

Historian



You will research Poe's personal life, specifically his family and his relations with others outside the specifics of his literature. You will focus on questions 16-20 of Part 1, and you will share this information with your group during Part 2.

Questions:

16. What were some of the tragic events Poe faced during his life?
17. How do you think these may have influenced Poe's writing?
18. Do you think Poe's frequent moves impacted his work? Explain.
19. Do you think the time period in which Poe lived is reflected in his writing? Explain.
20. What other interesting facts or information did you learn about Poe?

A Place to Start:

<http://www.matthewpearl.com/poe/deathdossier.html>

<http://www.online-literature.com/poe/>

<http://www.poestories.com/biography.php>