

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Online resources:

Elementary, middle, high: “America’s Heritage: An Adventure in Liberty” –
www.americanheritage.org

Elementary: http://www.psllearning.org/program/workshop/3/m_a/lifeinabox/index.shtml

Object based learning: <http://objectofhistory.org/guide/>

Dr. Seuss political cartoons: <http://orpheus.ucsd.edu/speccoll/dspolitic/Frame.htm>

For an online educational history game, check out The Lost Museum (<http://www.lostmuseum.cuny.edu>), created by the American Social History Project. It's a virtual three-dimensional re-creation of P.T. Barnum's American Museum, which allows users to pursue the mystery of who burned down the museum and also contains an extensive archive of documents and images relating to the antebellum and Civil War eras.

Williamsburg Education -

<http://www.colonialwilliamsburg.com/Media/videos.cfm>

This is a colonial site which includes games and a lot of multimedia. Under “Tour the Town, students can guess at proper clothing and what clothing pieces represent. There is an interactive map.

CIVIL WAR REVIEW WITH GEOGRAPHY:

<http://youtube.com/watch?v=ijApe4TXDrc>

Possibly consider political cartoons for grades 4 -6. These are good choices from the Colonial Williamsburg Teacher Gazettes:

<http://www.history.org/history/teaching/enewsletter/volume3/october04/iotm.cfm>

http://www.history.org/History/teaching/groupTours/prep/revolution_print1.cfm

http://www.history.org/History/teaching/groupTours/prep/revolution_print2.cfm

Nonfiction for middle schoolers:

<http://www.socialstudies.org/resources/notable/>

<http://www.mcps.k12.md.us/schools/leems/histfic.html>

<http://www.smplanet.com/civilwar/civilwar.html#Recommended%20Trade%20Books>

http://www.readwritethink.org/lessons/lesson_view_printer_friendly.asp?id=779

vetted primary documents from NY system:

<http://web000.greece.k12.ny.us/SocialStudiesResources/>

<http://www.gilderlehrman.org/>

<http://historymatters.gmu.edu/browse/manypasts/> Primary documents,
lesson plans. Great!

http://smithsonianeducation.org/educators/lesson_plans/idealabs/smithsonian_kids.html

<http://www.postalmuseum.si.edu/starroute/index.html>

<http://www.npg.si.edu/exh/hall/index-hall12.htm>

<http://vlib.iue.it/history/index.html> This site is a very easy to use index created by a university in Florence, Italy. Jane Jordan in Module One found some amazing things here.

<http://www.lib.washington.edu/subject/History/RUSA>. This site provides methods, ideas and documents.

Civil War battle

map: <http://valley.vcdh.virginia.edu/MAPDEMO/Theater/TheTheater.html>

One soldier's

records: http://valley.vcdh.virginia.edu/perl_scripts/search_dossiers.cgi?id_num=2173&search_type=adv&county=aug

Another

one: http://valley.vcdh.virginia.edu/perl_scripts/search_dossiers.cgi?id_num=2207&search_type=adv&county=aug

Courier and Ives

module: <http://flickr.com/photos/kalbers/sets/72157594396162325/>

Migrant Mother CHNM: <http://historymatters.gmu.edu/mse/photos/try.htm#>

Lange Oral

History: <http://www.aaa.si.edu/collections/oralhistories/transcripts/lange64.htm>

LOC

website: http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/awhhtml/awpnp6/migrant_mother.html

handout: <http://chnm.gmu.edu/fairfaxah/workshops/ws2/activity3.html>

Colonial America 1600-1775. K12 Resources.

<http://falcon.jmu.edu/~ramseyil/colonial.htm>. Includes selections of colonial music - Washington's March, etc. Also has five - ten minute online films about famous Americans, using primary documents & pictures.

(Primary documents- scroll through to the appropriate section).

https://www.edline.net/pages/Catholic_Central_High_School/Classes/03842501/library

Site from which you may buy broadsides, advertisements, maps.

http://www.teachercoop.com/index.php?cPath=776_777

<http://www.nationalgeographic.com/xpeditions/atlas/>

For colonial slideshows, etc: <http://www.colonialwilliamsburg.com/media/>

Great site with original docs., notices, teaching ideas, audio tapes:

<http://teachingamericanhistory.org/library/index.asp?category=1>

<http://www.artinhistory.com/> Interesting site about creating artifacts in the classroom with ties to curriculum

www.civilwarpoetry.org/union/songs

A Few Important George Washington Websites

<http://chnm.gmu.edu/courses/henriques/hist615/index.htm>

This is Professor Henriques' website on GW and has links to most of the websites listed below plus other material on George Washington.

www.virginia.edu/gwpapers

Website for George Washington papers at UVA. Excellent.

