

Handout A

Source A

What is this source?

Describe what you see. What is happening in this image of a classroom?

About when do you think this image was created? Are there any clues to tell you when it was created?

Does this image tell you anything about gender equality in public education? If so, what does it tell you?

What else do you wonder about in this source? Do you have more questions about the people, events, time period, or anything else depicted in it?



Source B

What is this source?

Describe what you see. What is happening in this image?

About when do you think this image was created? Are there any clues to tell you when it was created?

Does this image tell you anything about racial equality in public education? If so, what does it tell you?

What else do you wonder about in this source? Do you have more questions about the people, events, time period, or anything else depicted in it?



Now think about both of the sources you examined.

What was the most interesting thing you noticed about the pictures? Why?

Did either of the sources represent equality in schools to you? Why or why not?

What do the sources reveal to you about public education and equality?