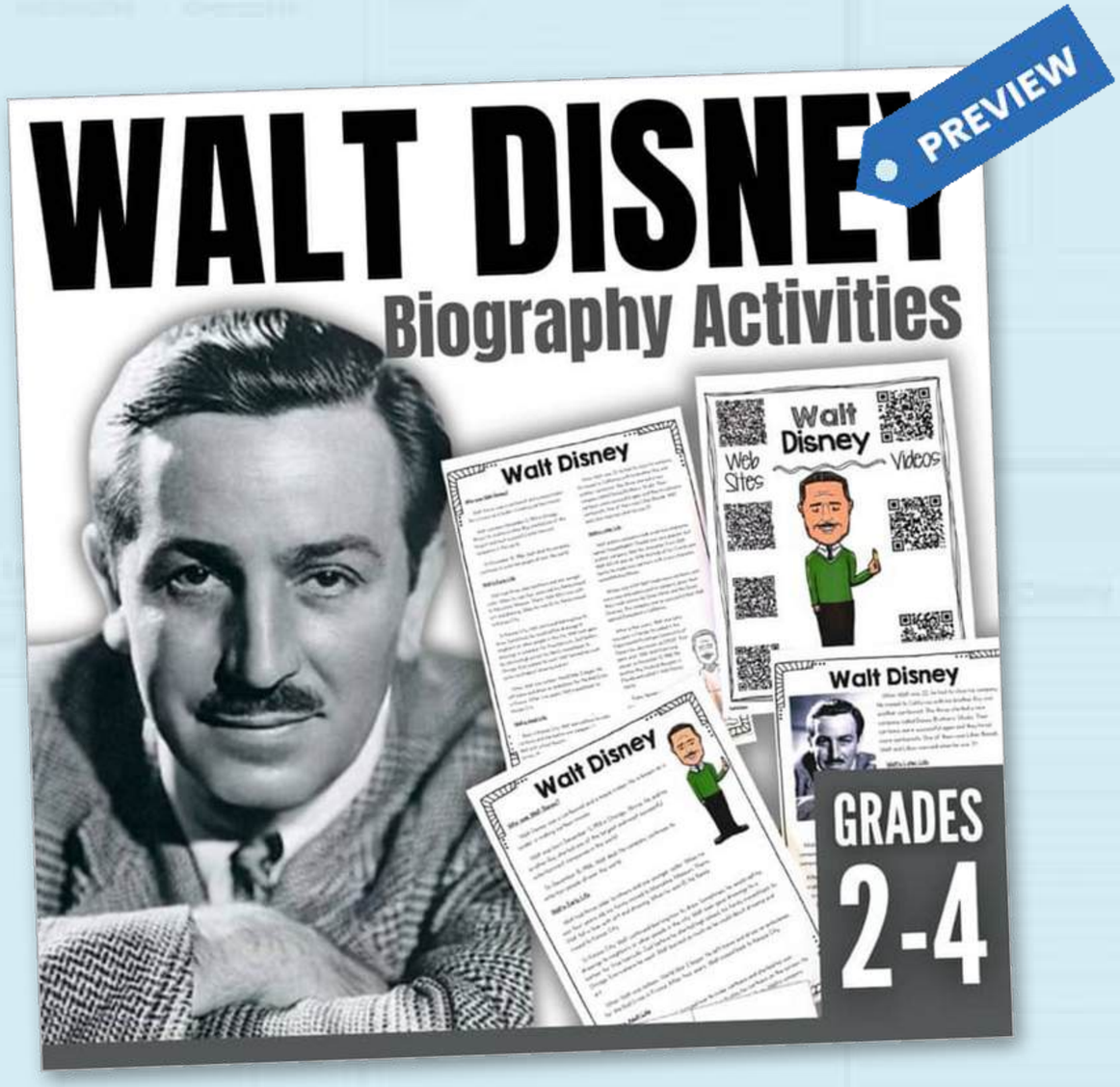
GRADES 2-5



READ, RESEARCH, AND WRITE

WALT DISNEY

BIOGRAPHY

