

Ottawa in Daniel Poliquin's words: what is the historical importance of this Franco-Ontarian author?



Worksheet 1: Analyzing the historical importance of writer Daniel Poliquin

Using the following table, analyze the historical importance of this individual.

Principles of analysis	Responses based on sources	Evaluation of importance 1- Not important 2- A little important 3- Fairly important 4- Important 5- Very important
<p><i>Importance for the period:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is the subject of Daniel Poliquin's writing? • How does his work reflect an era or culture? • What importance has his writing had on Francophone culture and community? 		
<p><i>Consequences:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To what extent has Daniel Poliquin's work influenced Francophone culture? • What has been the influence of his books on people reading in French and other languages? 		
<p><i>Subsequent scope:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • According to a letter sent to Daniel Poliquin by the Mayor of Ottawa in 1992, what important prize did Daniel Poliquin receive at an early stage of his career? • What does this prize reveal about the career and importance of his work? 		

Question: What is your assessment of the historical importance of this Franco-Ontarian author? Justify your response by comparing the information recorded in your table.