



## **Task #3:** **Determining the Barn's Original Purpose**

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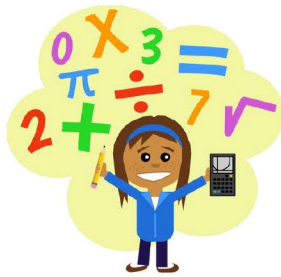
### Find it!

In the story, find the sentence that tells you **how long** this “plain old farm barn” was used for agriculture.



### Write it!

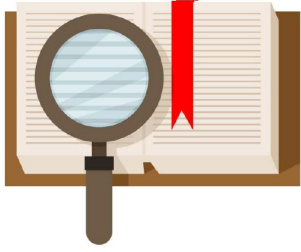
Write the sentence as text evidence inside the box below.



### Figure it Out!

The barn was built in 1783 at the end of the American Revolution. What year would it be 100 years later?

Show your work with a math problem.



### Find it!

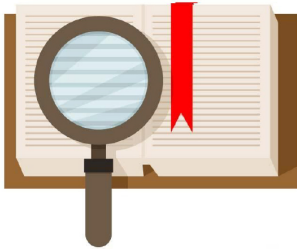
In the story, find the sentence that describes which animals used the barn for shelter.



### Report it!

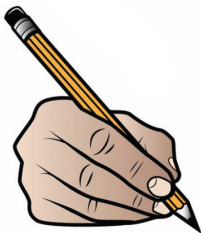
List the animals below:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_



### Find it!

In the story, find the sentence that tells you what kind of crop the barn's owners planted and harvested.



### Sketch it!

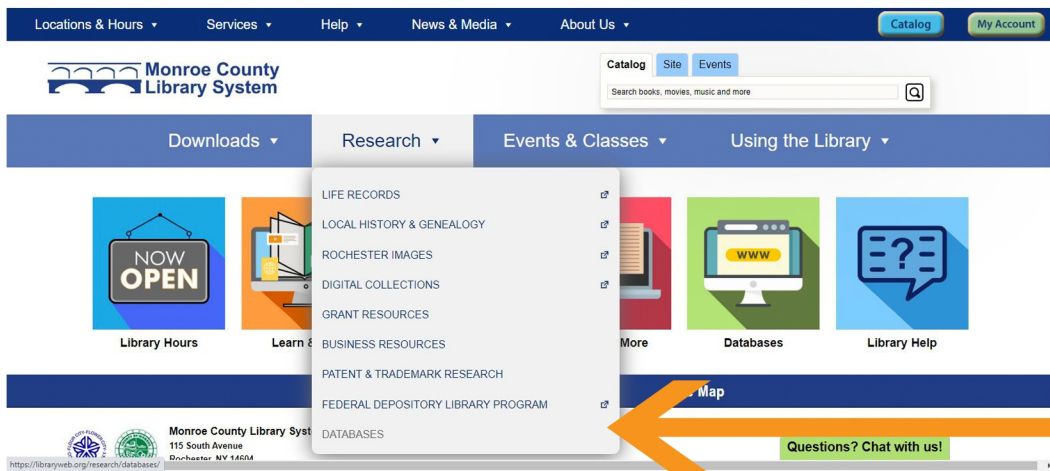




## Research it!

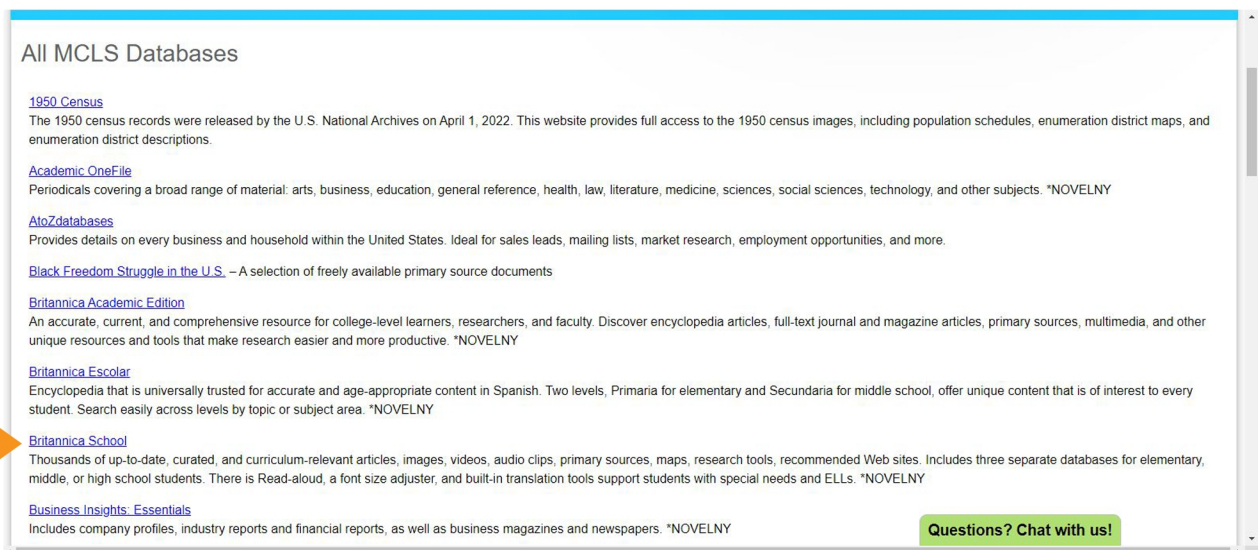
At the time when the barn in the story was built, everybody farmed to help put food on the table. Today, this isn't the case. Let's find out why!

