

# K.W.L. Instructions



Step 1: In the classroom, show students a list of topics they can learn more about when they visit the Earl Scruggs Center. These may include:

- \*\* Shelby, NC
- \*\* Earl Scruggs family
- \*\* Banjos (the evolution of and/or styles of playing)
- \*\* Bluegrass Music
- \*\* The Cotton Industry
- \*\* Evolution of TV and Radio
- \*\* The Boll Weevil
- \*\* The Springs in Cleveland County
- \*\* The Shelby Dynasty

Step 2: Give students a K.W.L. chart to fill in with their name and topic of their choice. Ask students to fill in what they know about this topic as well as what they would like to know. You may run them front to back and allow students to choose two topics.

Step 3: Have students bring their K.W.L. chart with them to the Earl Scruggs Center. Ask them to fill in what they learn about their topic as they go through the center.

Step 4: When students return from their trip allow them to share the new things they learned.

# K.W.L. CHART



Topic:

Name:

<b>K</b> What I already know	<b>W</b> What I want to know	<b>L</b> What I learned