

SOURCE CREDIBILITY

CRAAP is an acronym used to check the credibility of a source for research. Keep in mind, lateral reading is also an important tool.

Currency	<p><i>The _____ of the information</i></p> <p>→ When was the information _____ or _____?</p> <p>→ Has the information been _____ or _____?</p>
Relevance	<p><i>The _____ of the information for your needs</i></p> <p>→ Does the information relate to your _____ or _____?</p> <p>→ Who is the _____?</p>
Authority	<p><i>The _____ of the information</i></p> <p>→ Who is the _____/publisher/source/_____?</p> <p>What are the _____ to write on the topic?</p> <p>→ Does the _____ reveal anything about the _____ or _____?</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">◆ Examples: .com (commercial), .edu (educational), _____ (U.S. government), _____ (nonprofit organization), or .net (network)</p>
Accuracy	<p><i>The _____, truthfulness, and _____ of the content</i></p> <p>_____ does the information come from?</p> <p>Is the _____ supported by _____?</p> <p>Does the language or _____ seem _____ and free of _____?</p>

Purpose

The _____ the _____ exists

What is the purpose of the information?

to _____? _____? _____? entertain? _____?

Do the authors/sponsors make their _____ or purpose _____?

Is the information _____? _____? _____?

Analyze the following websites using the CRAAP test.

Could this be useful for a project related to American History? What does this site focus on? Is it more academic, more pop culture focussed or a mix of both?

<p>EXAMPLE https://news.wttw.com/</p>	<p>Currency Relevance Authority Accuracy Purpose</p>
<p>http://zapatopi.net/treeoctopus/</p>	<p>Currency Relevance Authority Accuracy Purpose</p>
<p>https://www.nps.gov/index.htm</p>	<p>Currency Relevance Authority Accuracy Purpose</p>
<p>https://www.dhmo.org/</p>	<p>Currency Relevance Authority Accuracy Purpose</p>
<p>https://southsideweekly.com/</p>	<p>Currency Relevance Authority Accuracy Purpose</p>
<p>https://www.allaboutexplorers.com/</p>	<p>Currency Relevance Authority Accuracy Purpose</p>

