

Remote Learning Enrichment Resources for History Social-Science

The following links have been identified or created by the Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) Curriculum & Instruction Department as resources that may be helpful for distance learning. Resources are for informational purposes, and their inclusion on this list is neither an endorsement nor a recommendation by SCOE. Schools and districts should review resources and determine appropriateness for their students.

Resources for Other Subjects: <https://www.scoe.net/covid19/resources/>

Audience	Grades	Description	Link
Parents/Caregivers Students	Ages 4-14+	Ben Franklin's Guide to the US Government: Readings, games, and activities on how the American system of government works	https://bensguide.gpo.gov/
Teachers, parents, caregivers Students	4-12	Ducksters: Education Site offers resources on a range of topics in US history, world history, and US government. In addition, it has biographies for dozens of influential people of the past.	https://ducksters.com/history
Teachers, parents, caregivers Students	3-12	iCivics: Founded by Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, this site contains a multitude of digital resources including games, lessons, curriculum units, and other resources to engage students in civics.	https://icivics.org
Teachers	6-12	KQED's The Lowdown offers lesson plans that provide suggestions for nonfiction analysis, writing/discussion prompts and multimedia projects to creatively integrate current events into core curriculum to encourage student civic engagement.	https://www.kqed.org/lowdown
Students	K-12	A Book In Time: This website provides links to a number of different history- and geography-related games and activities.	https://www.abookintime.com/history-games/history-geography-games.html

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Students	TK-12	Common Sense Media has curated a number of online games related to historical topics and arranged by age group.	https://www.commonsensemedia.org/lists/games-that-teach-history
Students	K-12	The BBC has resources for World history. A site based in the United Kingdom, it naturally has a large quantity of resources for British and Irish history.	http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/forks/
Teachers, parents, caregivers Students	K-12	The National Constitution Center has live and on-demand for remote learners of all ages.	https://constitutioncenter.org
Teachers, parents, caregivers Students	5-12	Street Law has at-home learning materials for students centered on the courts and the role of law in the United States.	https://www.streetlaw.org/programs/?catid=125
Teachers/ Administrators	5 and 8	Historical Scene Investigation: Lessons on historical topics designed like mysteries to be solved by students. Mysteries have a student and teacher view.	https://hsi.wm.edu/
Teachers, parents, caregivers Students	5-12	Article of the Week: Website with many timely articles on current topics for discussion. Content is presented in a clear and concise manner, with questions for consideration. Includes an archive of past articles.	http://www.kellygallagher.org/article-of-the-week

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Teachers, parents, caregivers, students	4-12	History Labs by the University of Maryland, Baltimore County: In-depth historical inquiries on over a dozen topics from US history. Students can work through a number of sources to learn about a time period or event and develop an answer to a historical question. Inquiries are identified as appropriate for Upper Elementary, Middle, or High school age students.	https://www.umbc.edu/che/historylabs/labs.php
Teachers, parents, caregivers, students	4-12	Seterra: Over 300 customizable geography quizzes and printable maps for student study.	https://online.seterra.com/en
Teachers, parents, caregivers, students	K-12	The California History Social Science Project provides a wealth of resources for student learning in history-social science. In addition, they are continuing to develop resources for student learning specifically around the current coronavirus pandemic.	https://chssp.ucdavis.edu/
Teachers, parents, caregivers	4-12	The Stanford History Education Group provides easy to implement lessons in US and World history. In addition, they have a growing repository of resources designed to assess and improve students' civic online reasoning.	https://sheg.stanford.edu
Teachers, parents, caregivers	5-12	Teaching American History provides resources and lesson plans to aid teachers instruction of US history.	https://www.teachingamericanhistory.org

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Teachers, parents, caregivers, students	K-12	The Center for Civic Education offers resources to teach and learn civics including an online course series on <i>Strengthening Democracy in America</i>	https://www.civiced.org
Teachers, parents, caregivers	5-12	The Constitutional Rights Foundation provides online lessons, resources, live and recorded webinars, tips for turning classroom lessons into distance learning opportunities.	https://www.crf-usa.org
Teachers, parents, caregivers, students	5-12	The California Global Education Project has learning activities that promote agency, civic engagement, and leadership.	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1eR2bpEKTDThoGPa8CGCb_OteGiVCckIc/view http://calglobaled.org/latino-leaders-speak
Teachers, parents, caregivers, students	K-12	The Library of Congress provides classroom materials, professional development, and lesson plans.	http://www.loc.gov/teachers/