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How do I get started?

First, you will want to gather your supplies. Depending on which format you purchased from us, you will need different supplies. So, take what applies, and skip over the rest.

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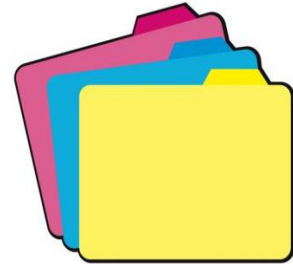
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*Print the booklet templates on 24# colored paper.



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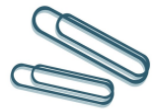
***Folders:** We use colored file folders, which can be found at Wal-Mart, Sam's, Office Depot, Costco, etc. You will need 3 file folders. You may use manila folders if you prefer, but we have found that children respond better with the brightly colored folders. Don't worry about the tabs.... they aren't important. If you prefer, you can purchase the assembled lapbook bases from our website.



***Glue:** For booklet assembly, we use glue sticks and sometimes hot glue, depending on the specific booklet. We have found that bottle glue stays wet for too long, so it's not a great choice for lapbooking.



***Other Supplies:** Of course, you will need scissors. Many booklets require additional supplies. Some of these include metal brad fasteners, paper clips, ribbon, yarn, staples, hole puncher, etc. You may want to add decorations of your own, including stickers, but coloring pages, cut-out clipart, etc. The most important thing is to use your imagination! Make it your own!!



Ok. I've gathered the supplies. Now how do I use this product?

Inside, you will find several sections. They are as follows:

1. **Student Assembly and Completion Instructions:** This section is written directly to the student, in language that he or she can understand. However, depending on the age of the child, there may be some parent/teacher assistance needed. These instructions will tell the student exactly how to assemble the lapbook base and how to cut out and assemble each booklet. Here, they will find a layout of where each booklet should be placed in the lapbook and pictures of a completed lapbook. They will also tell the student exactly what should be written inside each booklet as he or she comes to it during the study.
2. **Booklet Templates:** This section includes all of the templates for the booklets within this lapbook.
3. **Study Guide:** This section includes most of the information that you need to teach this subject. You may choose to teach directly from the Study Guide, or you may choose to allow your student to read the study guide himself. Either way, you will find all of the information here.

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Student Instruction Guide

Lapbook Base Assembly:

First, you will need to assemble the “Lapbook Base” for your project.

For this lapbook, you will need 3 file folders. Open the file folder, and lay it flat in front of you. Fold both sides of each folder toward the middle. The edges (or tabs) of the folded sides should touch the center original fold line on the folders. See **Figure 1**. **Figure 2** shows how all 3 folders should be assembled.

