bridge -

Goldwater, Barry -

Good Friday -

Good Samaritan -

Graham, Billy -

Grand Canyon -

Granite -

Grant, Ulysses S. -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 33 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Gravity -

Great Lakes -

Great Salt Lake -

Great Smoky Mountains -

Great Wall of China -

Greece -

Greeley, Horace -

Greenland -

Grenada -

Gresham's law -

Guatemala -

Guerrilla war -

Guillotine -

Gulf of Mexico -

Gulf Stream -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 34 Worksheet
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Gung ho -

Guru -

H₂O -

Habeas corpus -

Hague, The -

Haiti -

Hale, Nathan -

Hallucination -

Hamilton, Alexander -

Hamlet (title) -

Hancock, John -

Hanoi -

Harlem (New York) -

Hartford, Connecticut -

Hawaii -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 35 Worksheet
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Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Helen of Troy -

Hemingway, Ernest -

Henry, Patrick -

Hercules -

Heredity -

Hierarchy -

Himalayas -

Hinduism -

Hippocrates -

Hiroshima -

Hitler, Adolf -

Ho Chi Minh -

Hollywood, California -

Holmes, Oliver Wendell -

Holocaust -

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Homestead Act -

Homicide -

Homo sapiens -

Honduras -

Hong Kong -

Honolulu, Hawaii -

Hoover, Herbert -

Hoover, J. Edgar -

Hoover Dam -

Hormone -

Houston, Sam -

Houston, Texas -

Hudson River -

Hungary -

Hurricane -

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Hydrocarbon -

Hydroelectric -

Hyperbola -

Hyphen -

Hypnosis -

Hysteria -

Iacocca, Lee-

Ibid -

Ice Age -

Iceberg -

Iceland -

Idaho -

Immigration -

Immunity -

Impeachment -

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Impedance -

Imperialism -

Incumbent -

Independence Day-

India -

Indianapolis, Indiana -

Indian summer -

Inductance -

Inflation -

Influenza -

Infrared -

Injunction -

Insomnia -

Insulator -

Insulin -

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Integrated circuit -

Integration -

Interest rate -

Introvert -

Inventory -

Investment -

Ion -

Iowa -

Iran -

Iraq -

Ireland -

Irony -

Islam -

Isotope -

Israel -

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Italy -

Ivan the Terrible -

Jackson, Andrew -

Jackson, Jesse -

Jackson, Stonewall -

Jacksonville, Florida-

Jamaica -

James. Jesse -

Japan -

Java -

Jazz -

Jezebel -

Jim Crow -

Joan of Arc -

John Doe-

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Joint Chiefs of Staff -

Jordan -

Judicial branch -

Julius Caesar -

Jupiter -

Kabul -

Kamikaze -

Kansas -

Karachi -

Kennedy, Edward -

Kennedy, John F. (JFK) -

Kennedy, Robert F. -

Kentucky -

Kentucky Derby -

Key, Francis Scott -

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Kilometer -

Kinetic energy -

King, Jr., Martin Luther -

King Kong -

Kissinger, Henry -

Kitty Hawk -

Korean War -

Ku Klux Klan -

Kuwait -

Labor Day -

Lake Erie-

Lake Huron -

Lake Michigan -

Lake Ontario -

Lake Superior –

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Las Vegas, Nevada -

Latin America -

Leap year -

Lebanon -

Lee, Robert E. -

Legree, Simon -

Leningrad -

Leonardo da Vinci -

Lewis and Clark -

Liberal -

Liberty Bell -

Library of Congress -

Libya -

Lightning-

Light year –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 44 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Lincoln, Abraham -

Lincoln Memorial -

Lindbergh, Charles A. -

Liquidity -

Little Big Horn -

Little Rock, Arkansas -

Lodestone -

London -

Los Angeles, California -

Louis, Joe -

Louisiana -

Louisiana Purchase -

MacArthur, Douglas -

Macbeth (title) -

Madison, James -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 45 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Mafia -

Magellan, Strait of -

Magna Carta -

Magnetic tape -

Magnetism -

Mailer, Norman -

Maine -

Make a mountain out of a molehill -

Malcolm X -

Malnutrition -

Malpractice -

Mammal -

Manhattan (New York City) -

Mania -

Manifest Destiny –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 46 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Man shall not live by bread alone -

Manslaughter -

Marco Polo -

Marcos, Ferdinand -

Marie Antoinette -

Mark Twain -

Marshall Plan -

Marx, Karl -

Maryland -

Mason Dixon Line -

Massachusetts -

McCarthyism -

McCoy, the real -

Mean (statistics)-

Measles –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 47 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Mediation -

