



2024 Alabama History Institutes: Grades 4-12

Using Primary Sources in the Classroom

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Incorporating original historical materials (primary sources) in classroom instruction is essential to enhancing students' literacy and content knowledge. During this workshop, participants will concentrate on developing their expertise in the use of primary sources. While focusing on specific eras of Alabama's history, educators will learn where and how to find historical materials, along with strategies and techniques for using them to engage their students. Workshop activities will include field trips to historic sites and museums, guest speakers, and valuable content pedagogy. Pre-service teachers are encouraged to apply.