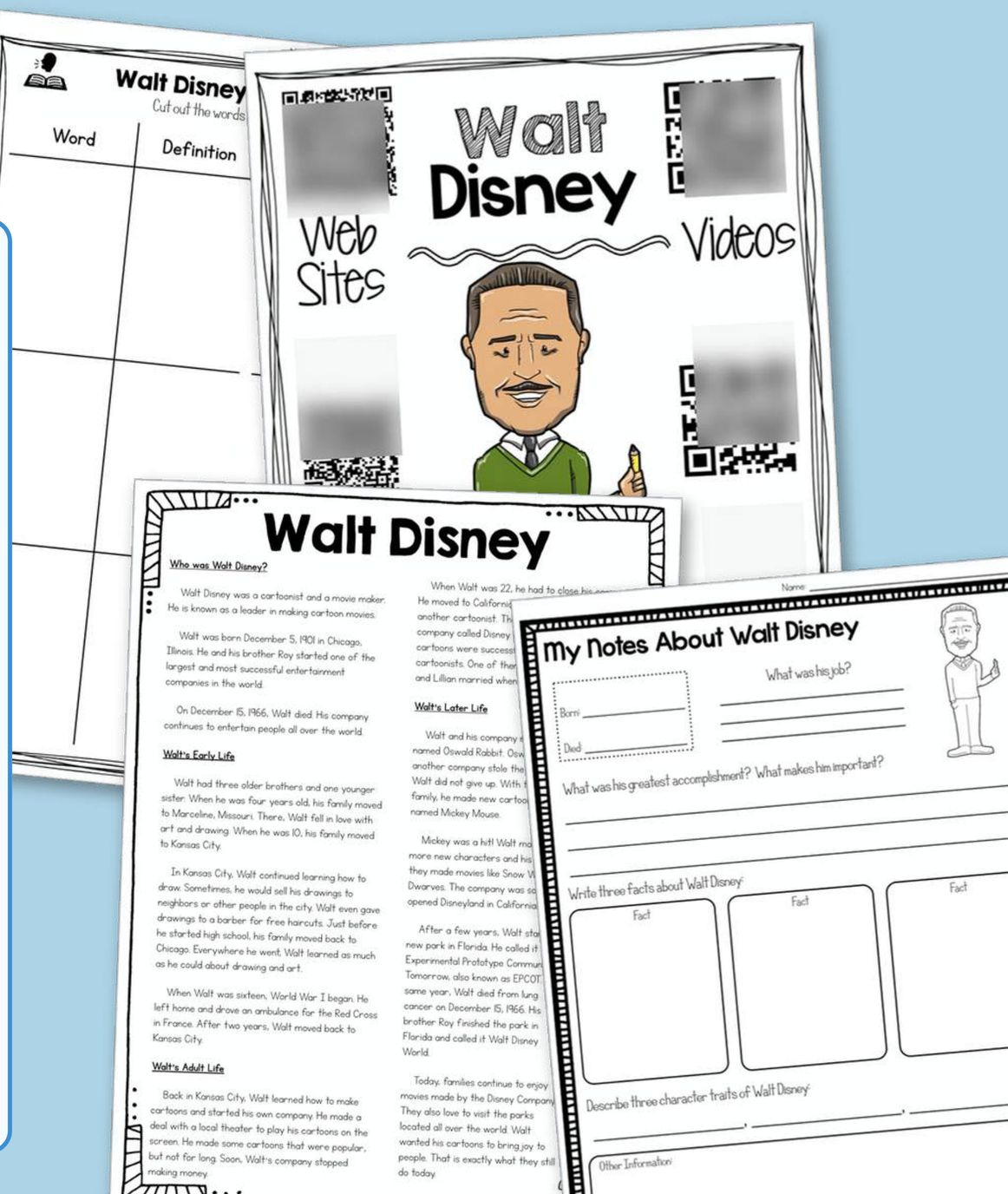
Reading, Research, and Biography Writing

KEEP SCROLLING TO SEE WHAT'S INSIDE!

