

Women of the West Webinar

Below is a pre- and post- lesson to help prepare for and extend Autry Museum's Women of the West Webinar.

Pre-Webinar Lesson (Please feel free to adapt this lesson to your needs).

Important Women in Your Life - Brainstorm

1. Who are the women who have made contributions to your life?
2. Choose one of those women and answer the question below. Think about
 - how she has impacted your life
 - what else she has done in the past and now
 - who she represents and how

Post-Webinar Lesson (Please feel free to adapt this lesson to your needs).

Important Women in Your Life - Snapshot Biography

We hope the webinar “inspired you to look for women’s stories in your own life.” Choose one of the women who made an impact on you that you brainstormed in the Pre-Lesson. Research her story, write your own biography of a Woman of the West and create a short presentation of the woman.

Research: Your research might include interviewing the person or people who know her, reading articles or books, and engaging with the things that woman did (looking at their art, listening to their music, etc.)

Written Biography: Your written biography will be a script used to present the important woman in your life. It should highlight the most important things about the woman. Please also include the following:

- Why you chose this woman - why she is important to you
- What she has done in the past and now
- Who she represents and how
- What she reveals about women today

Presentation: The presentation should be visual with few words and you should use your written biography to present. Your presentation can be a PowerPoint or Google Slide like the Women in the West Webinar, a Flipgrid, podcast or other type of presentation. Include images of the person, objects that represent them and quotes.