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 **Evaluating Sources**

**A is for AUTHOR...WHO created the source?  WHO is responsible for it?**

Which site is from a more reliable author? (circle one)

Battle of Lexington and Concord Revolutionary War Overview

How do you know? (what evidence or clues did you use to decide)

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**B is for BIAS...What is the PURPOSE of the source?**

What is the purpose of each of the sites? (persuade, inform, sell)

 Dehydrated Water \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Water Properties \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**What words or features provide clues to each site's purpose?**

 Dehydrated Water \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Water Properties \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**C is for CONTENT...Is the information in your source ACCURATE and RELIABLE?**

Which site has information you can trust to be accurate? (circle one)

 Tree Octopus Creature Feature

WHY can you trust the information on the site you chose? (use the WebQuest page to help you)

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**D is for DATE...WHEN was the source created?  WHEN was it last updated?**

When was each of the sites created or last updated? Circle the more reliable source.

 Invisibility Cloak \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Robo-fly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are the topics ones that would require current information? YES NO

**Prove you know your ABCD's.**

For each site below, determine if it is a reliable source. **Circle YES or NO.**  Then, **explain WHY** it is or isn’t reliable by **referring to the A, B, C, D’s of Source Evaluation**. Be specific!

**Dog Island** YES NO \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**New Currency** YES NO \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Foil Deflector** YES NO \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Space Station** YES NO \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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