

Social Studies, Grade 8
Unit IX: Lesson A11

Essay: **Scopes Monkey Trial**



Research the Scopes Monkey Trial. Research the Supreme Court's later decision(s) on teaching creation and evolution in public schools.

In a short essay, outline the issues involved in each case and the decisions of the court.

With a few other classmates, debate the following issue: Creation and evolution should be taught equally in public schools.