WHAT'S INCLUDED

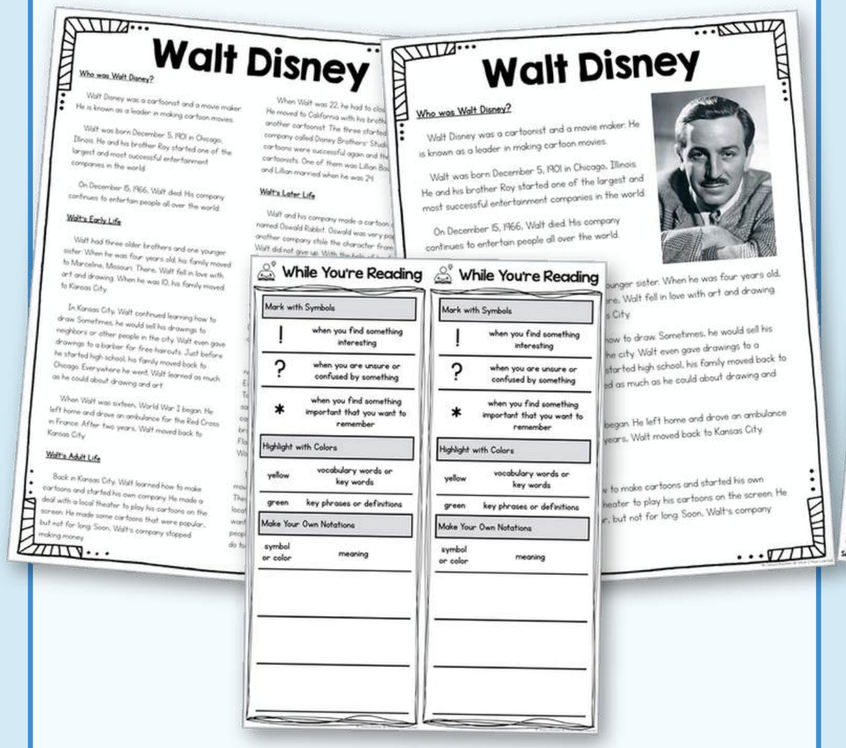
Read, research, and write

- 50+ Page Biography Resource
- Biography Text in Two Formats
- Vocabulary Cards, Posters, and Activities
- QR-Code Websites and Videos
- Comprehension Questions and Cloze Read
- Research Notes and Graphic Organizers
- Sequence Events and Fact Sorts
- Compare and Contrast Activities
- Summary and Biography Report Pages
- Older-Student Pages Without Cute Graphics
- Answer Keys Included



