

Primary and Secondary sources

1. Declaration of Independence
Primary source
2. An autobiography
Primary source
3. A classmate giving a report about Cleopatra. The classmate is a
secondary source
4. Adam told me that someone got hurt during gym when he was there. Adam is the
primary source
5. The constitution
primary source
6. A map drawn by Christopher Columbus
primary source
7. World book online and other encyclopedias
secondary source
8. My grandmother found a diary written by a daughter of a Civil War soldier dated from
1863-1865. She talked about what the war was like in New Orleans. Is that diary a
primary or secondary source?
Primary source
9. A news reporter was talking about a really big storm in Chicago that she experienced
last year. The reporter is a
Primary source
10. A biography about Abraham Lincoln
secondary source
11. An original photograph from the 1941 attack at Pearl Harbor
Primary source
12. Anne Frank's diary describing her life during World War 2
Primary source