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Making Thinking Visible Routine: The Explanation Game

The explanation game is a thinking routine in Making Thinking Visible. In this session, participants will be lead through the explanation game thinking routine and learn how to apply it in their professional practice. The presenter will use Library of Congress materials related to Mississippi history as an example of how to use the explanation game. The session will end with a discussion of how teachers can use the thinking routine in their gifted classroom.

Resources for the Explanation Game and Making Thinking Visible:

Project Zero Visible Thinking

http://www.visiblethinkingpz.org/VisibleThinking_html_files/VisibleThinking1.html

Explanation Game

http://www.visiblethinkingpz.org/VisibleThinking_html_files/03_ThinkingRoutines/03d_UnderstandingRoutines/ExplanationGame/ExplanationGame_Routine.html

Sullivan Kilrain Fight:

Last bare knuckle fight in USA

https://www.paulbeston.com/blog/sullivan-v-kilrain-july-8-1889-last-bare-knuckle-boxing-match

Richburg, MS
July 8, 1889
John L Sullivan v. Jake Kilrain
Sullivan won in 75 rounds
Match lasted 2 hours and 18 minutes

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