

Research Writing Practice: Fact Chart

You are now going to complete a short research assignment using your notes from the movie *The Secret Life of Bees*. Be sure to use only credible sources! Ultimately, your goal is to write **one body paragraph** about the movie and its historical setting. Below is a list of prompts you may choose from:

- Identify and explain the similarities between what actually happened historically and what happened in the movie.
- Identify and explain the differences between what actually happened historically and what happened in the movie.
- Identify how the characters (or just one character) were affected by the time period or historical events within the movie.

You will complete your research for this paragraph before you actually write it. Be sure you can actually support your argument with facts from your research AND the movie *before* you begin to write. As you find your sources and your information, fill in the chart below:

SOURCES USED IN RESEARCH (fill in all the information you can—this will be used on your Works Cited page)	FACTS FROM RESEARCH (from a credible online source)	FACTS FROM MOVIE (from your own notes)
Article title: Website title: Author's name (or editor's name): Sponsoring organization: Date published: Date accessed: URL:	One quote from this source that helps support your main idea (use quotation marks): One other idea— paraphrased in your own words—that helps support your main idea:	
Article title: Website title: Author's name (or editor's name): Sponsoring organization: Date published: Date accessed: URL:	One quote from this source that helps support your main idea (use quotation marks): One other idea— paraphrased in your own words—that helps support your main idea:	