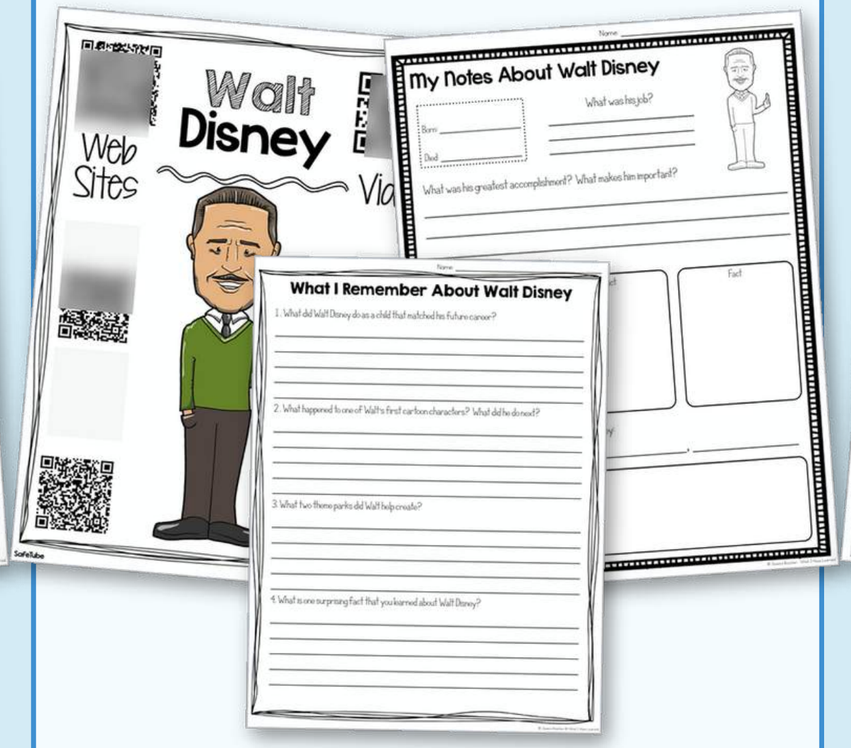
INSIDE THE BIOGRAPHY RESOURCE

TWO READING FORMATS



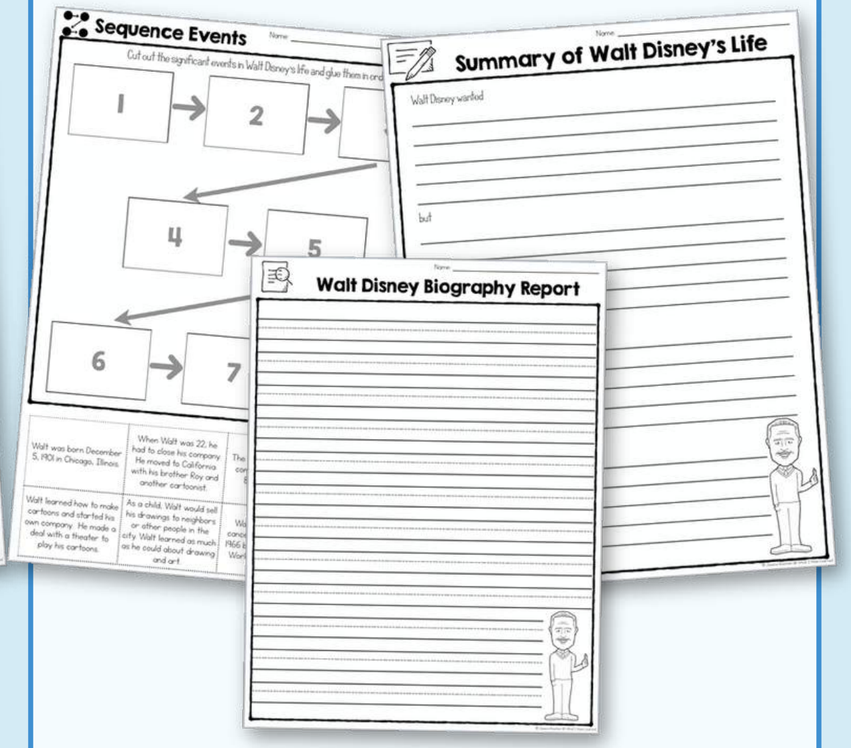
Use the illustrated or plain biography format to fit your students' reading needs.

RESEARCH SUPPORT



QR-code resources and note pages help students gather and record facts about Walt Disney.

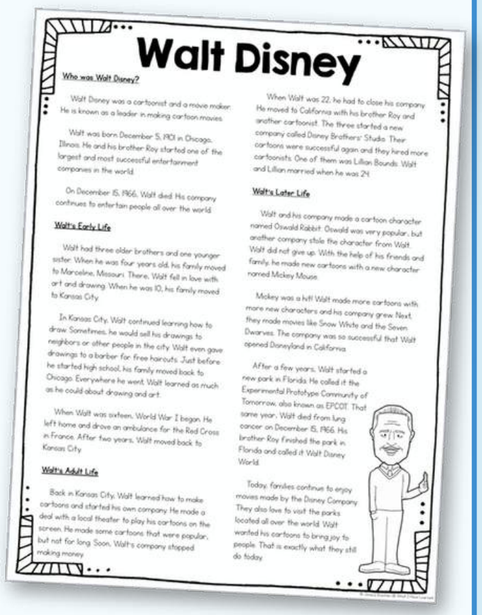
FROM NOTES TO REPORT



Students organize events, write a summary, and complete a biography report.

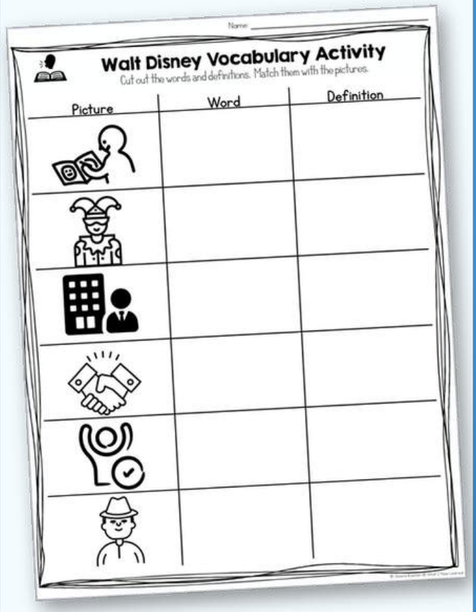
FROM READING TO BIOGRAPHY WRITING

READ



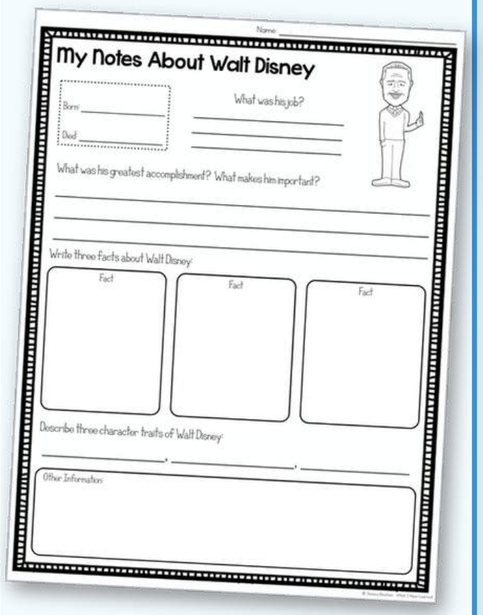
Read a clear nonfiction biography about Walt Disney.

