OUR COUNTY, OUR STORY: 250 YEARS IN THE TUSCARAWAS VALLEY
JANUARY: OHIO FIRSTS AND ORIGINALS

Discussion Questions:

1. What invention or innovation from Ohio history do you think has had the biggest impact on the world, and why?
2. If you could interview one historical figure from Ohio, who would it be and what would you ask them?
3. How do you think Ohio's early settlements, like Schoenbrunn Village or Zoar, shaped our local identity today?
4. What makes Tuscarawas County unique compared to other regions in Ohio?

Class Activities:

1. Timeline Project: Have students create a visual timeline of Ohio "firsts" including Tuscarawas County contributions.
2. Interactive Map: Students plot major inventions, settlements, and historic sites from around the county on a digital map.
3. Museum in a Box: Students build a "mini museum" with artifacts or models related to local historical figures or innovations.

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