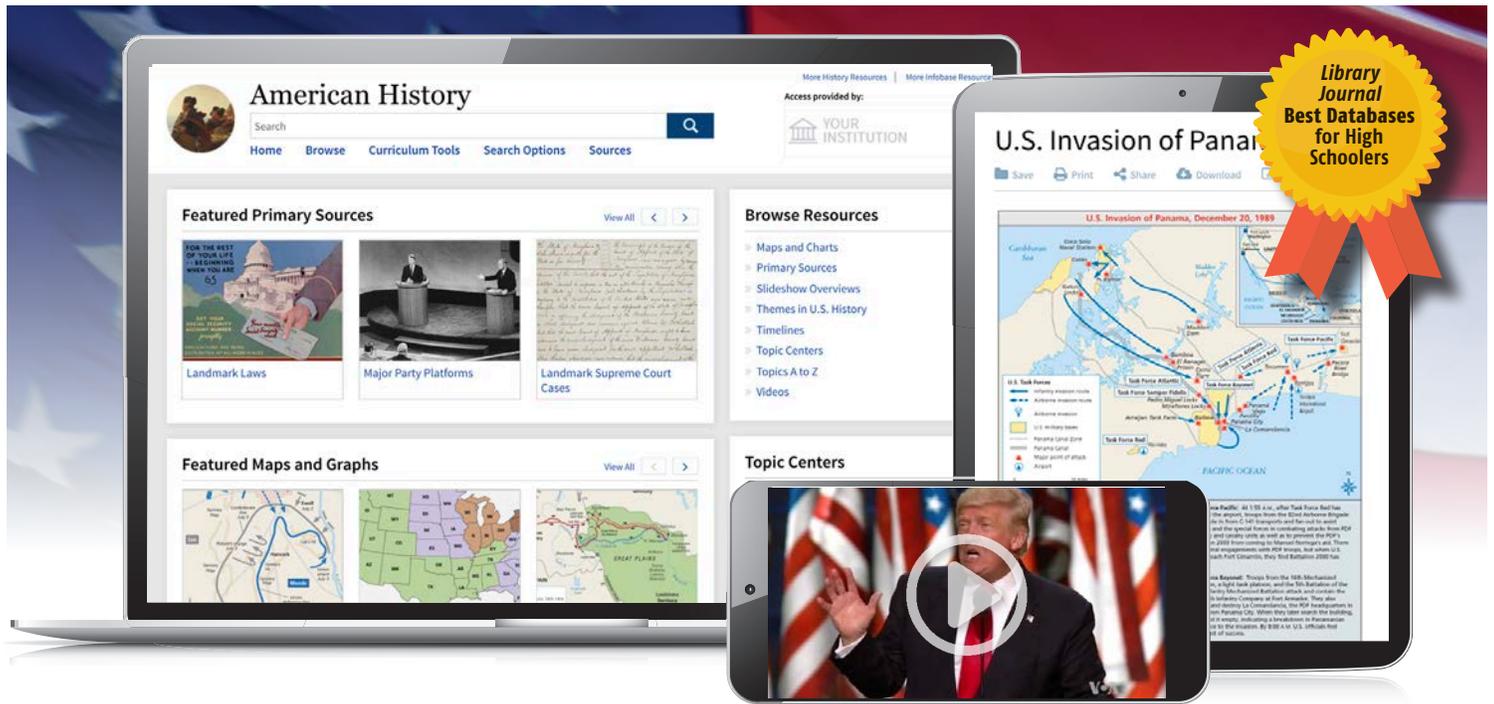


# American History

More Than 500 Years of Political, Military, Social, and Cultural History



## Booklist

**Twenty Best Bets for Student Researchers**

## The ComputED Gazette

**Education Software Review Award (EDDIES)**

"High School American History Database" category

## Library Journal

**Best Database**

"Best for High Schoolers" category

## History Research Center



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## The Entire Scope of American History—Complete Curricular Coverage

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## Highlights and Features:

- **Authoritative Source List:** Expertly researched and written content from a wealth of proprietary titles, including the latest edition of the award-winning *Encyclopedia of American History*
- **Easy Access to Relevant Content:** Key content is handpicked by our editors to inform research and provide guided entryways into the database, plus convenient links to key areas are at the top of every page

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HIGHLIGHTS AND FEATURES

New!

The screenshot displays a user interface for the American History website. It features several topic centers, each with a title, a small image, and a brief description. The visible topic centers include:

- American Civil War:** Causes, Battles, Leaders, African Americans, Women.
- Manifest Destiny:** Manifest Destiny, The Origins of Manifest Destiny, Expansion and the Early Republic, Territories and National Policy, Claiming Ownership of Oregon Territory, Texas Becomes a State, The War with Mexico.
- Themes in U.S. History:** African Americans, Agriculture, Art, Literature, and Popular Culture, Business, Economy, and Trade.
- Other sections:** Videos, Videos and Slideshows, Primary Source Documents, Maps and Charts.

**Editorially Curated Topic Centers:** Specially selected content—including articles, slideshows, videos, and more—on **35+ different eras, themes, and milestone events of American history**, providing valuable study guides and entry points into the content

## Plus—

- **Overview Essays:** substantial and thorough essays giving extensive background on relevant historical topics and eras
- **10,000+ Primary Sources**, many with introductions that provide context and background—perfect for document-based learning and strengthening critical-thinking skills
- **Book Chapters** from print titles written by noted historians, complementing the thousands of biographies, definitions, and other resources and allowing for original thinking—ideal for an in-depth study of a topic
- **Dynamic Citations** (MLA, Chicago, APA, and Harvard), with EasyBib export functionality
- **Curriculum Tools:** writing and research tips for students and educators
- **Slideshow Overviews:** original, SMART Board-friendly slideshows for a visual introduction to key topics
- **Timelines:** a detailed general timeline, plus numerous subject-specific and era-specific timelines
- Real-time, searchable Reuters® newsfeed
- Convenient A-to-Z topic lists
- Tag “clouds” for all content
- Searchable by Common Core, national, state, provincial, IB, C3 Framework for Social Studies, and College Board AP standards
- Search Assist technology
- A variety of integration options and partners, including Schoology, Canvas, and D2L
- Save to Google Drive
- Share to Google Classroom

**Themes in U.S. History:** Essays exploring 26 major themes in American history century by century, fostering critical conceptual thinking and allowing students to focus on a particular theme in one era and then examine that theme across the full reach of American history. Discussion questions are included for each theme. Perfect for honors-level and AP classes that encourage students to think about themes, or unifying threads, that drove historical change over time

- Read Aloud tool
- Google Translate
- Persistent record links
- Single sign-on with Google or Microsoft
- Users can set their default citation format, language, number of search results, and standards set for correlations
- Searchable Support Center with live help chat