

LEARNING ABOUT LOCAL HISTORY

Choose one building or place in your local area, and then answer the questions. It can be a natural area (forest, river, beach) or a man-made area (church, park, building).

Draw a picture of your place.



Name of place:

Mount Vernon

Where is it? (Country, State / Province / Region):

U.S.A., Virginia

Historians always use evidence. What type of evidence did you use to learn about this place?

I used the internet and photos to learn about this place.

How was this place used long ago?

It was George Washington's home.

How is it used now?

Mount Vernon is a popular historic site and museum.

Who used this place long ago?

George Washington and his family used this place long ago.

Who uses it now?

Everyone who visits the museum.

How is this place interesting? What did you learn?

This place is interesting since it's the home for George Washington. I learned that it was built long time ago and at least 27 United States presidents have visited Mount Vernon making it very important.