

# WebQuest

## Walking Through Time: The Life of Amelia Earhart

### Introduction

You will journey through time to explore the life of Amelia Earhart. When you are done gathering information, you will work with others to create a class timeline to compare important events in Amelia's life with important events in world history.

### Process

#### Step 1

You will need a journal or other notebook to take notes as you go to each Web site.

#### Step 2

Visit each of the Web sites listed below. Click all of the links on each site to learn about Amelia Earhart's life and her contributions to the field of aviation. Use the timeline on the **HyperHistory** site to learn about what was happening in the world during Amelia Earhart's lifetime.

#### Web Sites:

- [Amelia Earhart Biography](#)
- [Amelia Earhart Birthplace Museum](#)
- [The National Women's Hall of Fame](#) (On this site, click Women of the Hall, then the letter E. Then click Amelia Earhart.)
- [Official Amelia Earhart Web Site](#)
- [HyperHistory Online](#)

#### Step 3

After you visit each site, take some time to add other events in Amelia's life about which you learned when reading the book. Write those events in your notes so that you can add them to the class timeline.

#### Step 4

After you or your team have completed all research, your teacher will divide you into groups to create the class timeline. The top portion of the timeline will show important world events. The bottom portion will show important events in Amelia's life.

### Conclusion: Things to Think About

Once the class timeline is complete, look at the two portions of the timeline and think about how world events might have shaped Amelia's life. Then, think about whether world events today help to shape your life.