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Activity Idea

BIOGRAPHY CUBE

Recommended for Ages 8+

Supplies Needed:

- Pen or pencil or markers
- Scissors
- Glue
- Printed template

What is a Biography?

A biography is the story telling of someone's life, written by someone else.

What should a biography cube include?

Think about how to respond to the following questions. Your report should include facts about the person such as:

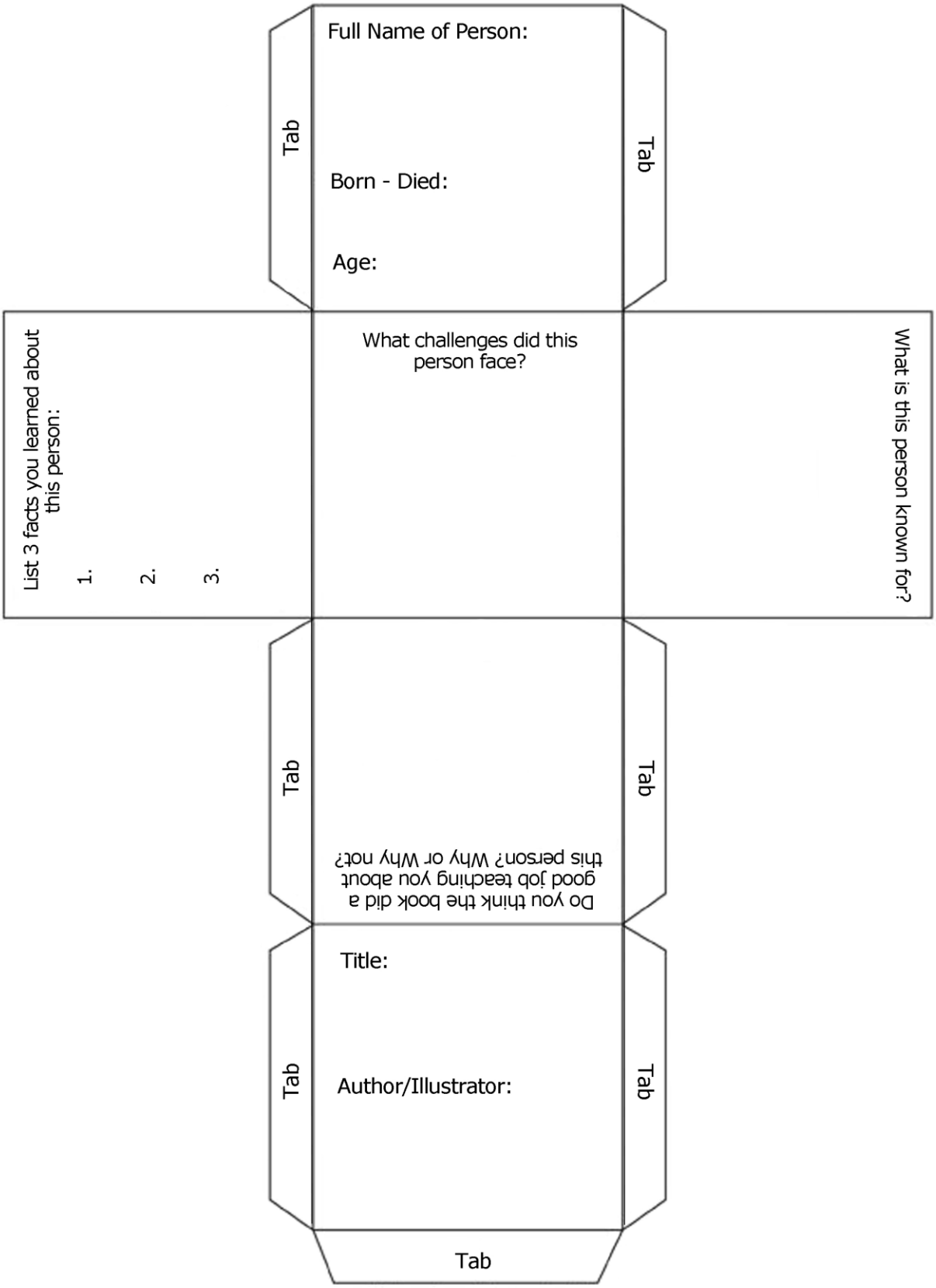
- Full name of the person you are reading about
- Title of the book
- Author of the book
- A brief description about the person
    - Date and place of birth
    - Date of death, if applicable
- Provide information about the person in your own words
    - Why was this person important? What did they do?
    - Chronological information (childhood, school life, adult life)
    - What challenges did this person face?
- Do you think the book did a good job teaching you about this person? Why or why not?

Read More on Overdrive!

Picture Book Biographies

Booker T. Washington by Suzanne Buckingham Slade, https://tinyurl.com/yb9roy5j
House of Dreams by Liz Rosenberg, https://tinyurl.com/y89g5c77
I Am Neil Armstrong by Brad Meltzer, https://tinyurl.com/ydxa5y4v
Whoosh! by Chris Barton, https://tinyurl.com/yb22ovga
Dr. Jo by Monica Kulling, https://tinyurl.com/ycm9oqjg

Full Length Biographies

Ski Soldier by Louise Borden, https://tinyurl.com/ybru962b
Alexander Hamilton by Teri Kanefield, https://tinyurl.com/y7ku3r54
Who was Abigail Adams? by Truth Kelley, https://tinyurl.com/y8baxc4j

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