Access the Monroe County Public Library's website to research the history of farming: <https://libraryweb.org/>

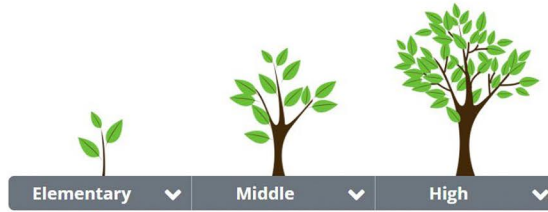


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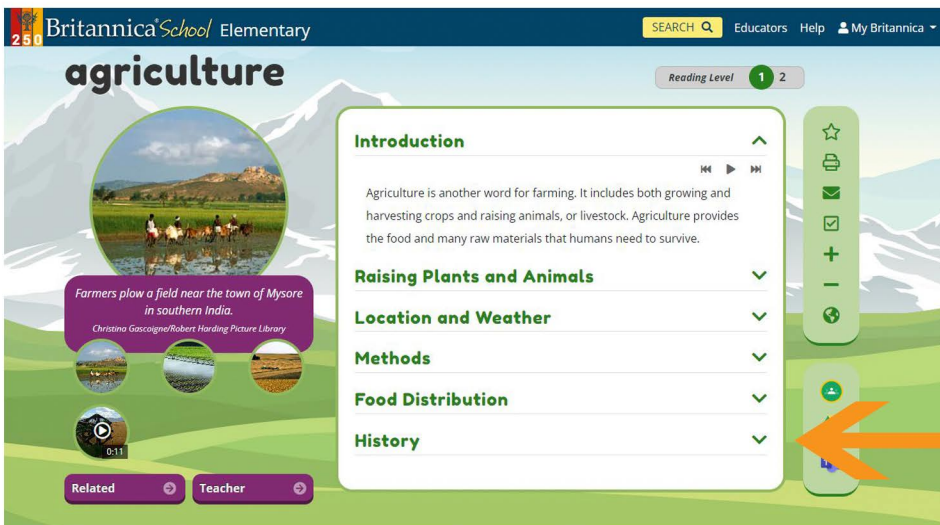
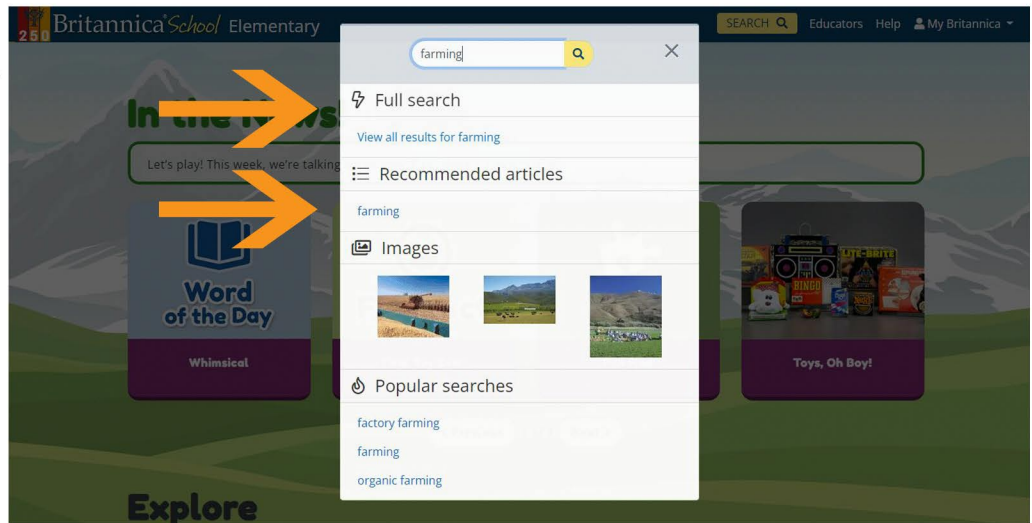


Select the elementary level.



Enter the search term **“farming.”**

Select this recommended article.



Click the drop down menu next to the heading **“History.”**



## **Report it!**

**What historical event about 200 years ago changed agriculture a great deal?**

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**What did machines invented around this time do?**

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**Why did people move away from farms to the city?**

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