

Guiding Questions about SCIENTISTS

1. General Information

- a. Birth/death date
- b. Birthplace, home town, other places they lived
- c. Education (where did they go to school?)
- d. 4 important things they did in their life (include at least 1 contribution to the science community!)
- e. 6-10 facts about personal life (spouse, children, pets, appearance, personality quirks, friends, religion, favorites)

2. Scientific Contribution

- a. What is the most important contribution your scientist made to the science community?
(should be listed in 1d)
- b. Why is it important?
- c. Who in the scientific community uses it? (doctors, engineers, common people, teachers, etc.)
- d. How does it affect our lives today?
- e. Has this contribution been changed or improved since it was discovered? How?

3. Source of Scientific Contribution

- a. What inspired the scientist's contribution?
- b. Were there any significant events happening in the world or personal life that may have led the scientist in his or her discovery?
- c. Did the scientist work alone or with others? If so, who?