



Thermopylae Lesson (6.4.6)

Background:

In order to create accounts of the past, historians work with primary and secondary sources to find evidence that supports their claim. They also use sources to evaluate the claims of other historians.

Prompt:

How many Persians were at the Battle of Thermopylae?

Task:

In a well thought out response:

- State a claim in response to the prompt, using the prompt as a sentence stem.
- Support your claim using at least two pieces of evidence from the documents.
 - Be sure to explain why the evidence you selected supports your claim.