

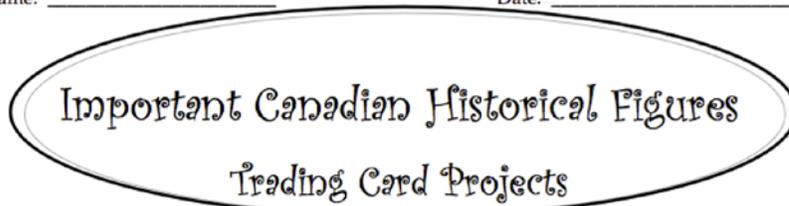


## Grades 5-6 Trading Card Activity

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### Trading Card Instructions

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Now that you have learned about many important people in Manitoba's history it is your job to share this knowledge in an exciting format: trading cards. Your task is to prepare at least two (2) trading cards which clearly show your chosen figures' significance to Manitoba's history and, if possible, to your life. Check out the suggested format below:

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Personal Information</u></b></p> <table><tr><td>Name</td><td>Date of Birth</td><td>Place of Birth</td></tr><tr><td>Lived in ...</td><td>Date of Death</td><td>Religion</td></tr></table>	Name	Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Lived in ...	Date of Death	Religion	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Name of Historical Figure</b></p>
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Lived in ...	Date of Death	Religion					
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Biographical Paragraph</u></b></p> <p>In this section you are to write a properly formatted paragraph which gives a general account of the chosen figure's role in Manitoba's history. Briefly describe what this person did and the general reasons for the person's involvement in the events described. Your paragraph should be concluded with an explanation of why you feel this person is a significant individual in Manitoba's history.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Artistic Representation of the Historical Figure</b></p>						
<p style="text-align: center;">Student Name</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Occupation/Role in Manitoba's History</b></p>						

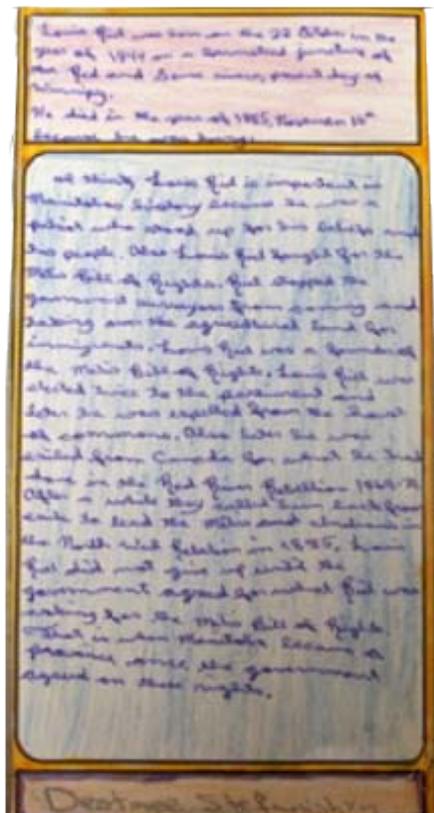
# Trading Card Example

## Historical Trading Cards



Louis Riel

Louis Riel was a Metis leader for the people and the territory of Red River. Louis Riel was a patriot and he stood up for his beliefs and his people. Louis Riel was a founder of the provisional government.



Louis Riel was born on the 22 October in the year of 1844 on a farmstead juncture of the Red and Seine Rivers, present day of Winnipeg. He died in the year of 1885, November 16 because he was hung.

I think Louis Riel is important in Manitoba's history because he was a patriot who stood up for his beliefs and his people. Also Louis Riel fought for the Metis Bill of Rights. Riel stopped the government surveyors from coming and taking over the agricultural land for immigrants. Louis Riel was elected twice to the parliament and later he was expelled from the house of commons. Also later he was exiled from Canada for what he had done in the Red River Rebellion in 1869-70.

After a while they called him back from exile to lead the Metis and Indians in the North West Rebellion in 1885. Louis Riel did not give up until the government agreed for what Riel was asking for the Metis Bill of Rights. That is when Manitoba became a province once the government agreed on the rights.

Trading Card Template

