

Social and Political Movements Research Instructions:

1. Pick a social or political movement that sought to achieve or prevent change in the United States through legal means of civic engagement
2. Answer the questions on the handout relating to your movement
3. Once you have answered the questions, find a primary source (photograph, document, letter, or similar) relating to your movement
4. Suggested Websites for finding primary sources:
 - Library of Congress: www.loc.gov
 - National Archives: www.archives.gov

Examples of Social and Political Movements:

- Women's' Suffrage Movements
- Temperance Movement
- Civil Rights Movements (various groups)
- Environmental Movements
- Wars and Weapons Movements
- Labor Movements
- Gun Rights/Gun Safety Movements
- Responses to specific government actions