

*Lesson 1: Instructions for Ancestry Activity*

Ask the students to talk with their parents and relatives--can they trace their ancestors back to circa 1818-1852 when Philippine was alive and living on the Missouri frontier? Use the genealogy template provided to gather as much family information as possible.

For students living in the St. Charles and St. Louis area: Inquire if the students belong to a multi-generational family in the region. Do any of the students have relatives that were living and working in St. Charles or St. Louis when Philippine was also there? Have students share any family stories or artifacts they may have from that time period.