Figure 1

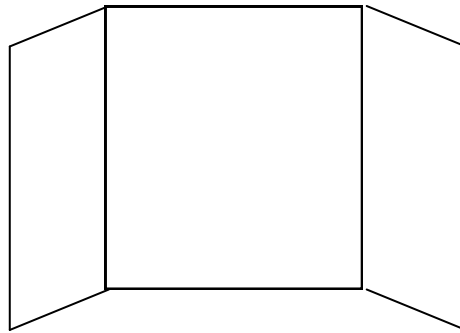
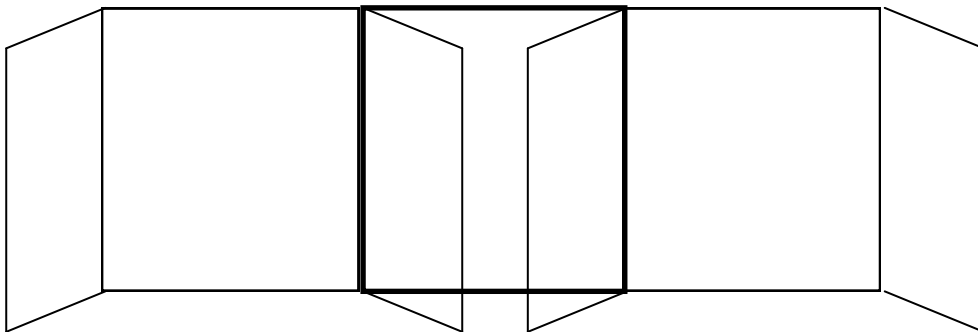
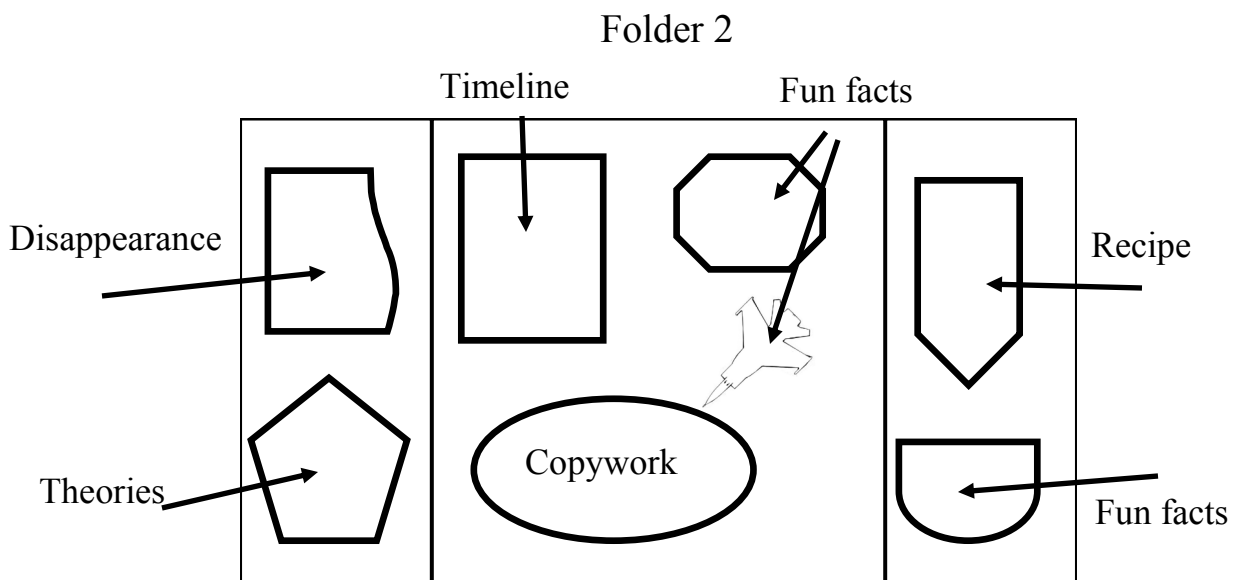
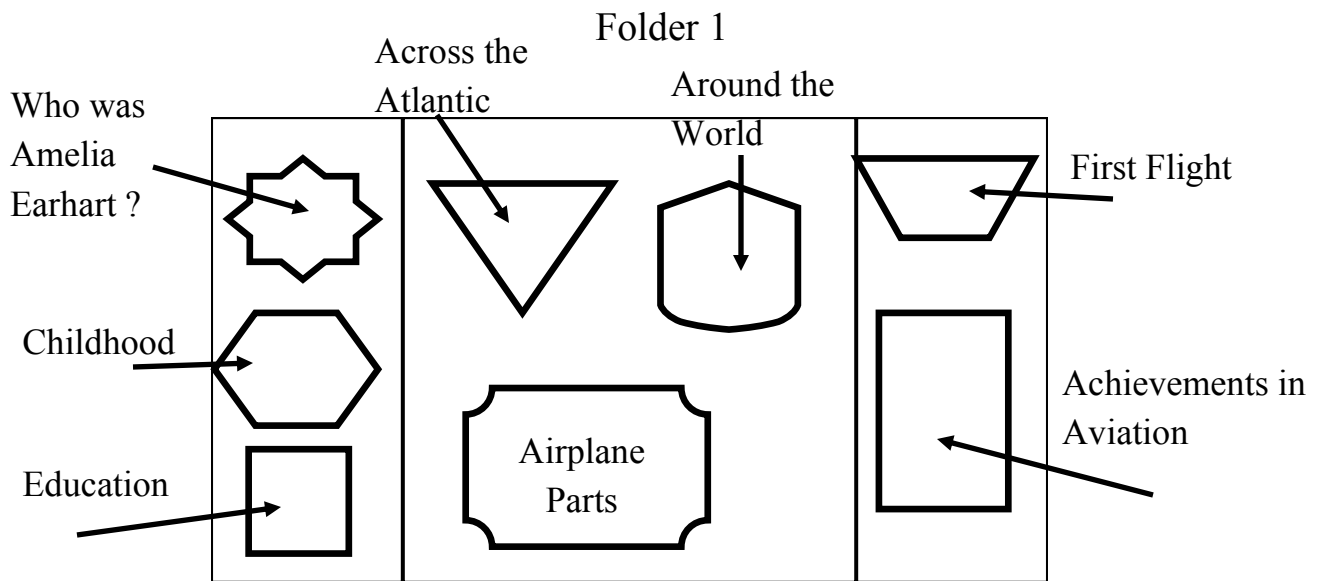


