



## Assignment 5 (Unit 4-7)

### Accessing the BC Archives Research Guides on the BC Archives Website

In this assignment, you will practice accessing the research guides available on the BC Archives website.

#### Instructions

1. To begin the assignment, print these instructions.
2. Open your web browser, type "Google" into the search window, and click to open the Google site.
3. In the Google search window, type "BC Archives." When the results appear, click the first item with that title.
4. You should be on the Royal BC Museum website, on a page titled "About BC Archives."
5. On the left-hand side of your screen, there should be a blue bar menu titled "BC Archives." Click on the "Collections" link in the blue bar menu.
6. On the "Collections" page, click on the "Reference Guides" link. This is located in the blue bar menu on the left hand side of your screen or on the main page.
7. On the "Reference Guides" page, there are four tabs: BC History, Vital Statistics and Genealogy, Land & Settlement Records, and First Nations Research.
8. Click on the "View PDF" link next to the First Nations Research Guide.
9. Open the First Nations Research Guide and save it to your desktop. Read through the guide.
10. Open and download any of the other guides that interest you. You may find the Victoria Treaties and Correspondence guides, or the Colonial Correspondence guide of particular interest. Take a look at the guides under the alternate tabs and download those as well.

When you have completed this assignment, remember to save your work, close the assignment and return to unit 4-7 of the course.