

Name:

TOPIC:

Block:

Pre-Research Overview

_____ EVENT

_____ PERSON

_____ OTHER

In order to complete this pre-research guide, you will need to read relevant information from all three sources - 1) World Book Online, 2) Facts on File (login/password –jpcase/tigers) and 3) Junior Reference Collection (flem8851/tigers) **OR** Encyclopedia.com.

WHO?

On the back of this paper name three people frequently discussed in your readings about your topic and explain their relationship to your topic. If necessary, look up each person in Facts on File to help with answering this question. If your topic is a person, skip this and continue.

WHAT?

Describe the event(s) connected with your topic. If your topic is an event, explain another historical event that is connected to your event. If you need more room, continue on the back.

WHEN?

List key date(s) of your topic -

Which event below is most relevant to your topic? Explain the significance between your topic and the event.

The **Civil War** (1861-1865)

Slavery ended in our country with the passage of the Thirteenth Amendment on December 6, 1865

Westward Expansion (1840-1870)

WHERE?

Where did your event take place? Can you identify a city and/or a state? How about an area or region of the country?