**PRIMARY VS. SECONDARY SOURCES**

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| **PRIMARY SOURCE** | **SECONDARY SOURCE** |
| ***Definition:*** *Material from or directly related to the past.* | ***Definition:*** *Material created by somebody removed from the event being studied-who either not at the event or working later.* |
| Examples: |  |
| Art from the period | Textbooks |
| Artifacts such as pottery or weapons | Encyclopedias |
| Letters | Dictionaries |
| Newspapers |  |
| Photographs |  |
| Treaties or other documents |  |
| Diaries |  |