

Worksheet B: Learning from Material Artifacts and Historic Sites

Instructions: Read the "Visual Glossary" section of the website. Choose a nearby burial ground to visit and fill out this worksheet while you safely explore the site.

Name the burial ground and its location. Describe the setting in the burial ground and its surrounding neighborhood.

Describe the types of memorials you see in the burial ground. Are the memorials similar in type, or are there a variety of types? What type is the most numerous? Are there any large or uncommon type memorials?

Identify symbols present on the memorial markers. Draw or list of the different symbols you see and write the possible meaning for the symbol. Keep a tally for symbols which appear often.

Analyze inscriptions from memorial markers. Other than names and dates, record any inscriptions you can find.