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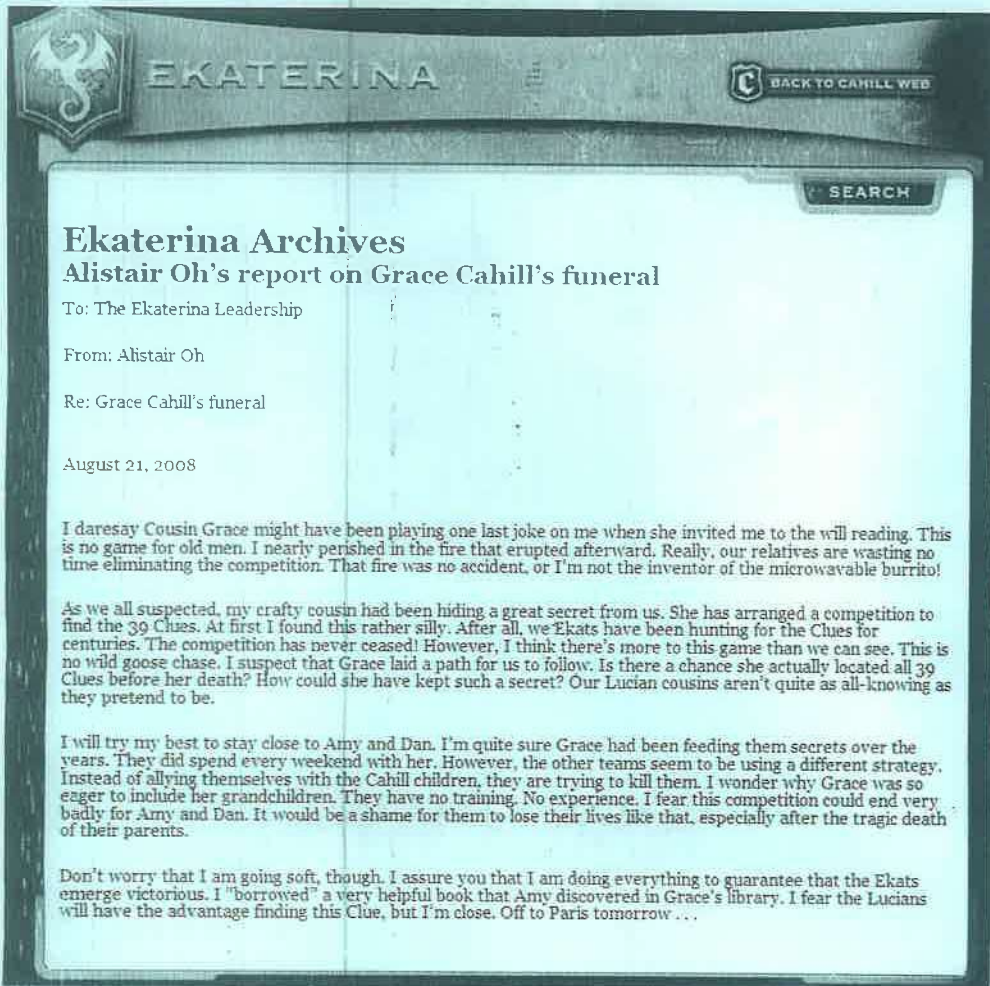
# Who is Who?

## My Top Secret Diary

The 39 Clues  
STORM WARNING

## Getting started: Grace's Funeral

Read the info to set the scene and discuss it in class:



**Ekaterina Archives**  
Alistair Oh's report on Grace Cahill's funeral

To: The Ekaterina Leadership  
From: Alistair Oh  
Re: Grace Cahill's funeral

August 21, 2008

I daresay Cousin Grace might have been playing one last joke on me when she invited me to the will reading. This is no game for old men. I nearly perished in the fire that erupted afterward. Really, our relatives are wasting no time eliminating the competition. That fire was no accident, or I'm not the inventor of the microwavable burrito!

