

Web Resources

General Reference Sites

American Memory Project Library of Congress

<http://memory.loc.gov/>

Library of Congress' America's Library (kid-friendly, not searchable)

<http://www.americaslibrary.gov/cgi-bin/page.cgi>

The Library of Congress

<http://www.loc.gov/>

Amelia Earhart: An Overview of Prints & Photographs

http://www.loc.gov/rr/print/list/106_earh.html

Famous People: Selected Portraits

http://www.loc.gov/rr/print/list/235_intr.html

Images of 20th Century African-American Activists

http://www.loc.gov/rr/print/list/083_afr.html

Library of Congress: Online Exhibitions

<http://www.loc.gov/exhibits/>

Portraits of Women Who Campaigned for Women's Rights

http://lcweb.loc.gov/rr/print/076_vfw.html#portraits

Prints and Photographs: Online Catalog

<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/pp/pphome.html>

Prints and Photographs Reading Room: Guides, Reference Aids, and Finding Aids

<http://lcweb.loc.gov/rr/print/bibsguid.html>

Search All Catalog Records

<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/pp/mdbquery.html>

Search the Library of Congress Web Site

<http://www.loc.gov/harvest/query-lc.html>

We Shall Overcome: Historic Places of the Civil Rights Movement

<http://www.cr.nps.gov/nr/travel/civilrights>

The Digital Classroom National Archives and Records Administration

http://www.archives.gov/digital_classroom/index.html

The Internet Public Library (kid-friendly, not searchable)

<http://www.ipl.org>

Youth Division Directory

<http://www.ipl.org/div/kidspace/>

African Americans in History: Short biographies of famous African Americans, including Zora Neale Hurston, Colin Powell, Harriet Tubman, George Washington Carver and many more.

<http://www.uga.edu/~iaas/History.html>

Biographical Dictionary: Information on over 18,000 people, including birth and death years, professions, positions held, literary and artistic works and other achievements.

<http://www.s9.com/biography/>

Cinco de Mayo: A Celebration of Mexican Heritage: "An in-depth feature examining the history of Mexico and chronicling the impact Mexicans and other Hispanics have made in the United States. The feature offers several interactive quizzes to help you learn about the people and culture of Mexico."

<http://www.vivacincodemayo.org/history.htm>

Colonial Hall: Biographies of America's Founding Fathers: Details about the men who signed the Declaration of Independence.

<http://www.colonialhall.com/>

The Electric Franklin: Ben Franklin source material, original historical fiction, autobiography and much more.

<http://www.ushistory.org/franklin/>

Encarta Online Encyclopedia: Online version of Microsoft's Encarta Encyclopedia includes teacher resources and lots of general reference information.

<http://encarta.msn.com/default.asp>

The Life of Martin Luther King, Jr.: Online comic book that tells the story of civil rights leader Martin Luther King, Jr.

<http://golden-legacy.com/mlkjr1.html>

Sites with Biographies and/or Graphics Organized by Group

Academy of American Poets

<http://www.poets.org/index.cfm>

Africans in America

<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/aia>

The American President

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

Harlem 1900-1940: An African-American Community

<http://www.si.umich.edu/CHICO/Harlem>

National First Ladies Library

<http://www.firstladies.org>

National Portrait Gallery

<http://www.npg.si.edu/>

Matthew Brady's Portraits

<http://www.npg.si.edu/exh/brady/gallery/bradindx.html>

Louis Armstrong

<http://www.npg.si.edu/exh/armstrong/index.htm>

The Age of Revolution

<http://www.npg.si.edu/col/age/index.htm>

Women and Social Movements in the United States, 1830-1930

<http://womhist.binghamton.edu>

Women of the West Museum

<http://www.wowmuseum.org>

Sites Dedicated to Specific Individuals

Lewis & Clark: The Journey of the Corps of Discovery

<http://www.pbs.org/lewisandclark/index.html>

Martin Luther King, Jr.

<http://www.stanford.edu/group/King/>

Project Whistlestop (Harry Truman)

<http://www.whistlestop.org>