<http://etext.virginia.edu/washington/>

The Fitzpatrick edition of the George Washington Papers, all word searchable. A wonderful aid for getting letters on line.

<http://georgewashington.si.edu/>

A great interactive site for students of all grades focusing on Gilbert Stuart's Lansdowne portrait of GW.

<http://www.yale.edu/lawweb/avalon/presiden/washpap.htm>

The Avalon Project which contains GW's inaugural address and many speeches.

<http://www.mountvernon.org/>

The website for Mount Vernon.

Recommended Books on George Washington

1. Paul Longmore, *The Invention of George Washington*
2. Noemie Emery, *Washington: A Biography*
3. James Flexner, *George Washington: Indispensable Man*
4. Richard Norton Smith, *Patriarch*
5. Richard Brookhiser, *Founding Father*
6. Marcus Cunliffe, *George Washington: Man and Monument*
7. Robert Jones, *George Washington* (2002 edition)
8. Don Higginbotham, *George Washington: Uniting a Nation*
9. Jack Warren, *The Presidency of George Washington*
10. Peter Henriques, *George Washington* (a brief biography for the National Park Service. \$10.00 per copy including shipping.)

Additional Books and Websites on Founding Fathers

Joel Achenbach, *The Grand Idea: George Washington and the Potomac as Pathway to the West.*

Don Higginbotham, *George Washington Reconsidered*
Contains many good essays, some quite a few years old

Peter Henriques, *Realistic Visionary: Essays on Life and Character of George Washington*

David McCulloch, *John Adams.*

John Ferling, *Adams vs. Jefferson: The Tumultuous Election of 1800 (Pivotal Moments in American History)*

Joseph Ellis, *His Excellency*, October 2004
This will be a very important book by a Pulitzer winning author and is probably the best book to read on GW if you are only going to read one.

David Hackett Fischer, *Washington's Crossing (Pivotal Moments in American History)*

Walter Isaacson, *Benjamin Franklin, An American Life.*
Wonderful!

H.W. Brandt, *The Life and Times of Benjamin Franklin.*
Also wonderful!

New Website

Rediscovering George Washington
<http://www.pbs.org/georgewashington/>

This site has many lesson plans for grades 9-12. A 90 minute film, edited by Richard Brookhiser, can be effectively used with the site.

Gilder-Lehrman
<http://www.pbs.org/georgewashington/collection/index.html>

GEOGRAPHY:
<https://www3.nationalgeographic.com/genographic/globe.html>

Historical Fiction for Civil War & Reconstruction Era:

California Dept. of Ed as a searchable database is keyed to the California History-Social
Science standards: "Tales of Time: History/Social Science
Literature 6-8" <http://www.cde.ca.gov/be/st/ss/hstmain.asp>

- Crane, Stephen. *The Red Badge of Courage* (1895) [Classic Civil War novel
about the transformation of a boy to soldier.]
- Gauganus, Allan. *Oldest Living Confederate Widow* [Civil War times retold
through the eyes of a confederate widow]
- Kantor, MacKinlay. *Andersonville* [Conditions in the Confederate prison]
- Paulsen, Gary. *A Soldier's Heart: A Novel of the Civil War* [15-year-old
boy eager to enlist in the war until he
observes the horrors.]
- Shaara, Jeff. *Gods and Generals and The Last Full Measure* [Civil War-pre-Gettysburg & final battles of the war]
- Shaara, Michael. *The Killer Angels* [Civil War; Battle of Gettysburg]
- Vidal, Gore. *Burr* [Early America and the founding fathers told from Aaron
Burr's point of view.]
- Vidal, Gore. *1876* [Washington politics and corruption during the Grant administration]
- Vidal, Gore. *Empire* [Industrial Revolution; newspaper empires and politics]
- Wharton, Edith. *Age of Innocence* [The upper classes of 1870s New York]

RECOMMENDED READING FOR URBANIZATION, IMMIGRATION AND INDUSTRIALIZATION:

FICTION:

- Tan, Amy. *The Joy Luck Club*.
- Wharton, Edith. *Age of Innocence*.

NON-FICTION:

- Hounshell, David. *From the American System to Mass Production. 1800 - 1932*.
- Larson, Erik. *Devil in the White City, Murder, Magic and Madness at the Fair that Changed America*.
- Larson, Erik. *Isaac's Storm. A Man, a Time & the Deadliest Hurricane in History*.

Takaki, Ron. *A Different Mirror: A History of Multicultural America*.

Takaki, Ron. *Strangers from a Different Shore. A History of Asian Americans*.

Von Drehle, David. *Triangle*.