LEARN



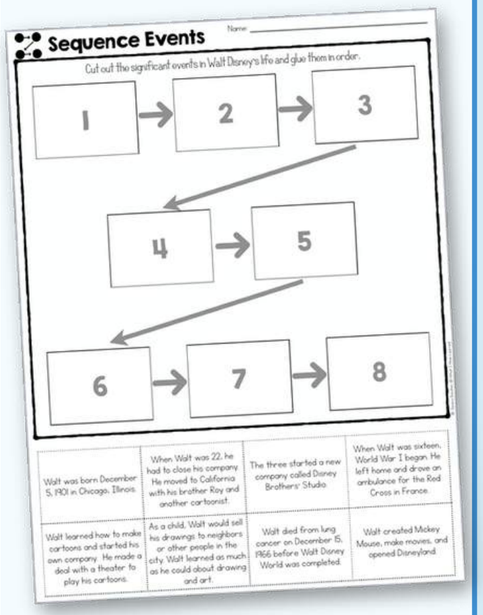
Build vocabulary with picture cards, posters, and word work.

RESEARCH



Gather facts about Walt Disney's life, work, and leadership.

ORGANIZE



Sequence events and sort facts into useful categories.

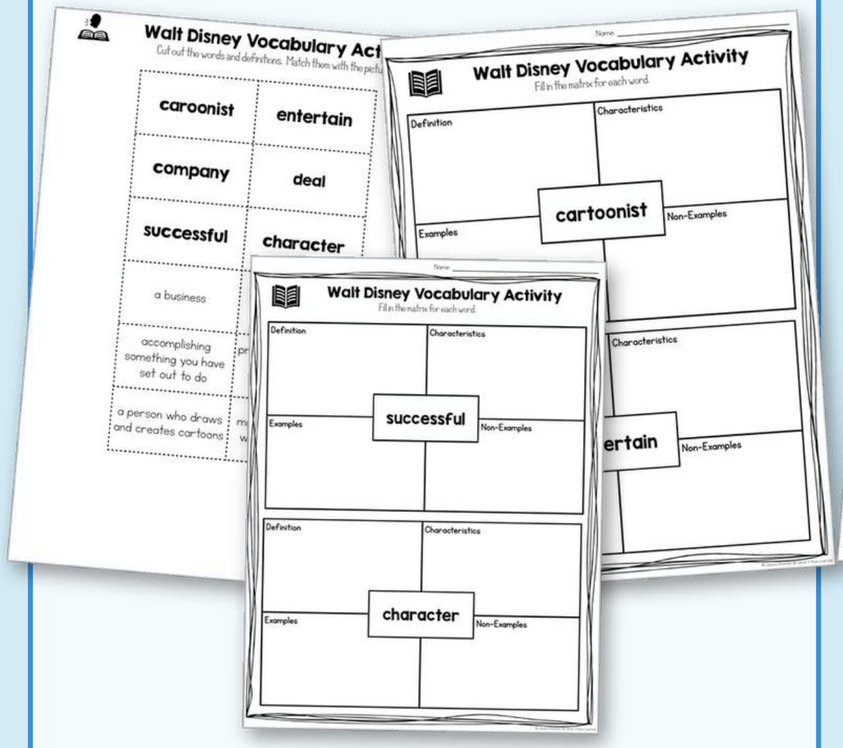
WRITE



Use report pages to turn notes into an informational biography.