Mediterranean Sea-

Megawatt -

Melancholy -

Mellon, Andrew -

Melody -

Melting Point -

Memphis, Tennessee -

Mercury (element) -

Mercury (planet) -

Miami, Florida -

Michigan -

Milwaukee, Wisconsin -

Minneapolis, Minnesota -

Minnesota –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 48 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Mississippi -

Mississippi River -

Missouri -

Missouri River -

Mojave Desert -

Money is the root of all evil -

Money market -

Monopoly -

Monroe, James -

Monroe, Marilyn -

Monsoon -

Montana -

Monticello, Florida -

Monticello, Virginia -

Morgan, J.P. -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 49 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Mormon -

Mortgage -

Moscow -

Mount Everest -

Mount Hood -

Mount McKinley -

Mount Olympus -

Multiple sclerosis -

Mussolini, Benito -

Mutation -

Mutual Fund -

My Lai massacre -

Myopia -

Myth -

Mythology –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 50 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Nader, Ralph -

Napoleon -

Navaho Indians -

Nebraska -

Nemesis -

Ness, Loch -

Neutron -

Nevada -

New Amsterdam -

New Delhi -

New England -

Newfoundland -

New Guinea -

New Hampshire -

New Jersey -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 51 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

New Mexico -

New Orleans, Louisiana -

Newton, Isaac -

New York -

New Zealand -

Nicaragua -

Nicotine -

Nile River -

Nimbus Clouds -

Nobel Prize -

Norfolk, Virginia -

North Carolina -

North Dakota -

North Korea -

North Pole -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 52 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Norway -

Noun -

Nuclear Energy -

Ohio -

Ohm -

Okinawa -

Oklahoma -

Ontario -

Oppenheimer, J. Robert -

Oregon -

Oregon Trail -

Orwell, George -

Oslo -

Ottawa -

Owens, Jesse -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 53 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Pacific Ocean -

Pakistan -

Palestine Liberation Organization -

Panama -

Pandora's box -

Paranoia -

Parenthesis -

Paris-

Pasteur, Louis -

Patronage -

Patton, General George -

Pauper -

Peace Corps -

Pearl Harbor -

Pegasus –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 54 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Peking -

Penicillin -

Penn, William -

Pennsylvania -

Per Capita -

Percentage -

Per Diem -

Perimeter -

Persian Gulf -

Peter Pan -

Pharaoh -

Philistines -

Phobia -

Photon -

Picasso, Pablo -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 55 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Plasma -

Plato -

Playwright -

Pluto -

Plymouth Rock -

Poe, Edgar Allan -

Polio -

Polk, James K. -

Polo, Marco -

Polymer -

Ponce De Leon -

Pony Express -

Poor Richard's Almanac (title) -

Pope, the -

Porter, Cole -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 56 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Portland, Oregon -

Post, Emily -

Postmaster General -

Potomac River -

Prefix -

Prejudice -

Presley, Elvis -

Prima Donna -

Prime Minister-

Prime Number-

Prime Rate -

Prince Albert -

Prince of Wales -

Probation -

Prognosis –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 57 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Protein -

Proton -

Proxy -

Psychology -

Puerto Rico -

Pulitzer Prize -

Pyramids, the-

Pyrenees, the-

Quadratic Equation -

Quaker -

Quebec -

Quotient -

Radius -

Raleigh, Sir Walter -

Rate of Exchange –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 58 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Reagan, Ronald-

Recession -

Red China -

Red Cross -

Red Sea -

Referendum -

Refugee -

Rembrandt -

Remember the Alamo! -

Remember the Maine! -

Renaissance -

Reno, Nevada -

Reptiles -

Republican Party -

Resistance (electrical) –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 59 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Retail -

Revenue Sharing -

Revere, Paul -

Revolutionary War -

Rhetoric -

Rheumatic Fever -

Rhine River -

Rhode Island -

Rhodes Scholar-

Richard the Lion-Hearted -

Richmond. Virginia-

Richter Scale -

Right Angle -

Rigor Mortis -

Rio de Janeiro –

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 60 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Rio Grande -

Robin Hood -

Robinson, Jackie -

Rockefeller, John D. -

Rock of Gibraltar -

Rockwell, Norman -

Rocky Mountains -

Roman Empire -

Rome -

Roosevelt, Franklin Delano (FDR) -

Roosevelt, Theodore (Teddy) -

Ross, Betsy -

Rough Riders -

Rule of Thumb -

Ruth, Babe -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 61 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Sacramento, California -

Sadat, Anwar -

Saigon -

Saint Lawrence River -

Saliva -

Salt Lake City, Utah -

Salvation Army -

Samson and Delilah -

San Andreas Fault -

San Francisco, California -

Santa Fe Trail -

Sarcasm -

Satellite -

Saturn (planet) -

Saudi Arabia -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 62 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

