



The **Archivists Round Table**
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Women's history primary sources

Produced for the 2015 Archives Education Institute, the list below is a compilation of websites where teachers and educators can find resources to teach women's history with primary sources in the classroom. Covering all grades from elementary to high school, the resources include lesson plans, teaching resources, quizzes and worksheets. Topics are broad from the arts to science, politics, military and civilian life. Whilst we have tried to make the list as comprehensive as possible, it is not exhaustive of the resources available online.

- **Best of History Websites**

A list of the best women's history websites and resources for classroom teaching.

<http://besthistorysites.net/american-history/womens-history/>

- **Digital Public Library of America**

An online exhibit called "American Aviatrices: Women with Wings" features images of women aviators and is arranged thematically with the primary source image and background information.

<http://dp.la/exhibitions/exhibits/show/american-aviatrices>

- **Discovering American Women's History Online**

An online resource to search for primary sources on women's history. The database maintained by Middle Tennessee State University's Walker Library, contains digital collections of primary sources. There is a useful list of material types in the 'Primary Source Types' tab if looking to teach with a certain type of source.

<http://digital.mtsu.edu/cdm/landingpage/collection/women>

- **EDSITEment Women's History Resources**

This website produced by the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) has lesson plans and teaching resources covering topics such as women in

politics, military and civilian service and the arts. The website also includes worksheets and links to required reading on the topics.

<http://edsitement.neh.gov/feature/womens-history-month>

- infoplease

This website features a list of Notable Speeches and Addresses by U.S. women from 1849 to the present day with links to the full text of the speeches.

<http://www.infoplease.com/spot/whmspeeches.html>

- National Women's History Museum

The Education & Resources section of the website lists a number of lesson plans on different topics in women's history. The plans all link to a number of online exhibits created by the NWHM full of primary source material and background information on the topic.

<https://www.nwhm.org/education-resources/>

- Science NetLinks

A number of classroom resources for use by teachers focused on women in science.

<http://sciencenetlinks.com/collections/womens-history-month/>

- Share my Lesson

A website that features resources on a variety of different topics and themes for teaching women's history in the classroom. They are broken down into elementary school resources and secondary school resources.

<http://www.sharemylesson.com/article.aspx?storycode=50009863#.VfqbQB FVhBd>

- Smithsonian Education

List of resources for teaching on different women's history topics from women scientists to the suffrage movement.

http://www.smithsonianeducation.org/educators/resource_library/women_resources.html

- Teacher Vision

This website is full of useful content for teachers from links to educational videos to printable quizzes, lesson plans and specific content on subjects such as women and mathematics, women and science and women and art.

<https://www.teachervision.com/womens-history/teacher-resources/6678.html>

- **teachinghistory.org**
A website that has learning and teaching resources, lesson plans and quizzes on many different women's history topics, including the suffrage movement, the life of abolitionist Harriet Tubman, abolitionist speeches by African-American women and the Salem Witch Trials. Includes images and video content.
<http://teachinghistory.org/spotlight/womens-history>
<http://teachinghistory.org/spotlight/womens-history/teaching-resources>
<http://teachinghistory.org/spotlight/womens-history/quizzes>
- **The Learning Network**
On the NY Times Learning Network blog, this is a list of different resources from lesson plans, crosswords and student opinion questions
<http://learning.blogs.nytimes.com/teaching-topics/celebrate-womens-history-month/#general>
- **TIME for Kids**
A list of printables for teachers to download, categorized by Grade level on different topics of women's history.
<http://www.timeforkids.com/news/womens-history-month-printables/150071>
- **Women's History Resources for Teachers**
Brought to teachers by the Library of Congress, this website features plenty of primary sources, including audio and video on a number of topics encompassing women's history. The primary sources are compiled from a number of organizations including the National Archives which has DocTeach Activities on different women's history topics.
<http://womenshistorymonth.gov/teachers.html>
- **Zinn Education Project**
A list of teaching materials on different topics of women's history for different age groups from pre K-2 to high school.
<http://zinnedproject.org/teaching-materials/?themes=womens-history>