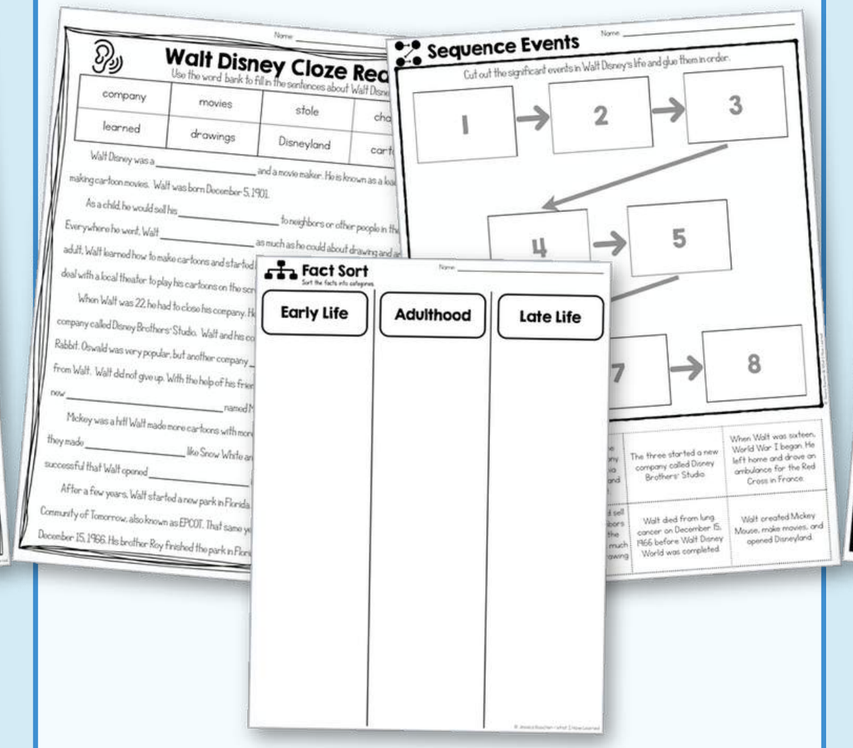
STUDENT PAGES THAT BUILD UNDERSTANDING

VOCABULARY



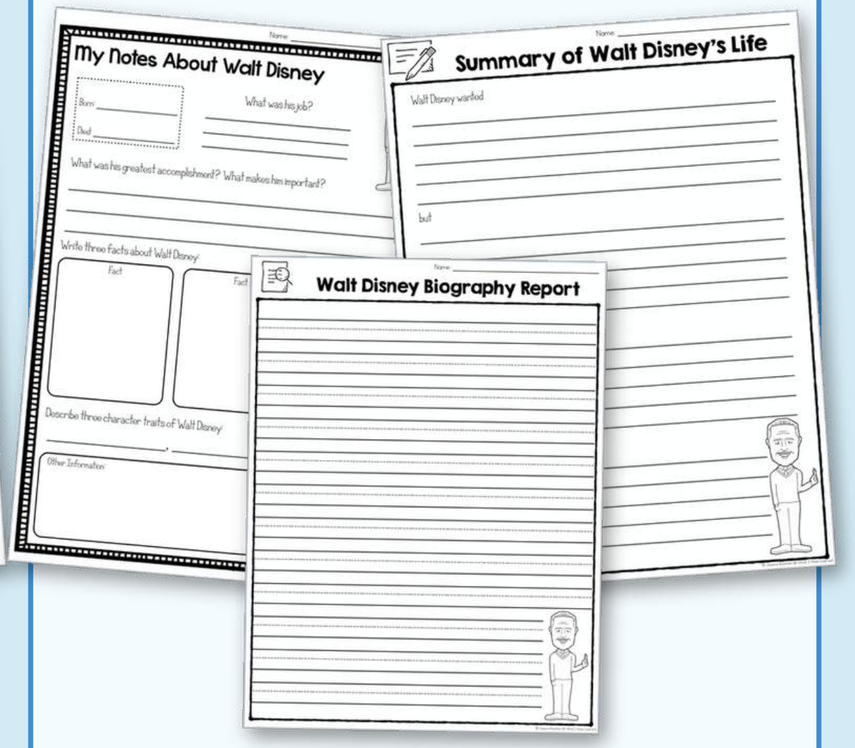
Picture cards, matching activities, and vocabulary matrices.

