Benjamin Franklin

**Primary Source Starting Point: Newspapers Online**
1. Go to: guides.lib.washington.edu/news
2. Search the following newspapers for your topic:
   - Burney Collection (17-18th c. British)
   - Early American Newspapers (mostly 19th c)
   - Pennsylvania Gazette 1720-1800

**Primary Source Starting Point: Other UW Online Sources**
1. Go to: guides.lib.washington.edu/databases
2. Search the following sources for your topic:
   - American Periodicals (18th, 19th with some early 20th c.)
   - British Periodicals (18th, 19th with some early 20th c.)
   - Early American Imprints (17th-18th c. books)
   - Eighteenth Century Collections Online (18th c. British books)

**Primary Source Starting Point: Newspapers on Microfilm**
1. Use the A number to find one of the newspapers listed below in the microfilm cabinets
2. Choose the box for the date you need
3. Use a microfilm reader to scan through the newspaper page by page until you find relevant articles
   - Boston Gazette and the Country Journal, 1719-1793 [A21]
   - Connecticut courant 1764-1820 [A445]
   - Maryland Gazette, 1745-1813 [A12049]

**Additional Primary Sources @ UW Libraries**

- Papers of Benjamin Franklin [Suzzallo E302 .F82 1959]

**Try These Sources from Home to Find Additional Material**

- Papers of Benjamin Franklin [franklinpapers.org/franklin/]
- Founders Online [founders.archives.gov/]
- American Memory [memory.loc.gov]
- Letters of Delegates to Congress 1774-1789 [etext.virginia.edu/washington/delegates/index.html]