As we all suspected, my crafty cousin had been hiding a great secret from us. She has arranged a competition to find the 39 Clues. At first I found this rather silly. After all, we Ekats have been hunting for the Clues for centuries. The competition has never ceased! However, I think there's more to this game than we can see. This is no wild goose chase. I suspect that Grace laid a path for us to follow. Is there a chance she actually located all 39 Clues before her death? How could she have kept such a secret? Our Lucian cousins aren't quite as all-knowing as they pretend to be.

I will try my best to stay close to Amy and Dan. I'm quite sure Grace had been feeding them secrets over the years. They did spend every weekend with her. However, the other teams seem to be using a different strategy. Instead of allying themselves with the Cahill children, they are trying to kill them. I wonder why Grace was so eager to include her grandchildren. They have no training. No experience. I fear this competition could end very badly for Amy and Dan. It would be a shame for them to lose their lives like that, especially after the tragic death of their parents.

Don't worry that I am going soft, though. I assure you that I am doing everything to guarantee that the Ekats emerge victorious. I "borrowed" a very helpful book that Amy discovered in Grace's library. I fear the Lucians will have the advantage finding this Clue, but I'm close. Off to Paris tomorrow...

### 2. Starting to read:

Find the students who have received the same book and start to read. (30min)

### 3. Who is who? Character Profiles

Find further instructions in the back of this booklet

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# Family Tree

Gideon & Olivia  
Cahill

Luke

Lucians

Kabras

Isabel

Ian Natalie

The Lucians love  
history and modern  
warfare.

Katherine

Ekaterina

The Ekaterinas  
are science  
fanatics.

Thomas

Tomas

The Tomas  
branch likes  
modern  
technologies  
like rockets  
and space  
ships.

Jane

Janus

This branch  
is interested  
in Arts.  
Famous people  
like Mozart  
and Pablo  
Prasso were  
Janus.

Madeline

Madrigals

Grace Fisk

Hope & Arthur

Dan Amy

They try  
to bring  
the fighting  
family back  
together.

## Character Profiles

Name: Dan Cahill  
Branch: Madrigals  
Age: 11  
Hobby: Sports

### Personal Description

Dan Cahill is an eleven-year old boy. His sister is called Amy and together they joined the hunt for the Clues. They travel around the world and come to many different and dangerous places. He likes sports and is pretty muscular.



## Character Profiles

Name: Amy Cahill  
Branch: Madrigals  
Age: 14  
Hobby: Reading

### Personal Description

Amy Cahill is Dan's older sister. She loves books and that's why she reads a lot. Amy is a calm person and hates scorpions. She is very well educated and knows a lot. When Amy and Dan were little kids her parents died, because the house was burned down. Now they are orphans, but their au pair girl, Nellie Gomez, cares for them.



## Character Profiles

Name: Nellie Gomez

Branch: becomes a Madrigal

Age: ?

Hobbys: Playing on Ipod



### Personal Discription

Nellie Gomez is Dan's and Amy's au pair. She has a nose ring, that looks like a silver snake. She travels with them trough the whole world and tries together with them to solve the family secret. She loves playing and listening to music on her I pod.

Nellie's job (from Fisk) was to look after the children. Because she did it so well she became a Madrigal.

## The Clue Hunt

Once upon a time there was a family called the Cahills. Olivia and Gideon were the parents of four loveley children. Gideon created a serum with unknown effects. This serum had 39 ingredients. A bit later Gideon died in his laboratory, because of a fire. But before he hid the ingredients in 39 Clues that were spread all over the whole world. The children started to mistrust other, because they were told, that the serum would give you the power over the whole world. They started to fight against each other while they hunted for the Clues. But there was a fifth child as well. And she founded the last branch: The Madrigals. This branch wants to bring the family back together and have a loveley life.



## Character Profile

Name: Fiske Cahill

Branch: Madrigals

Age: Old

Hobbys: to stalk other people :P



## Personal Description

Fiske Cahill is the head of the Madrigals. He always wears a black or a grey suit. Fiske helps Nellie to look after Dan and Amy (he order her tickets for the airplanes...). He also took Nellie to the Madrigal branch.