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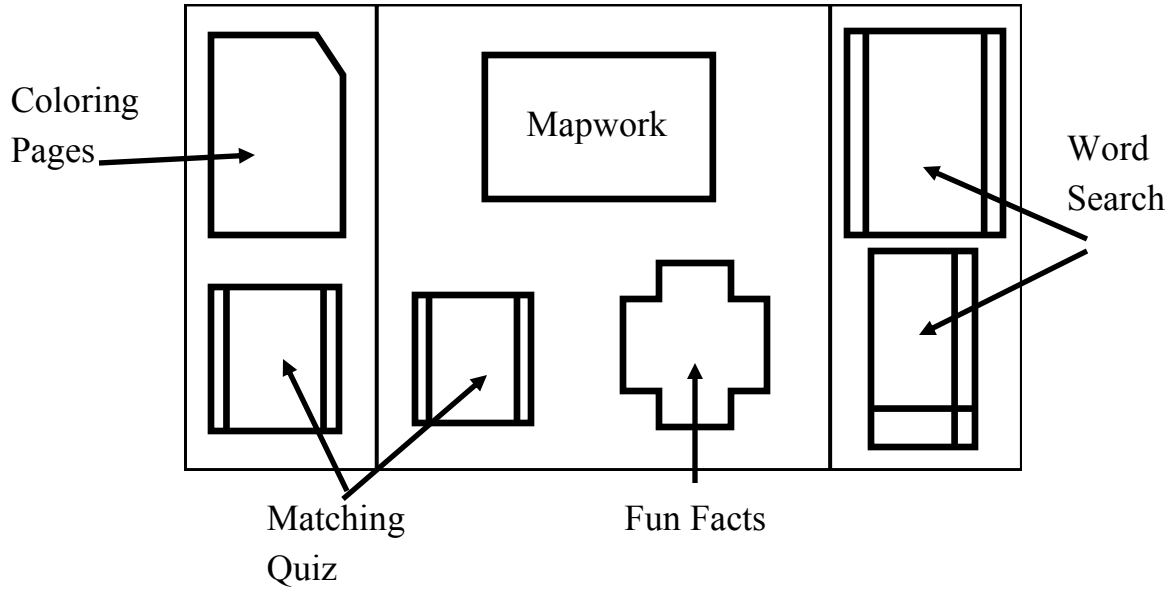


Lapbook Layout:

Below, you will see a layout for the lapbook. You may choose to glue the booklets into your Lapbook Base in any order that you like. However, you may have trouble fitting all of them in unless you follow the layout below. Some of the shapes aren't exactly the same on the layout as the booklets themselves.



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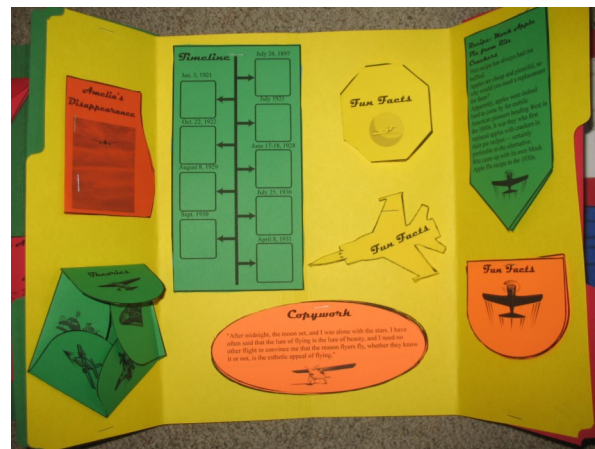


Below, you will find pictures of how the lapbook should look when you have completely assembled it.

