

ENG 1101 and SPE 1330  
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Field Trip #1: Walking Tour and Introduction to Brooklyn Historical Society

On the walk, look at the locations carefully. Focus on the whole location and on details. Use your eyes and your camera to zoom in and out to thoroughly examine the location. Remember the questions we asked early in the semester: What do you observe? What interpretation do you make of it?

Consider the value in visiting the location yourself as opposed to viewing photographs or videos? What would you miss if you viewed them in one of those mediated ways?

At the Brooklyn Historical Society, consider the ways that the building and its collections are preserved. What kinds of things are preserved there? What might not be preserved?

What role do stories play in your understanding of material?

How does having a tour guide change your experience in a location?

Think about the location for Project #2. How can you reexamine the location to understand it more thoroughly?

What materials from BHS could help you better understand your Project #2 location?