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Allow students, in groups or individually, to examine the photographs located at the above link while answering the questions below in order. The questions are designed to guide students into a deeper analysis of the source and sharpen associated cognitive skills.

Level I: Description

1. What materials were used to build this structure?
2. Who do you think lived in this building? What makes you feel this way?
3. When do you think this building was built? What makes you think this way?

Level II: Interpretation

1. What do you think the person did as a job?
2. Looking at the materials used to make this building, where do you think it was built? What makes you think this way?
3. What do you notice about the architecture?

Level III: Analysis

1. What do you think it was like to live in this house?
2. Would you like to live in the time this house was built?
3. Is there anything you would have done differently to this house if you were building it now?
4. Compare the two structures? How are they different? How are they the same?

Asahel Wright House



Jonathan Alder Log Cabin

