



2017 Summer Institutes: Grades 3-6

Voting with Our Feet

Alabama Department of Archives and History, Montgomery

June 19-22, 2017

LaToya Davis, Elmore County Schools

Dr. Howard Robinson, Alabama State University

Covering the fights of the first Alabamians and of the Civil Rights Movement, this institute will explore the power of human action in Alabama history. Teachers will hear from Dr. Howard Robinson from Alabama State University, Wesley Garmon from the Alabama Department of Archives and History, and Robert Thrower from the Poarch Band of Creek Indians. Tours of the Rosa Parks Museum, the Freedom Riders Museum, the Equal Justice Initiative, and the Southern Poverty Law Center will show teachers the depth of the Alabama struggle for equal justice. Teachers will learn hands-on activities and strategies for fitting what they learn to Social Studies standards, preparing them to celebrate Alabama's bicentennial in their classrooms.