COMPREHENSION



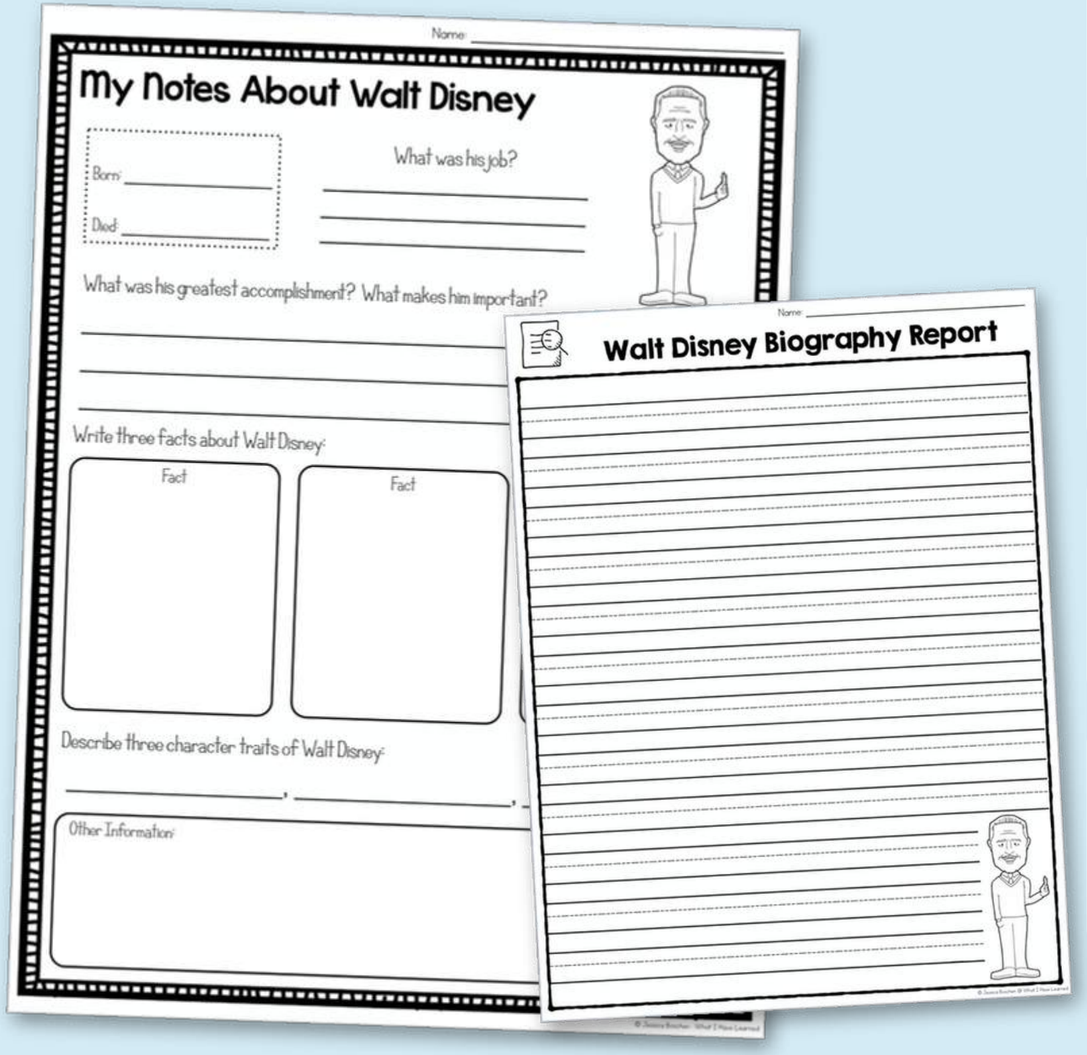
Cloze reading, sequencing, and fact sorting for understanding.

REPORT WRITING



Research notes, summary pages, and biography report templates.

WAYS TO USE THIS RESOURCE



1

WHOLE-CLASS BIOGRAPHY STUDY

Read the biography together, then model how to pull important facts from the text.

2

INDEPENDENT RESEARCH

Let students use the reading pages, QR-code resources, and notes pages to guide research.

3

SMALL-GROUP READING SUPPORT

Use the two reading formats to meet students where they are as readers.

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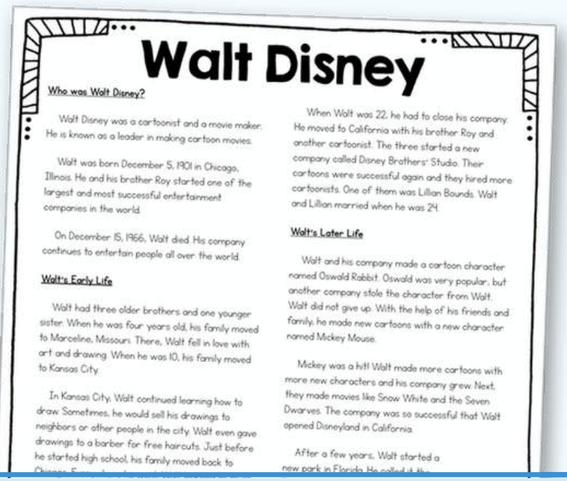
INFORMATIONAL WRITING PROJECT

Move from notes to a summary and finished biography report.

YOU WILL LOVE THIS BECAUSE

READY TO READ

Students learn about Walt Disney through clear nonfiction text and an illustrated format.



Walt Disney

Who was Walt Disney?

Walt Disney was a cartoonist and a movie maker. He is known as a leader in making cartoon movies.

Walt was born December 5, 1901 in Chicago, Illinois. He and his brother Roy started one of the largest and most successful entertainment companies in the world.

On December 15, 1966, Walt died. His company continues to entertain people all over the world.

