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Connection to Standards • History
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- 3rd: 1.1.1.a, b; 1.2.2.a, b, c
- 4th: 1.1.1.a, b, c, d
- 5th: 1.1.1.a, b; 1.2.2.b
We encourage you to visit all of the exhibits, however, the activity locations in this packet are marked by the blue tower logo.

Share photos from your visit! @cspioneersmuseum
Read the labels for each of the four letters in the exhibit to find the dates for the questions below. Add the events to the timeline in chronological order (from the longest ago to the most recent).

1. **D: Soap Box Derby** - When was the first official Soap Box Derby Race held? _______________
2. **V: Vallejos Restaurant** - What year did the restaurant open? _______________
3. **B: Bloomer Girl** - What year did Julia Archibald Holmes travel to Colorado? _______________
4. **X: X Marks the Spot** - When was Colorado Springs Founded? _______________

**Event _____**

1850 1858 1871 1907 1934 1936 1962 1965

**EVIDENCE: GENERAL PALMER**

William Jackson Palmer founded Colorado Springs in 1871. This exhibit uses primary sources as evidence to tell his and his family’s story.

Primary sources are first-hand, original accounts or evidence about a person, place, object, or an event. Look for the three types of primary sources listed below and draw an example from the exhibit:

Object/Artifact | Handwritten Document | Photograph
**VAN BRIGGLE POTTERY**

Artus Van Briggle was one of many people who came to Colorado Springs to recover from an illness called Tuberculosis. While he was here he created and sold artwork.

Look around the exhibit and write TRUE or FALSE for each: The Van Briggle’s made...

- Clothing __________________________
- Pottery ___________________________
- Paintings _________________________
- Tiles _____________________________
- Quilts ____________________________

**Can you find this cast of hands made out of clay? Who’s hands are these?**

- __________________________________
- __________________________________

**Take the 1917 birdcage elevator to the 3rd floor/upper level!**

**CULTURAL CROSSROADS**

Visit the Cultural Crossroads exhibit. Can you list two of the American Indian tribes that lived and traded in this region?

1. __________________________________
2. __________________________________

Throughout history American Indians in this region have used local materials and traded with people from other places.

Which materials below were found in this area and which had to be traded for? Write “L” for local materials, and “T” for traded materials:

- Eagle Feathers: ________ Horse Hair: ________
- Sea Shells: ________ Glass Beads: ________
- Porcupine Quills: ________ Leather (Animal Hide): ________

**Can you find examples of these materials in the exhibit?**

Today there are over 7,000 Ute People, many of whom live on one of the three reservations. The towns of Towaoc and Ignacio, Colorado; and Fort Duchesne and White Rock, Utah are the seats of their tribal government.

Information and map from the Nuu-ciu Strong curriculum
ANY PLACE THAT IS NORTH & WEST

Visit the Any Place That is North and West exhibit. Can you find this volume of the magazine A Free Republic?

Gretchen McRae, a local writer and Civil Rights activist, published this national magazine.

How much did this magazine cost in 1939? ____________________

People like Gretchen McRae have worked to make positive changes in the world. What problem would you work to change today?

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CITY OF SUNSHINE

The Modern Woodmen Sanatorium - A treatment center for TB patients

Many people came to Colorado Springs to recover from a disease called tuberculosis - “TB” (or consumption).

By looking at different primary sources and the text in the exhibit can you list two reasons why Colorado Springs was a good place to recover from this disease?

1. ______________________________________________________
2. ______________________________________________________

Find the video at the entrance of the train worker. He says:

“The atmosphere is free from all germ life.”

Do you think this is true or false? (circle one)

TRUE      FALSE

Why do you think the train worker said this false statement?

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**My Timeline**

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Choose (3) events from your life. Draw a picture of the event and write what the event was.

Birth --->--->---> Today