

## TOPIC OVERVIEWS

The following articles are a starting point for your research. Take note of key people, places, and themes to use for future searches. For help, reach out to Ms. Sinai asinai@lawrenceville.org

### CIVIL RIGHTS:

#### Poor People's Campaign 1968

Smith, Robert. "Poor People's Campaign." *Encyclopedia of African-American Politics, Third Edition*, Facts On File, 2021. *African-American History*, [online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=160208](https://online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=160208).

#### Memphis Sanitation Workers Strike 1968

"Memphis Sanitation Workers' Strike." In *The Civil Rights Movement in America: From Black Nationalism to the Women's Political Council*, edited by Peter B. Levy, 209-211. *Movements of the American Mosaic*. Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2015. Gale eBooks (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX6346400085/GVRL?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-GVRL&xid=912f132d>.

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### STUDENTS/ANTI-WAR PROTESTS:

#### Kent State Protests and Shooting 1970

"The Kent State Shootings: May 4, 1970." In *North America*, edited by Jennifer Stock. Vol. 6 of *Global Events: Milestone Events Throughout History*. Farmington Hills, MI: Gale, 2014. *Gale In Context: U.S. History* (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/NVAGLL242425091/UHIC?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-UHIC&xid=14890741>.

van Beek, Sydney. "Overview: Draft Resistance, Vietnam Veterans Against the War, and the Kent State Shootings." *Draft Resistance, Vietnam Veterans Against the War, and the Kent State Shootings*, Facts On File, 2022. *African-American History*, [online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=534187](https://online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=534187).

#### Winter Soldier Investigation 1971

Bohlen, Casey. "Winter Soldier Investigation." In *Opposition to War: An Encyclopedia of U.S. Peace and Antiwar Movements*, edited by Mitchell K. Hall, 712-714. Vol. 2. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2018. Gale eBooks (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX7418500362/GVRL?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-GVRL&xid=924101c5>.

#### Democratic National Convention Protests 1968

"Violent Confrontations Mar the Chicago Democratic National Convention, 1968." In *Historic U.S. Events*. Detroit, MI: Gale, 2023. *Gale In Context: U.S. History* (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/ODSYLK019742334/UHIC?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-UHIC&xid=e5b7c635>.

#### Columbia University Protests 1968

Brownell, Richard. "From Protest to Resistance." In *American Counterculture of the 1960s*, 56-69. World History. Detroit, MI: Lucent Books, 2011. Gale eBooks (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX1772600011/GVRL?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-GVRL&xid=e7a28116>.

\*see section "Columbia: A University Under Siege"

## Spring Mobilization and Anti-Draft protests 1968

Cochran, Joshua D. "Spring Mobilization to End the War in Vietnam." In *Opposition to War: An Encyclopedia of U.S. Peace and Antiwar Movements*, edited by Mitchell K. Hall, 608-610. Vol. 2. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2018. Gale eBooks (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX7418500312/GVRL?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-GVRL&xid=91862320>.

## National Student Strike against the Vietnam War 1968

Cochran, Joshua D. "Student Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam (SMC)." In *Opposition to War: An Encyclopedia of U.S. Peace and Antiwar Movements*, edited by Mitchell K. Hall, 611-612. Vol. 2. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2018. Gale eBooks (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX7418500314/GVRL?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-GVRL&xid=921e3517>.

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## WOMEN'S RIGHTS:

### Protests at 1968 Miss America Pageant

Fenimore, Wanda Little. "Miss America Protest (1968)." In *Cold War America to today*, edited by Peg A. Lamphier and Rosanne Welch, 181-183. Vol. 4 of *Women in American History: A Social, Political, and Cultural Encyclopedia and Document Collection*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2017. Gale eBooks (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX7268100854/GVRL?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-GVRL&xid=a4a2e202>.

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## NATIVE AMERICAN RIGHTS:

### Occupation of Alcatraz 1969-71

Hauptman, Laurence. "American Indians and Alcatraz." *Finally Acknowledging Native Peoples: American Indian Policies since the Nixon Administration*, Harlan Davidson, 2016. *African-American History*,

[online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=404941](https://online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=404941).

Johansen, Bruce E. "Alcatraz Occupation." In *Encyclopedia of the American Indian Movement*, 12-22. *Movements of the American Mosaic*. Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2013. Gale eBooks (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX3161900012/GVRL?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-GVRL&xid=d0ed976b>.

"Red Power Movement." In *Gale U.S. History Online Collection*. Detroit, MI: Gale, 2024. *Gale In Context: U.S. History* (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/IFGRMW916387290/UHIC?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-UHIC&xid=389fcf28>.

^this source takes a broad view and provides great context for the Alcatraz Occupation

### Wounded Knee Occupation 1973

[Topic Overview from Gale in Context: US History](#) - links to many reference sources, as well as primary and secondary sources

"Red Power Movement." In *Gale U.S. History Online Collection*. Detroit, MI: Gale, 2024. *Gale In Context: U.S. History* (accessed February 11, 2025).

<https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/IFGRMW916387290/UHIC?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-UHIC&xid=389fcf28>.

^this source takes a broad view and provides great context for the Wounded Knee Occupation

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## **LATINO RIGHTS:**

### **Delano Grape Strike 1965-1970**

"Strike in Delano." *Dolores Huerta*, Chelsea House, 2006. *African-American History*, [online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=1009040](https://online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=1009040).

### **Los Angeles School Walkouts by Mexican Americans 1968**

Terry, Jennifer. "Los Angeles School Boycott." *Encyclopedia of Latino-American History*, Facts On File, 2023. *African-American History*, [online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=649021](https://online.infobase.com/Auth/Index?aid=17344&itemid=WE01&articleId=649021).

Honders, Christine. "East Los Angeles Student Walkout." In *Mexican American Civil Rights Movement*, 24-25. Civic Participation: Working for Civil Rights. New York, NY: PowerKids Press, 2017. *Gale eBooks* (accessed February 11, 2025). <https://link.gale.com/apps/doc/CX7249000015/GVRL?u=lawr21149&sid=bookmark-GVRL&xid=992523ec>.

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## **LGBTQ RIGHTS:**

### **Stonewall Riots 1969**

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