Savings Bond -

Saxophone -

Scarlet Letter, The (title) -

Schizophrenia -

Scotland -

Scotland Yard -

Seattle, Washington -

Secret Service -

Secular -

Segregation -

Shakespeare -

Shawnee Indians -

Sheba, Queen of -

Shenandoah Valley -

Sherlock Holmes -

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 63 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Sherwood Forest
- Siberia
- Sickle cell anemia
- Silicon chip
- Silicon Valley
- Simon Legree
- Singapore
- Sioux Indians
- Sitting Bull
- Situation comedy
- Slavery
- Sleeping Beauty (title)
- Sliding scale
- Small intestine
- Smallpox

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 64 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Smell a rat
- Smithsonian Institute
- Smog
- Snake in the grass
- Snow White
- Social Security
- Software
- Solar cell
- Solar energy
- Solar system
- Sonic boom
- Sousa, John Philip
- South Africa
- South America
- South Carolina

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 65 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- South Dakota
- Southern Hemisphere
- South Korea
- South Pole
- Sovereignty
- Spain
- Spanish-American War
- Spanish Inquisition
- Speaker of the House
- Speed of Light
- Sphere
- Spontaneous combustion
- Spore
- Stalagmite
- Stalin, Joseph

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 66 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Standard deviation
- Standard of living
- Stars and Stripes, The
- State of the Union address
- Static electricity
- Statue of Liberty
- Status
- Status quo
- Statute of limitations
- Still waters run deep
- Stock exchange
- Stockholm
- Stone Age
- Stonehenge
- Stowe, Harriet Beecher

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 67 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Strange bedfellows
- Stratosphere
- Streetcar Named Desire, A (title)
- Strip mine
- Subpoena
- Subsidy
- Suez Canal
- Summa Cum Laude
- Superconductor
- Supernova
- Supreme Court
- Sweatshop
- Sweden
- Sweet Adeline (song)
- Switzerland

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 68 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Sydney (Australia)
- Synagogue
- Syphilis
- Syracuse, New York
- Syria
- Taft, William Howard
- Taiwan
- Take the bitter with the sweet
- Tampa, Florida
- Tangent
- Tariff
- Tax shelter
- Tel Aviv
- Tell, William
- Tennessee

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 69 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Tennessee River
- Tenor (music)
- Tenure
- Testosterone
- Tet offensive
- Texas
- Thailand
- Thames, River
- Thatcher, Margaret
- Theme
- Therapy
- There is no fool like an old fool
- Thermodynamics
- Thermostat
- Thesis

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 70 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Third Reich
- Third world
- Thirteen Colonies
- Thirty-Year War
- Thor
- Thorpe, Jim
- Three Mile Island
- Tibet
- Times Square
- Titanic, the
- Tit for tat
- Tokyo
- Tom Thumb
- Topsoil
- Toronto

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 71 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Transistor
- Trapezoid
- Trauma
- Trench warfare
- Trombone
- Truman, Harry S.
- Truth is stranger than fiction
- Tucson, Arizona
- Tundra
- Turkey
- Turner, Nat
- Twain, Mark
- Tycoon
- Typhoid fever
- Typhoon

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 72 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- U-boat
- UHF (ultrahigh frequency)
- Ulcer
- Ultraviolet
- Uncle Tom
- Underground railroad
- Unicorn
- Unilateral
- United Kingdom
- United Nations
- Uranium
- Uranus (planet)
- Utah
- Utopia
- Vaccine

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 73 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Valley Forge
- Vancouver
- van Gogh, Vincent
- Vanishing point
- Vapor pressure
- Vector
- Velocity
- Venezuela
- Venus (planet)
- Vermont
- Versailles
- Vertebrate
- Veto
- Vigilante
- Vikings, the

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The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Vinci, Leonardo da
- Virginia
- Vitamin
- Voting Rights Act of 1965
- Wall Street
- Warsaw Pact
- Washington, Booker T.
- Washington, George
- Washington, D.C.,
- Waterloo, Battle of
- Wells, H.G.,
- West Virginia
- Whitney, Eli
- William and Mary
- Wisconsin

QUEST FOR LITERACY: Lesson 75 Worksheet
The Science Literacy Project

Instructions:

Go to the library, Internet or other educational resource facility and look up the definition of the words, significance of the phrases, importance of a day in history, cities, book titles and other wide-ranging topics. Write your response next to the word, phrase or date for future study reference.

- Wordsworth, William
- Work ethic
- Wren, Sir Christopher
- Wyoming
- X-ray
- Yankee
- Yellowstone National Park
- Yom Kippur
- Yorktown, Battle of
- Young, Brigham
- Yucatan
- Yukon
- Zion, Mount
- Zola, Emile
- Zurich

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