# Women of Accomplishment: An Internet Scavenger Hunt

Periodical Indexes and Magazines:

1. Wilma Rudolph

- Click on **eLibrary Elementary**; type "Wilma Rudolph" in the Search box. Click on "START!."

- Find the article "Wilma Rudolph" from the Children's Digest. Click on that article. Read the article on Wilma Rudolph.

- Answer these questions:
  - What was her sport?
  - What was her accomplishment?
  - What was her disability?

#### 2. Michelle Wie

- Click on **Back** button on the Tool Bar until you get back to the Women's Scavenger Hunt Page.

- Click on Time for Kids.
  - What is her sport?

 How old was she when she became a professional? What is she doing to help others? \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Elizabeth Cady Stanton

Remember to go back to the Scavenger Hunt page. Click on SIRS Discoverer.

Remember how to search for a person and type it in the Search box.

- Click on the article titled **<u>Celebrating the Right to Vote</u>**.
  - What is suffrage?
  - What happened when her friend, Susan B. Anthony, tried to vote in 1872? \_\_\_\_\_
  - In what magazine was this article published? \_\_\_\_\_\_

## 4. Susan B. Anthony

- Search for her in SIRS Discoverer. Click on the article titled "Susan B. Anthony" from Time for Kids World Report Edition.

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(Remember to go to the **Tool Bar** and click on the **Back** button to return to the Women's Scavenger Hunt for the next person.)

#### 5. Mae Jemison

- Type her name in the search box. Click on the article.
  - What is her occupation? \_\_\_\_\_\_

  - In 1992, on what shuttle did she fly? \_\_\_\_\_\_

     What was her major accomplishment? \_\_\_\_\_\_

#### **Online Encyclopedias**

## 6. Sojourner Truth

- Click on Britannica Online. - Click on "Elementary School - View this level" in purple.

- Type her name in the **Search** box. Go to the article about her.
  - What century did she live? \_\_\_\_\_\_
  - What is she known for?

## 7. Eleanor Roosevelt

- Click Back until you are back to the Britannica Elementary level.
- Type key words in the Search box. Click GO.
  - Give 3 facts about Eleanor Roosevelt

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# Search Engines

# 8. Gail Gibbons

- Type her name in the **Search** box. Click **Search**. Click on the link to her home page. What is her occupation? \_\_\_\_\_

What type of books does she write? \_\_\_\_\_

## 9. Shirley Chisholm

- Click on **Encyclopedia** (in purple).

- Type key word(s) in the Search box. Click Search. Click on the article about her.

What was she the first black woman to do?

What did she do in 1972?

## Internet Sites

## 10. Sally Ride

 What is her occupation? \_\_\_\_\_

 What is her accomplishment? \_\_\_\_\_

She has a Ph.D. degree in what field?\_\_\_\_\_

# 11. Betsy Ross

What did 3 men from the Continental Congress ask her to do? \_\_\_\_\_

When did they ask her? \_\_\_\_\_\_ Why did they ask Betsy Ross? \_\_\_\_\_\_

# 12. Important Dates

- What happened in 1881? \_\_\_\_\_\_
- What happened in 1920?
- Who was the first woman sent into space? \_\_\_\_\_\_
- What year was it? \_\_\_\_\_\_
   What happened in 2000? \_\_\_\_\_\_

ITEMS 13-22: Click on the resource after the names of each of the following women on the Scavenger Hunt Project Page.

- Scroll down to the alphabet.
- Click the letter of the person's last name.
- Click on that person's name.

You will read a short biography of each of these women. Write 2 or 3 facts about each woman. Include: Why is she famous? What was her contribution to history or society? What is her special field of knowledge or contribution (literature, arts, sports, politics, medicine)?

13. Maya Angelou	
14. Laura Bush	
15. Gloria Estefan	
16. Emily Dickinson	
17. Betty Maria Tallchief	
18. Amelia Earhart	
19. J. K. Rowling	