

Note-Taking Guide

For analyzing Civil War documents

Use this to guide your reading of the documents in this unit on the Civil War. To start, scan through the document looking for clues to each of the questions below, and highlight important information as you go.

<p>The Document Title and source of the document.</p> <p>What type of document is it?</p> <p>Point of View Who's speaking in the document? What can you tell about the speaker or creator from the document?</p> <p>Information What specific information do you draw from the document about <i>children</i> in the Civil War?</p>	<p>Your Interpretation Based on the knowledge that you already have, how do you interpret the information in the document? How does it add to or change your perspective? Is it credible? Why or why not? What questions does it raise?</p> <p>Using the Information How does the information you found in the document help you to understand a <i>child's perspective</i> of the Civil War?</p>
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