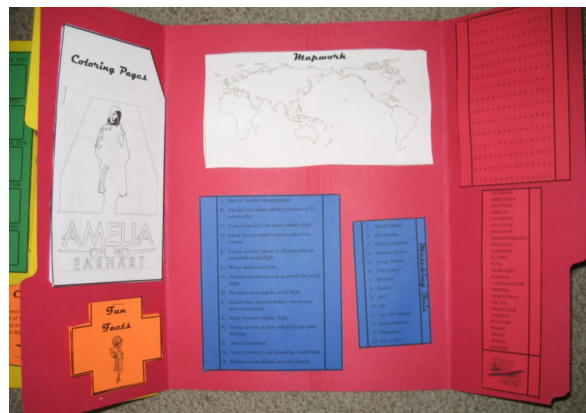
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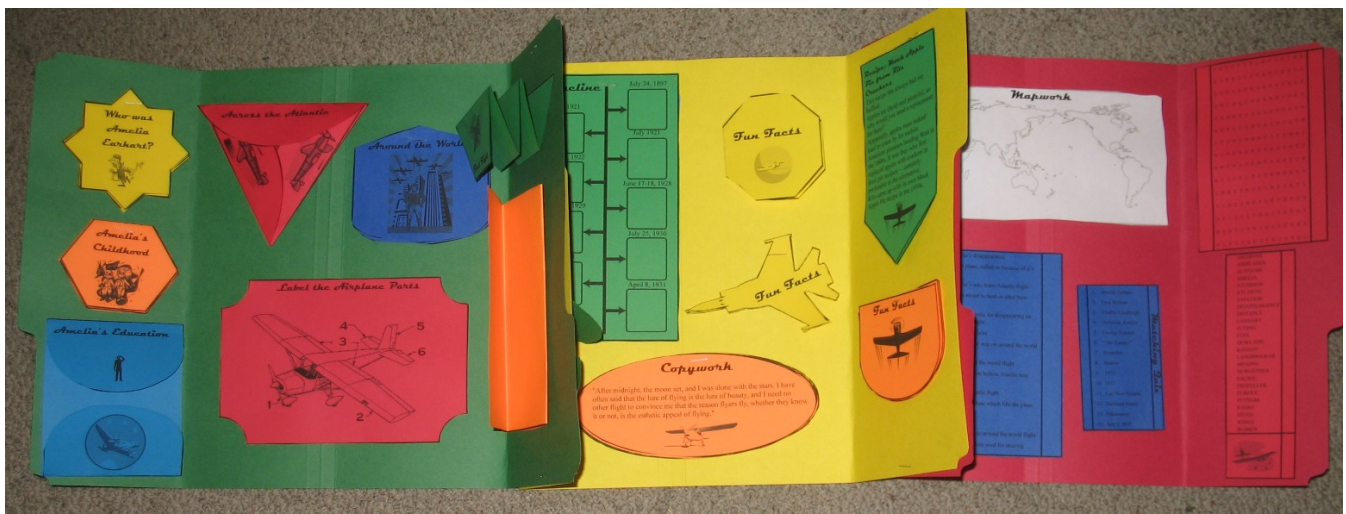
Folder 2



Folder 3



All Folders



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Booklet #1

***Booklet Title:** Who was Amelia Earhart?

***Student Instructions:** Who was Amelia Earhart? When and where was she born? Who were her parents? Discuss your answers in this booklet.

****Assembly Instructions:** Cut out along the outer black line edges of all five pages. Stack with the title page on top, and secure with a staple at the top of the stack.

Booklet #2

***Booklet Title:** Amelia's Childhood

***Student Instructions:** What was Amelia's childhood like? Was she a typical girl? Discuss your answers in this booklet.

****Assembly Instructions:** Cut out along the outer black line edges of the booklet and additional pages. Insert the additional pages inside and secure with a staple at top.

