

Library of Congress Map and Guide to Online Resources

Early African American History Collections	Jim Crow to 1954	Desegregation and Integration	The Long Civil Rights
<p>Born in Slavery: Slave Narratives from the Federal Writers' Project, 1936 to 1938 Includes pictures and interviews of previous slaves in southern states. Virginia Collection of Narratives</p> <p>Voices from the Days of Slavery This collection has both print and oral histories of individuals who experienced slavery firsthand.</p> <p>From Slavery to Freedom: The African American Daniel A. P. Murray Pamphlet Collection Browsing the collection on subject allows for exploring specific topics during the period of 1850s-1920s.</p> <p>African American Soldiers During the Civil War</p> <p>The African-American Mosaic A collection focusing on African American History between Colonization and the New Deal</p>	<p>Jim Crow and Segregation Teaching guide and primary source set.</p> <p>The African American Odyssey: A Quest for Full Citizenship. The Booker T. Washington Era World War I and Postwar Society The Depression, The New Deal, and World War II</p> <p>Lesson Plan: Segregation: From Jim Crow to Linda Brown</p>	<p>Brown v. Board at Fifty: "With an Even Hand" The exhibition examines court cases that laid the ground work for the <i>Brown v. Board</i> decision, explores the Supreme Court argument and the public's response to it, and closes with an overview of this profound decision's aftermath.</p> <p>The African American Odyssey: A Quest for Full Citizenship. The Civil Rights Era Explores the Jim Crow South, the fight against racial discrimination and segregation, and the search for justice of African American men and women through "freedom rides," boycotts, and marches, during this decisive point in black history.</p> <p>African American Sites in the Digital Collections A guide of online collections that span from the Dred Scott decision to <i>Brown v. Board</i>.</p> <p>The Civil Rights Act of 1964: A Long Struggle for Freedom This collection explores the events that shaped the civil rights movement, as well as the far-reaching impact the act had on a changing society.</p> <p>Rosa Parks Papers This collection documents many aspects of Parks's private life and public activism on behalf of civil rights for African Americans.</p>	<p>Civil Rights History Project A series of oral histories and a list of oral history repositories that relate to Civil Rights</p> <p>NAACP: A Century in the Fight for Freedom Outlines the development and actions of the NAACP throughout the 20th Century.</p> <p>A Guide to Teaching Civil Rights A comprehensive guide of collections and sources that relate to teaching the history of the Civil Rights Movement.</p> <p>Voices of Civil Rights A collection of different personal experiences during the Civil Rights Era.</p> <p>Civil Rights Resource Guide A guide to numerous online collections of the Library of Congress pertaining to Civil Rights.</p> <p>Sources for Images on African American History Helpful reference aids linking to images relating to the history of blacks in America from the slavery period through the civil rights era.</p>

Another Mental Map of the Library of Congress' Digital Resources

On the Topics of School Desegregation, the Civil Rights Movement and African American History.

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Discover – Digital Collections: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/>

- African American Perspectives: Materials Selected from the Rare Book Collection: <https://memory.loc.gov/ammem/aap/aaphome.html>
- Born in Slavery: Slave Narratives from the Federal Writers' Project, 1936-1938: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/slave-narratives-from-the-federal-writers-project-1936-to-1938/about-this-collection/>
- By popular Demand: Jackie Robinson and Other Baseball Highlights, 1860s-1960s: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/jackie-robinson-baseball/about-this-collection/>
- Chronicling America: <https://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/>
- Civil Rights History Project: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/civil-rights-history-project/about-this-collection/>
- From Slavery to Freedom: The African American Pamphlet Collection 1822-1909: <https://memory.loc.gov/ammem/aaphtml/aapchome.html>
- Gladstone Collection of African American Photographs: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/gladstone-african-american-photographs/about-this-collection/>
- Rosa Parks Papers: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/rosa-parks-papers/about-this-collection/>
- Slaves and the Courts, 1740 to 1860: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/slaves-and-the-courts-from-1740-to-1860/about-this-collection/>
- Today in History: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/today-in-history/about-this-collection/>
- Voices from the Days of Slavery, Former Slaves Tell Their Stories: <https://memory.loc.gov/ammem/collections/voices/>
- William A. Gladstone African Military Collection: <https://www.loc.gov/collections/gladstone-african-american-military-collection/about-this-collection/>

Visit - Exhibitions: <https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/>

All Exhibitions

- The African American Mosaic: <https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/african/>
- The African American Odyssey: A Quest for a Full Citizenship: <https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/african-american-odyssey/>
- Civil Rights Act of 1964: A Long Struggle for Freedom: <https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/civil-rights-act/>
- Voices of Civil Rights: <https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/civilrights/>
- "With an Even Hand": Brown v. Board at Fifty: <https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/brown/>

Special Presentations

- NAACP: A Century in the Fight for Freedom An Online Presentation: <https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/naACP/>

Education - Classroom Materials: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/>

Primary Source Sets:

- Jim Crow and Segregation: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/primarysourcesets/civil-rights/>
- The NAACP: A Century in the Fight for Freedom: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/primarysourcesets/naACP/>

Lesson Plans:

- African American Identity in the Gilded Age: Two Unreconciled Strivings: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/lessons/strivings/>
- After Reconstruction: Problems of African Americans in the South: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/lessons/reconstruction/>
- Baseball, Race Relations and Jackie Robinson: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/lessons/robinson/>
- Segregation: From Jim Crow to Linda Brown: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/lessons/jimcrow/>
- Slavery in the United States: Primary Sources and the Historical Record: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/lessons/slavery/>

Presentations and Activities

- From Slavery to Civil Rights: A Timeline of African American History: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/presentationsandactivities/presentations/civil-rights/>
- Rosa Parks: A Primary Source Gallery: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/presentationsandactivities/presentations/rosa-parks-gallery/>

Themed Resources:

- Civil Rights: <http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/themes/civil-rights/>

Collection Connections:

This site connects multiple sites in other domains of the Library's website. A few examples on African American history and school desegregation includes:

- African American Odyssey: <https://www.loc.gov/exhibits/african/>
- African American Perspectives: Pamphlets from the Daniel A. P. Murray Collection, 1818-1907: <https://memory.loc.gov/ammem/aap/aaphome.html>

Library Webcasts Related to Civil Rights <https://www.loc.gov/rr/program/bib/civilrights/related.html>

- [A Day Like No Other: Commemorating the 50th Anniversary of the March on Washington](#)
- [Freedom Now: Jazz & the Civil Rights Movement](#)
- [Hugo Black of Alabama: How His Roots and Early Career Shaped the Great Champion of the Constitution](#)

- [James Meredith & the Ole Miss Riot](#)
- [Locality & Nation: Civil Rights & Voting Rights in the Deep South, 1963-1966](#)
- [North of Dixie: Civil Rights Photography Beyond the South](#)