

Helping Others Get Started with Family History - Course Information

COURSE OVERVIEW

The purpose of this course is to teach the research process and how to use five basic resources for family history research. As you view this course, there are some things you will need to know to be successful. This course was created for missionaries who serve in the Family History Library in Salt Lake City, Utah. It was designed to help them help guests to have a successful beginning family history experience. At the Family History Library our goal is to teach our guests how to do family history so when they leave they can successful continue their research from home. This course will help you learn the basics of family history research either for yourself or to guide you as you teach the process to others.

As you complete the lessons you will see various icons to alert you to what is to come.



The green Practice Now, Follow Along sign means you will be given step-by-step instructions to facilitate your learning of the concepts from the lesson.

The split monitor icon indicates that the practice or activity with this icon will be done with two browser windows opened simultaneously, side-by-side.



The stop sign indicates an activity where you will be asked to complete an activity or answer a series of questions, but step-by-step instructions are not supplied.

The flash drive icon indicates that you will be saving some documents to a flash drive.



The pencil icon indicates that you will be writing information on a piece of paper or other paper form that you will download for the lesson.

HANDOUTS

Most lessons include an instructional sheet to aid you in the completion of the practices and activities. It is recommended that you download this handout **before** you begin the lesson. This will prevent having to pause the lesson, return to the beginning screen, download the handout and start the lesson again.

KNOWLEDGE CHECKS

At the end of each lesson there is knowledge check. The knowledge check is a series of questions you will answer. How well you do on the knowledge check is based on how well you learned the lesson material. If you struggle with the knowledge check, you may want to review the lesson again and complete all practices and activities several times.

CONTACT US



If you have any questions, comments, or feedback regarding this course, please feel free to send an email to FHLMissionaryTraining@ChurchOfJesusChrist.org

Thank you for taking the time to read through this information sheet.