

African-American History

Examines More Than Five Centuries of the African-American Experience



Library Journal

Best Database "Best for High Schoolers"

"...**highly recommend[ed]**... easy to use... extremely student-friendly."—BOOKLIST

"...ambitiously aims to explore all aspects of the African American experience, from the past to the present...with impressive results. Even obscure topics ignored by other resources are covered here... **an excellent resource...highly recommended...**"
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Jump-Start Research with African-American History

Covering more than 500 years of the African-American experience, *African-American History* offers a fresh way to explore the full spectrum of African-American history and culture. Users can start their investigation of a topic with a video or slideshow overview, use the key content called out on the home page to find an entryway into the database, or dig deep into an era through the Topic Centers.

Highlights and Features:

- **Authoritative Source List:** Expertly researched and written content from a wealth of proprietary titles
- **Easy Access to Relevant Content:** Key content is handpicked by our editors to inform research and provide guided entryways into the database, plus convenient links to key areas are at the top of every page

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FULL SCOPE OF HISTORY

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HIGHLIGHTS AND FEATURES

The image displays a grid of content centers from the African-American History website. Each center features a title, a representative image, and a brief description of the content. The centers include:

- The Civil War and Reconstruction: 1861-1876**: Focuses on the Emancipation Proclamation and the role of Black Volunteers.
- Civil Rights Protest and Progress: 1955-1971**: Covers the Montgomery Bus Boycott, the Selma Marches, and the March on Washington.
- Early Abolitionist Movement**: Discusses the role of figures like Wendell Phillips and the impact of the Fugitive Slave Act.
- Prominent Cultural Figures and Artists**: Highlights the contributions of figures like Spike Lee.
- African Americans in the Civil War**: Explores the experiences of Black soldiers and the impact of the Emancipation Proclamation.

Editorially Curated Topic Centers: Specially selected content on each era in African-American history—including articles, shareable slideshows, videos, primary sources, and more—provide valuable study guides and entry points into the content

Slideshow Overviews: Original, SMART Board-friendly slideshows for a visual introduction to key topics

Plus—

- **Overview Essays:** substantial and thorough essays giving extensive background on relevant historical topics and eras
- **Primary Sources,** many with introductions that provide context and background—perfect for document-based learning and strengthening critical-thinking skills
- **Book Chapters** from print titles written by noted historians, complementing the thousands of biographies, definitions, and other resources and allowing for original thinking—ideal for an in-depth study of a topic
- **Controversies in History:** editorially selected pro/con articles on hundreds of controversies in history, enabling researchers to grasp the essence and importance of every conflict
- **Curriculum Tools:** writing and research tips for students and educators
- **Searchable Timelines:** a detailed general timeline, updated monthly, plus subject-specific and era-specific timelines that help put events in historical context
- **Videos, Images, Maps, and Slideshows:** provide a fascinating visual look into topics, reinforcing visual learning and stimulating interest
- **Dynamic Citations** (MLA, Chicago, and Harvard), with EasyBib export functionality
- Real-time, searchable Reuters® newsfeed
- Searchable by Common Core, national, state, provincial, IB, and College Board AP standards
- Convenient A-to-Z topic lists
- Tag “clouds” for all content
- Search Assist technology
- Read Aloud tool
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- Support for Google Sign-In, Save to Google Drive, and Share to Google Classroom
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