Walt's Early Life

Walt had three older brothers and one younger sister. When he was four years old, his family moved to Marceline, Missouri. There, Walt fell in love with art and drawing. When he was 10, his family moved to Kansas City.

In Kansas City, Walt continued learning how to draw. Sometimes, he would sell his drawings to neighbors or other people in the city. Walt even gave drawings to a barber for free haircuts. Just before he started high school, his family moved back to

When Walt was 22, he had to close his company. He moved to California with his brother Roy and another cartoonist. The three started a new company called Disney Brothers' Studio. Their cartoons were successful again and they hired more cartoonists. One of them was Lillian Bounds. Walt and Lillian married when he was 24.

Walt's Later Life

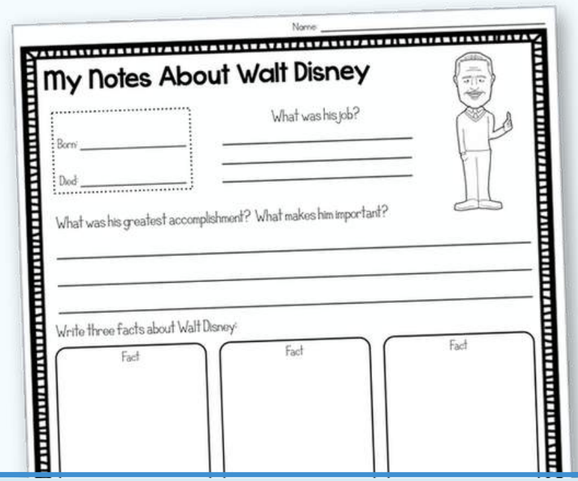
Walt and his company made a cartoon character named Oswald Rabbit. Oswald was very popular, but another company stole the character from Walt. Walt did not give up. With the help of his friends and family, he made new cartoons with a new character named Mickey Mouse.

Mickey was a hit! Walt made more cartoons with more new characters and his company grew. Next, they made movies like Snow White and the Seven Dwarves. The company was so successful that Walt opened Disneyland in California.

After a few years, Walt started a

EASY TO ORGANIZE

Vocabulary, notes, comprehension, and sequencing pages guide the research process.



Name: _____

My Notes About Walt Disney

Born: _____

Died: _____

What was his job?

What was his greatest accomplishment? What makes him important?

Write three facts about Walt Disney:

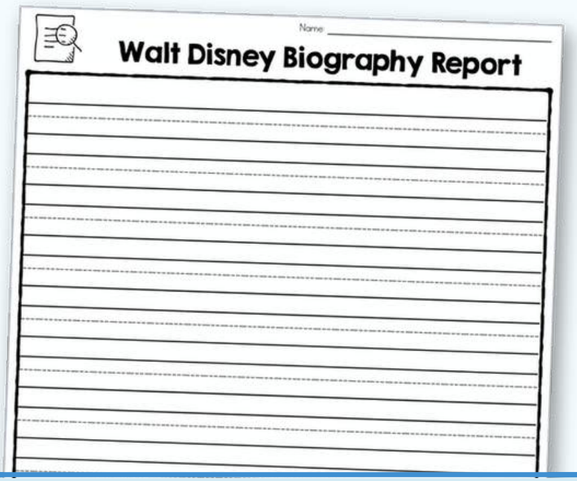
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REPORT WRITING INCLUDED

Students use summaries and report pages to write about Walt Disney's life and legacy.



Name: _____

Walt Disney Biography Report

TEACHERS LOVE IT!

★★★★★

Was a great resource for students they found it engaging and easy to use!

Maya Guzman

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A great addition to our unit focusing on Disney both the person and the park.

Katherine B.

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This is a great resource that your students will really enjoy.

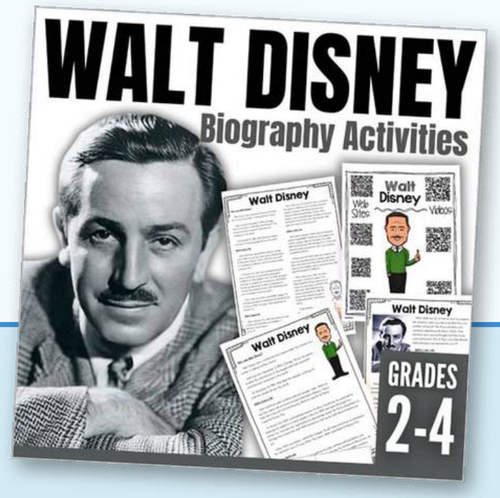
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What I have LEARNED