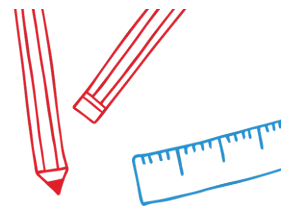


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Suggested Interview Questions

Knowledge and Historical Significance (appropriate to grade level)

- Why did you choose this topic?
- Why should someone your age in another country or province know about your topic?
- What is the “big story” or context behind your topic?
- How does your topic connect to another important story?

Research and Evidence (appropriate to grade level)

- Show me the sources/documents that you used... tell me what you learned from them?
- What sources were the most useful, and why?
- Why was source X a good way to learn?
- What discoveries or further questions did source X lead you to?
- What else was going on in Canada at this time that might have influenced your topic?
- Are there any people that are missing from your story?

Presentation (appropriate to grade level)

- What pleases you most about the presentation of your project?
- What would you have done differently?
- Why did you choose to demonstrate your research this way?

Interview (appropriate to grade level)

- What did you learn about history and how historians think by doing this project?
- What did you learn about yourself and your abilities by doing this project?
- What did you find most surprising by doing this project?