READING LIKE A HISTORIAN



Anti-Suffragists Lesson (11.5.4)

Background:

The fight for women's suffrage brought out strong feelings on both sides. Men and women were found on both sides of the struggle. In 1920, the suffragette's won their campaign with the passage of the 19 Amendment women gained the right to vote.

Prompt:

Why did people, including women, oppose woman suffrage?

Task:

In a well-thought out essay:

- Write a thesis in response to the prompt.
- Explain what evidence in the documents led you to this conclusion.
- Be certain to cite at least four pieces of evidence from the documents that support your thesis.