# THE KABRAS

## Isabell

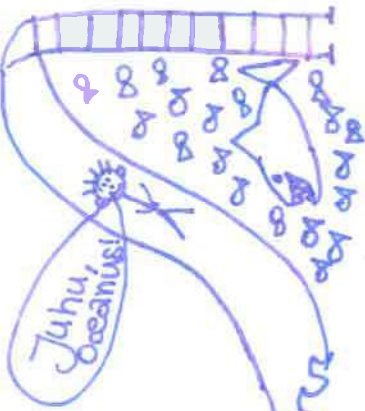
She is a fashion conscious woman and wears way to much Make-up. Isabell is from the decian branch. She began hunting for the clues a long time ago. She is evil and probably killed Dan's and Amy's parents. (I believe, that she poisoned her husband, because he is never mentioned in the book.)

## Ian

He is Isabell's son, but we don't know his father. He joined the clue Hunt in the Kabras team.

## Natalie

She is Isabell's daughter, but we don't know her father. She joined the clue Hunt together with her older brother Ian.



I ♥ OCEANUS

Dear Diary,

You will not believe what happened to me! Together with Amy and Nellie we were hunting for another Clue. As always it was really dangerous, BUT FIRST I could persuade them to go to Oceanus! It's the biggest water park in the world! It was so much fun. There was a really steep slide, which was made of glass! And outside of the glass was a shark tank! If there wouldn't be the Clue Hunt I would definitely live near Oceanus. But the Clue Hunt will never be over.

Dan

Diary Entry: Amy

Dear Diary,

I trusted her so much and now she betrayed us. Actually she betrayed us all the time. Nellie was like a sister for me, or a mother I hadn't have for so long. Of course Dan and I were suspicious how a normal pair could order tickets for airplanes in a minute. But we never really thought about it. Until now. We decided to go to the Bahamas, no one except for Dan, Nellie and I knew about it, and five minutes later Hamilton called us and told us, that he knew we were going to the Bahamas. So it was clear, that Nellie must have told someone, while she was in the restroom!

In my whole life I never felt that betrayed by a person. In the airplane we asked her about it. She told us the truth. I hope it's the truth. She tells everything she knows McIntyre and she doesn't know, what he does with the information. Why? At the beginning it was for money but now, she didn't say more!

How could she! We trusted her!

Amy

Dear Diary,

A few days ago I wrote this entry above but it's wrong. Nellie isn't bad. She did it just because the Madrigals told her to. She hated it to lie at us. And the men in black is Grace's brother! she had a brother! He is called Fike and he told us about the Madrigals, that they should bring the family back together. He forced Nellie to lie at us, because it was a kind of test to see if we could be real Madrigal. It's crazy isn't it!

Amy

# Anne Bonney

Famous Character

Around the year 1700 Anna Cormac was born. A girl with a wild temper and reddish hair, who allegedly stabbed a servant girl with a knife!

First of all she was married to a sailor (a small-time pirate), but she left him, because she was in love with a pirate captain. His name was Jack Rackham (Calico Jack).

Together with the other sailors, she captured many ships. And Jack Rackham and Anne Bonney married, while they were sailing in the Caribbean. Once they were captured and all men were hanged.

But Anne told them that she was pregnant (it was true) and begged for merci.



### 3. Who is who? Character Profiles

Computer-room or homework: Go to the [Cahill's Web](#) (link on Moodle) and click on BOOKS. Choose your book and find out about the main characters in your book.

Start your "Who is Who?: Character Profiles". Keep adding to your profiles as you find out more about the characters in the course of the project.



For your character profiles you will need one page per character. Organize your pages clearly so you can easily find and add information and facts to the characters. Use one full page per person.

Name	Branch
Picture (print or draw)	
Facts: (age, profession, achievements...)	Personality: (describe the person in detail, collect lots of fitting adjectives and other little details from the book)
	...

### 4. The Clue Hunters' Travel Diary and Scrapbook



Slip into the minds of either Dan or Amy and write a diary entry at each place that they have visited. In your diary describe the places you have visited and what happened there. Make sure you include your/their thoughts and feelings, worries, hopes... Diaries are usually full of such reflections. Add fitting materials as if this was a travel

scrapbook: Pictures, maps, tickets, personal notes, drawings...

### 5. Optional:

Read as many books as possible and collect the clues. Play the online game and win... or write short entries for each book into your reading diary to get credit for your reading.