Photography & use of visual arts:

<http://www.museumca.org/picturethis/visual.html>

MUSIC, SOLDIER DIARIES & VAST ARRAY OF PRIMARY SOURCES: digitalhistory.uh.edu

Constitution resources:

Constitution Resources:

<<http://www.ed.gov/free/constitution/index.html>>

Meet the delegates who gathered in Philadelphia in May 1787 to rewrite the Articles of Confederation. Learn what issues they faced. Discover the sources that inspired them. Read the essays printed in New York City papers urging ratification of the delegates' proposal. Explore a 200-year timeline showing the impact of the Constitution on our history. Search the Constitution, and see explanations of 300 topics.

We also refer you to the National Archives and Records Administration's Web site.

Celebrate Constitution Day:

<<<http://www.archives.gov/national-archives-experience/charters/constitution/constitution-day.html>>>

Read the Constitution in its original form and in a transcript. View Webcasts of Senator Byrd's remarks and discussions on federalism and checks and balances.

The Constitution of the United States:

<www.archives.gov/national-archives-experience/charters/constitution.html>

View high resolution scans of the original, signed Constitution. Obtain a transcript. Read an essay about the Constitutional Convention. Learn dozens of fascinating facts about the Constitution. Learn about each of the signers of the Constitution.

Observing Constitution Day: The Signers of the

Constitution: <www.archives.gov/education/lessons/constitution-day/signers.html>

Find out about the delegates who signed the Constitution on September 17, 1787.

Observing Constitution Day: The Constitution Game:
<www.archives.gov/education/lessons/constitution-day/game.html>
Explore, in this simulation, how the members of the Constitutional Convention might have felt as they gathered in Philadelphia's Independence Hall and began the task of writing the Constitution.

Teaching With Documents: The Ratification of the Constitution: <www.archives.gov/education/lessons/constitution-day/ratification.html>
Uncover the issues involved in the creation and ratification of the Constitution and the new government it established.

Non-fiction for elementary (courtesy of Kathy Brown)

Blood on the River: James Town 1607 Elisa Carbone
Waltz of the Scarecrows Constance McGeorge
How to Make an Apple Pie and See the World Marjorie Priceman
King Karfu Doug Cushman
Apples to Oregon Deborah Hopkinson
The Hatmaker's Sign Candance Fleming
The Jack Tales R.M. WARD
Three Young Pilgrims Cheryl Harness
Gift Horse S.D. Nelson
Legend of the Poinsettia Tomi DePaola
Hiawatha H.W. Longfellow
Miracle of the Potato latkes Malka Penn
Christmas Day in the Morning P.S. Buck
Little Match Girl R.L. Stevenson
If a Bus Could Talk Faith Ringgold (catalogued as a biography, but includes fantasy of girl on a magic bus)
Freedom on the Menu Carole Weatherford
The Barefoot P.D. Edwards
Granddaddy's Gift Margaree King Mitchell
Abe Lincoln Remembers Ann WARren Turner (catalogued as a biography, but is a fictitious memoir)
Show Way Jacqueline Woodson
Take Me Out to the Ballgame Jack Norworth
Casey at the Bat Ernest Thayer
Sally Ann ThunderAnn Whirlwind Crockett S. Kellogg
John Henry Julius Lester
Sure as Sunrise Alice McGill
Saving the Liberty Bell Megan McDonald
Here Lies the Librarian Richard Peck
Pink and Say P. Polacco
Silent Witness R. Friedman (picture book -- nonfiction)

Cold War:

<http://www.cnn.com/SPECIALS/cold.war/games/>

<http://www.cnn.com/SPECIALS/cold.war/guides/about.series/>

<http://www.loyno.edu/~seduffy/coldwar.html>

<http://www.loyno.edu/~seduffy/coldwarasia.html>

<http://www.loyno.edu/~seduffy/coldwarlatinam.html>

<http://www.loyno.edu/~seduffy/endofcoldwar.html>

http://www.besthistorysites.net/20thCentury_ColdWar.shtml

http://www.besthistorysites.net/20thCentury_ColdWar.shtml

<http://worldhistoryforusall.sdsu.edu/dev/eras/era9.htm>

<http://www.nancymatson.com/CLDWR1.HTM>

The CNN Cold War site

The Social Costs of McCarthyism

McCarthyism Wikipedia entry

<http://www.angelfire.com/il/coldwar/Index.html>

http://www.sarasota.k12.fl.us/Cyesis/student.projects/econom_ppt/cold_war.htm

http://www.trumanlibrary.org/whistlestop/study_collections/coldwar/index.php?action=lessons

<http://wneo.org/WebQuests/TeacherWebQuests/coldwar/coldwar.htm>

<http://www.igshistoryonline.co.uk/Resources/GCSE%20Resources.htm>