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You are the Historian

INVESTIGATING THE FIRST THANKSGIVING

Go to http://www.plimoth.org/education/olc/index_js2.html and use the site to answer the following questions.

Introduction

What are historians? _____

What did the pilgrims call the first Thanksgiving? _____

Now press "Enter to begin your investigation".

Fact or Myth?

A, B, or C. Which one was a fact? _____

The first Thanksgiving probably took place in which month? _____

How long was the first Thanksgiving? _____

How many Indian men attended the first Thanksgiving? _____ How many colonist? _____

Click Visit the Expert. What is the difference between history and the past? _____

Click Home and choose "The Evidence".

The Evidence

What is a primary source? _____

Use the magic lens to read the letter and then click "Listen to the letter". Then click for the next step. Click the highlighted text and read more information .

What animal did Massosoit's men bring to the harvest celebration? _____

Are we sure that the Indians were even invited to the harvest celebration? Yes | No

Click Home. Next, click The Wampanoag People.

The Wampanoag People

What was the answer to the the Wampanoag riddle? _____

What does Wampanoag mean? _____

Click each of the stones and listen.

What did the Wampanoag houses look like? _____

What game do the Wampanoag play at strawberry harvest time? _____

What method of travel would the Wampanoag use to get to other villages? _____

What seasons do the Wampanoag hunt in? _____

After clicking all the stones, click the rattle, then visit the expert and then click Home. Next, click English Colonists.

The English Colonists

What was the name of the English Settlement? _____

How many houses were in the colony at the time of the celebration? _____

Go into Remember's House. Click the objects in her house to answer these questions.

How did the colonists entertain themselves? _____

What will Remember eat at the harvest celebration in 1621? _____

Click Home. Next, click The Path to 1621.

The Path to 1621

Was the relationship between the Wampanoag and the colonists always good? Yes | No

Mayflower Departs, 1620. What country is the girl from? _____

November 1620

What did the colonists steal from the Wampanoag? _____

Where the colonists willing to pay back the owners of the stolen items? Yes | No

What happened in 1665 between the colonists and the Indians? _____