

Women In History
Scholars Speak
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Let's Hear it for the Girls!!

Our Scholars Speak topic for this month is WOMEN IN HISTORY!

Your assignment this week is to read about 3 (or more) women in history. Choose three women from the links below.

1. See who America thinks should be on the \$20 bill!

<http://www.womenon20s.org/candidates> Read the article about the candidates who were finalists for the \$20 bill.

2. Amazing Women of the Revolutionary War:

<http://allthingsliberty.com/2013/10/10-amazing-women-revolutionary-war/>

3. Here's Scholastic's list of the top 30 women in history.

<http://teacher.scholastic.com/activities/women/notable.htm>

4. Here is a website about Katherine Johnson, one of the "computers" in the movie Hidden Figures.

<https://www.facebook.com/amightygirl/posts/932288446807469:0>

5. This blog talks about **15 amazing women in science**: <http://www.amightygirl.com/blog?p=11511>

Once you have researched three women, choose one who stands out to you as worthy of being on our twenty dollar bill. Then write a two paragraph essay. **In the first paragraph**, tell us what you learned about your remarkable woman. **In your second paragraph**, tell us why she is the best candidate to replace Andrew Jackson on the twenty dollar bill. Use all of your persuasive skills!

Genre: Informational & Argumentative

Paragraphs: 2 -3

Resources: Social Studies book or notes, Internet, library books

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Name: _____ # _____

Name of Woman in History	Known for:	Interesting Fact(s)