



National History Day 2024–25 Lib Guide

Etiwanda High School Library

1. Theme: [Rights and Responsibilities in History](#)
2. Your Topic: [NHD Topic Graphic Organizer](#)

National History Day Website: [Your Guide to Getting Started \(Beginning/Middle/End\)](#)

Secondary Sources: sources created *after* and *about* a historical event.

- START with SECONDARY to get historical context, identify multiple perspectives, and [to find primary sources](#)
- **If you find a primary source in a book or your history textbook, [cite the book](#) as a secondary source.**
- At [etiwandalibrary.com](#) find
 - Books in **[Destiny Catalog](#) on the Home Page.** Browse, get the call number, then come to the library to find the book.
 - (OR click the Destiny Discover button on your Launchpad to automatically be signed in and immediately access ebooks or audiobooks 24/7!)
 - Databases **on the [Research](#) Page.**
 - [Gale](#) (use Google Single-Sign-On or “eagles” password),
 - [ProQuest](#) (use Google SSO or CJUHSD/@Library18)
 - [Britannica](#) (should sign on automatically)
 - [Infobase American History](#) and [World History](#) (use etiwanda/eagles)
 - NHD links on the [Class Projects](#) page.
- [Sweetsearch History](#) search engine to find more scholarly results
- [JStor.org](#) (16 or older? Register to access 100 free articles a month!)
- [worldcat.org](#) (type in topic and browse resources. It will let you know if they are at a library near you.)
- [Google Books](#) ([video from NHD](#) showing how to use Google Books)
- National Archives [online exhibits page](#) (click “Records of Rights”!)



Primary Sources: *a piece of information about a historical event or period in which the creator of the source was an actual participant in or a contemporary of a historical moment.*

- [DocsTeach.org NHD partner page](#)
 - Scroll down until you see the subheading on the left-hand side titled **PRIMARY SOURCES FOR POSSIBLE NHD TOPICS RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES** and peruse the list included.
- National Archives ([archives.gov](#))
- Library of Congress ([LOC.gov](#))
- Digital Public Library of America ([dp.la](#))

Annotated Bibliography

- NHD's [What is an Annotated Bibliography?](#)
- NHD's [Annotated Bibliography Booklet](#)

NoodleTools.com

- Video 1: [How to set up the project in Noodletools](#)
- Video 2: [How to find sources in GALE and export citations to Noodletools](#)
- Video 3: [How to cite a book or textbook in Noodletools using ISBN](#)
- Video 4: [How to cite a web site manually or using copy and paste](#)
- Video 5: [How to export and format the Annotated Bibliography](#)

Office Hours

Don't worry—you can do this! Your librarian is happy to help. To set up an appointment or to ask questions, email cindy.nemecek@cjuhsd.net or contact her in person. Note: When emailing, include your name/grade/teacher/ research topic.

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