

Remembering and Honoring the Holocaust

The history of the Holocaust offers an opportunity to reflect on the moral responsibilities of individuals, societies, and governments. Faculty and Students should understand and remember the terrible events of the Holocaust and remain vigilant against hatred, racism, persecution, and tyranny and should actively rededicate ourselves to the principles of individual freedom in a just society.

In anticipation of the Governing Board of the Los Angeles Unified School District proclaiming the week of Sunday, April 16, through Sunday, April 23, 2023, as Days of Remembrance and to hold a moment of silence on Tuesday, April 18, 2023, in memory of the victims of the Holocaust and in honor of the survivors as well as the rescuers and liberators, and further proclaims that we, the Los Angeles Unified School District community, should work to promote human dignity and confront hate whenever and wherever it occurs.

Please see the list of resources below from Discovery Education, organizations, and museums to support instruction regarding remembering and honoring the Holocaust. Discovery Education Resources are organized by grade level and might require being signed into Schoology and/or Clever to enable access. These resources will be available in the Resources section of each History-Social Science Schoology group (Elementary, Middle and High School).

Discovery Education **Holocaust Education Resources**

(To access Discovery Education Materials Please be Certain to log into your Clever Account)

Elementary Resources:

Videos:

Grandmother Celia's Survival Story: K-2

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/5e065575-5a94-45af-bb32-8ef8aa82d255>

World War II-3-5

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/6dbcdbfa-5f7e-44fb-82b6-012aa81d550b>

Making a New Life: The Courage of a Refugee Virtual Field Trip: Grades 3-8

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/cc688207-213a-45b5-99af-56b1c5cc803b>

Making a New Life: The Courage of a Refugee Virtual Field Trip Educator Guide

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/ef8adfb2-dc09-4093-abf3-ae717faf36c5>

Examples of Educator Led Activities:

Teaching with Testimony: Testimony, Virtual Reality, and Inquiry

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/407e9368-ce22-4ba1-a24e-6535468991ee>

Friendships and Human Connection

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/28b4db2f-b98d-4ff9-b2af-5089044e6bb6>

Our Family Is

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/e651f517-f17a-4a9b-a20b-d178839cbc63>

The Kindertransport: (Teachers will need a copy of Lisa of Willesden Lane Book- Not in Discovery Education)

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/2d62102f-7122-414b-b101-a212055a64d8>

"Lisa of Willesden Lane" and SEL Skills: (Will be helpful if teachers will need a copy of Lisa of Willesden Lane Book- Not in Discovery Education)

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/72fe4abc-799b-4312-ba78-ffafed8d6b30>

Secondary Resources:

Exploration:

Exploration: Timeline of the Holocaust

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/8cbeb756-b8f9-4bfe-bdfc-8215a9f258ad>

Ready-to-Use Lesson

Background Builder: The Holocaust

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/485df737-88a9-4368-be2c-5be1c7855970>

Videos:

Our Stories Are Stronger Than Hate Virtual Field Trip: Grades 5-12

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/0289a707-046b-46b8-ae63-c50facc4f854>

Our Stories Are Stronger Than Hate Virtual Field Trip Educator Guide:

<https://discoveryeducation.sharepoint.com/:b:/p/sjohangiry/EYjowhAMY4pKj7xPgnpZmrMBOGwOSowcSQDShn6xiVvjw?e=xGbsA4>

Our Stories Are Stronger Than Hate Ready-to-Use Lesson:

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/d0a6aaac-9350-484f-84f7-5aa31da86c61>

Auschwitz: The Past is Present Virtual Field Trip

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/68544d7d-cb87-46a2-bde1-947e7f922ea3>

Making a New Life: The Courage of a Refugee Virtual Field Trip: Grades 3-8

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/cc688207-213a-45b5-99af-56b1c5cc803b>

Making a New Life: The Courage of a Refugee Virtual Field Trip Educator Guide

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/ef8adfb2-dc09-4093-abf3-ae717faf36c5>

USC Shoah Foundation: One Day in Auschwitz

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/0d61f45b-95b1-41fb-9ce7-852d7b2248c7>

Kitty Hart-Moxon: Holocaust Survivor

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/da874967-b3c9-4e25-8183-9544235a65a8>

The World Remembers the Holocaust

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/2884f773-1b71-4663-b0f9-07f78b1a6b92>

Hidden Figuras: The Secret Mission of Castellanos and Mandl

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/ade1c8de-cbd9-4309-8a58-af128c5790d3>

Student Activity: <https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/4c77dfa8-d546-4937-906d-0ffa1827ad04>

BYkids: L'Chaim Documentary- A Young German-Jewish Man's Perspective

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/72155508-f4fd-4c4c-a1df-7b163e8359cf>

Additional Resources, Channels:

Teaching with Testimony -USC Shoah Foundation (Grades 6-12):

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/c16b89c2-7b77-4d65-a00b-82db050f9a26>

These are some samples of mini activities are connected to the testimonials within the Teaching with Testimony Channel:

Evading Capture: AEIOU Activity (Grades 6-12):

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/1e2ce3ac-b91d-493c-a13b-6f1d1e526fc2>

Life in Hiding: ABC Summary (Grades 6-12):

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/aa19e536-eb30-4112-8083-4d3846784e20>

Punishment at Auschwitz (Grades 9-12):

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/a9849365-9255-4dfe-a1d7-d95c3f8fa2ed>

Anti-Semitism-Flip Flop Activity (Grades 6-12):

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/8819f4a2-f26e-49bf-aa00-6a39e2b43469>

War Crimes Tribunal: Read All About It Student Activity (Grades 9-12)

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/e8c9aef8-53c2-446e-89d1-541b94d76ea5>

The Holocaust Channel (Grades 4-12):

<https://lausd.discoveryeducation.com/learn/player/daef0c01-f87b-4018-8b16-3dd5029ac303>

Holocaust Education Resources
from Organizations and Museums

Organizations/Museums/Grade Level	Educational Resources Website(s)
Voices of the Generations (Grades 6-12)	https://vogcharity.org/
Echoes and Reflections (Grades 6-12)	https://echoesandreflections.org/
Shoah Foundation at USC (Grades 6-12)	https://sfi.usc.edu/
Jewish American Heritage Month (April) (Grades K-12)	https://www.jewishheritagemonth.gov/
Facing History and Ourselves (Grades 6-12)	https://www.facinghistory.org/resource-library?keys=holocaust&items_per_page=12
Shine a Light (Grades K-12)	https://shinealighton.com/resources/
Museum of Tolerance (Grades 5-12)	https://www.museumoftolerance.com/education/teacher-resources/vocabulary-and-concepts/ https://www.museumoftolerance.com/education/teacher-resources/holocaust-resources/
Holocaust Museum Los Angeles (Grades 6-12)	https://www.holocaustmuseumla.org/educator-resources
United States Holocaust Memorial Museum (Grades 6-12)	https://www.ushmm.org/teach https://www.ushmm.org/teach/fundamentals https://www.ushmm.org/teach/teaching-materials https://www.ushmm.org/teach/fundamentals/guidelines-for-teaching-the-holocaust https://www.ushmm.org/teach/online-tools-for-learning-and-teaching https://www.ushmm.org/teach/poster-sets Holocaust Survivor Speaker Series