

How might settlement of the West increase tension between the North and the South?		
	Day 2	45 minutes
Learning Objective	Students will be able to pull key information from a secondary source to further their understanding of the issues underpinning the Missouri Compromise.	
Introduction	Ask students to turn to a table partner and discuss the question, “How might settlement of the West increase tension between the North and South?” Guide a whole class share out from some of the student pairs.	10 minutes
Evaluation of Sources	Pass out the article “The Missouri Compromise”. (Document B)	30 minutes
	Have students conduct a first read through with no annotation.	
	Have students conduct a second read through, this time with instruction to underline or highlight any information they identify as helpful in answering the supporting question.	
	Pass out a copy of the Historian’s Toolkit (Document C) to each student. Students should complete the first row “Source 1” using “The Missouri Compromise”.	
Closing	Have students work with a partner to check and revise answers.	5 minutes