

“The teachers at Washington Township Elementary Schools in Gloucester County purchased Teacher Created Materials products to support the implementation of their curriculum aligned with the New Jersey Social Studies Standards. The materials have served as an effective vehicle for integrating 21<sup>st</sup> century learning skills and the Common Core Standards.

The fourth grade teachers appreciate the rich *Primary Sources* kits, containing documents to support their teaching of U.S. History. Students are able to get a glimpse into the past beyond what a textbook can provide. This methodology of teaching has developed critical 21<sup>st</sup> century thinking skills, such as critical thinking and deductive reasoning skills. Additionally, they serve as an effective resource for conducting close reading.”

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