Booklet #3

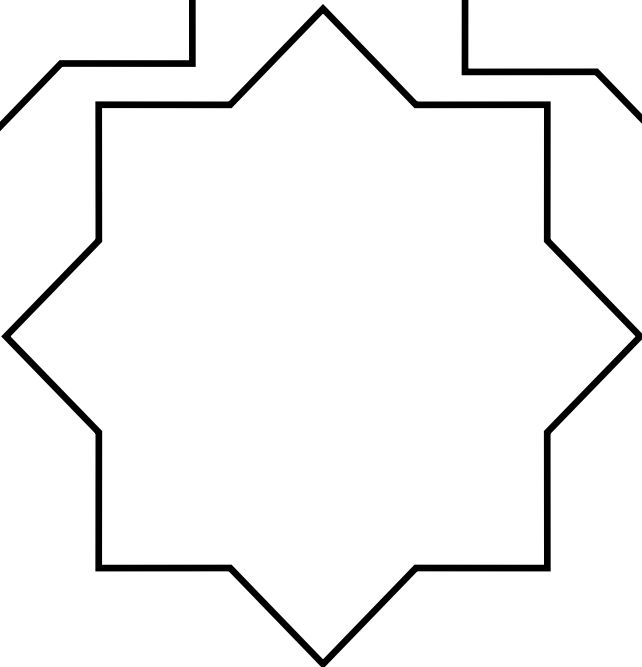
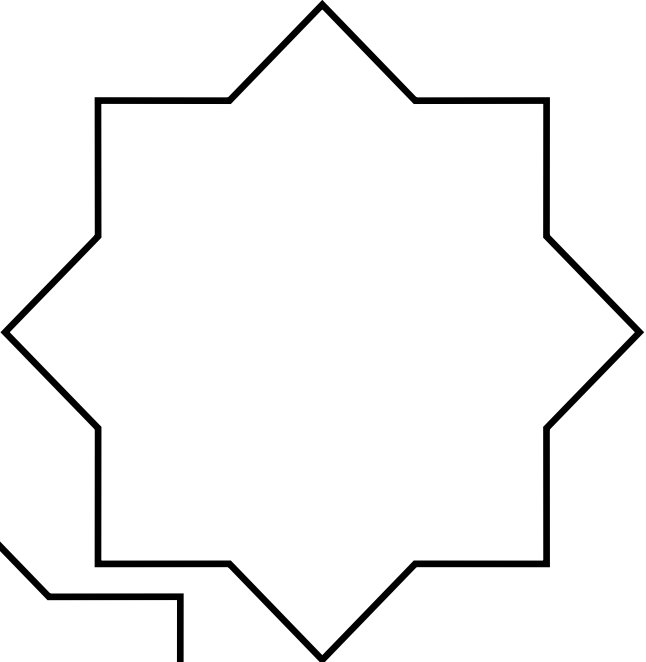
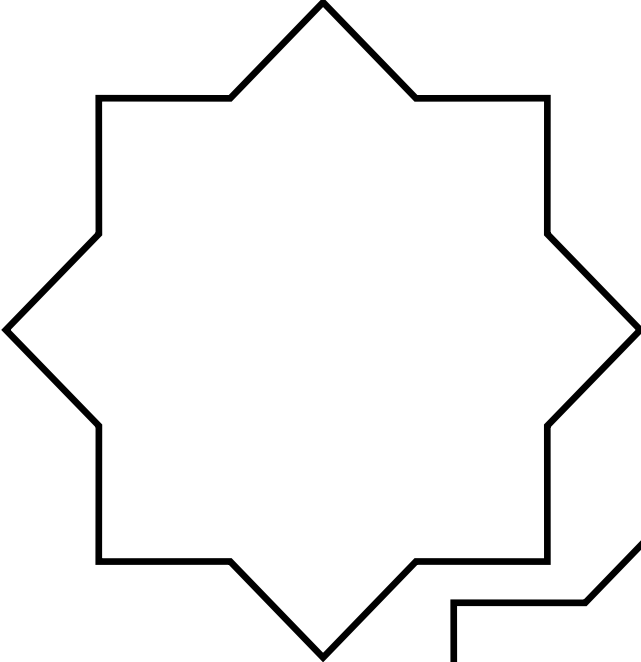
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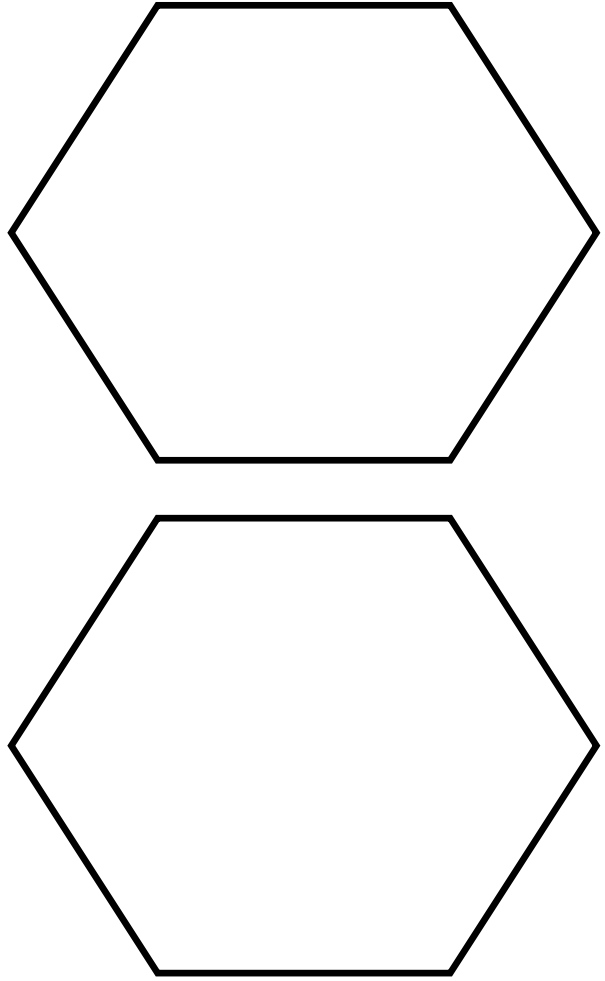
***Student Instructions:** Where was Amelia educated? Did she go to college? Where? What training did she receive in Canada? What illness put Amelia in the hospital during this time? Discuss your answers in this booklet.

****Assembly Instructions:** Cut out along outer black lines. Fold sections 1 and 2 towards the center. Make sure title showing. Write answers on the center section.



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Amelia
Earhart?*





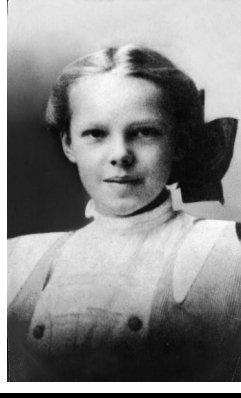


Amelia's Education



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Study Guide



Birth and Family

Amelia Mary Earhart was an American flying pioneer and author, born on July 24, 1897. She was the daughter of Samuel Stanton Earhart and Amelia Otis Earhart. Amelia was born in Atchison, Kansas. She had a younger sister named Muriel.

Early Life

As a child, Amelia was often considered a tomboy. She liked to climb trees, hunt rats with a rifle, and sled downhill. She and her sister both loved the outdoors, collecting worms, moths, katydids, and toads. Amelia even once built a home-made ramp designed like a rollercoaster she had seen. At a local state fair when she was ten years old, Amelia encountered her first airplane. She was not impressed. It seemed a rusty old thing, made of wire and wood.

Since her father was an alcoholic, family fortunes were up and down. Her parents moved to Des Moines, Iowa, for a time, but the girls stayed with their grandparents. Both girls were home-schooled throughout their early lives. It wasn't until the age of twelve that Amelia entered seventh grade in a public school, reunited with her parents in Des Moines.



Amelia's Education

In 1915, Amelia's father lost his job because of his alcoholism, and her mother took the girls to live in Chicago. Here Amelia searched around on her own, looking for the high school with the best science program. Eventually, she chose Hyde Park School, where she graduated in 1916. She then began junior college at Ogontz School in Pennsylvania, but she did not stay there long.

During Christmas vacation in 1917, Amelia visited her sister in Toronto. Here she saw many wounded soldiers, returning from the battlefields of World War I. Amelia received training as a nurse's aide from the Red Cross and began working at Spadina Military Hospital.

During the 1918 Spanish flu pandemic, Amelia was in the hospital herself with pneumonia and sinusitis. By 1919, Amelia was planning on entering Smith College, but changed her mind and enrolled in Columbia University, in a medical studies program. A year later she left Columbia as well, and moved to California where her parents were.



First Flight

More than ten years after that first airplane sighting, Amelia's attitude towards airplanes changed. On December 20, 1920, pilot Frank Hawks gave her a ride in his airplane. Amelia felt like she just had to fly after this. By working a variety of jobs such as photographer, truck driver, and stenographer, she earned the \$1000 she needed for flying lessons. She started lessons on January 3, 1921, in Long Beach, California. Her instructor was Anita Snook, a pioneer female pilot.

Six months later, Amelia bought her first airplane, a second-hand bright yellow Kinner Airster which she nicknamed, "The Canary." On October 22, 1922, she flew to the altitude of 14,000 feet, a world record for female pilots. On May 25, 1923, Amelia became the sixteenth woman to be issued a pilot's license. After