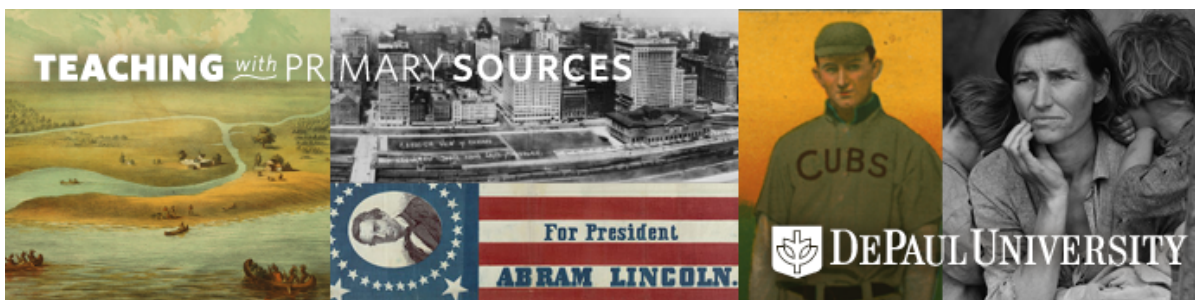


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TPS-DePaul Newsletter

February 2016

[2016 LOC Summer Teacher Institutes](#)

Immerse yourself in the practice of teaching with primary sources from the unparalleled collections of the Library of Congress this summer. Apply to attend one of the following week-long professional development programs for K-12 educators in the nation's capital:

- June 20-24 (STEM Focus)
- June 27 - July 1
- July 11-15
- July 18-22
- July 25-29

Each five-day institute provides educators with tools, resources, and strategies to effectively integrate primary sources into K-12 classrooms. Teachers and school librarians of all grade levels and curriculum areas are encouraged to apply to the open sessions, and educators who focus on science, technology, or engineering are invited to apply to the special focus week.

Tuition and materials are provided at no cost to participants. However, participants are responsible for transportation to and from the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C., and any required overnight accommodations. Interested participants have the option of completing additional requirements (and paying a fee) to earn three graduate credits from George Mason University.

The deadline to submit an application is **February 29, 2016**. Additional information and the application form can be found [here](#)!

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Notable Dates in February:

2/8: Chinese New Year

2/12: Lincoln's Birthday

2/14: Valentine's Day

2/15: President's Day

Upcoming TPS-DePaul Events:

1/30 & 2/6: DBQ Project/TPS-DePaul Collaborative PD

Quick Links:

[Library of Congress](#)
[LOC Teachers Page](#)
[LOC Kids and Families Page](#)
[Teaching with the LOC Blog](#)
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Oral History Collection

The LOC's [American Folklife Center](#) will become home to a large collection of oral histories by responders to the Sept. 11, 2001 attack on the World Trade Center. Click [here](#) for more information.

Veterans History Project AMA

On January 4th, the staff of the Veterans History Project participated in an AMA ("Ask Me Anything") session on Reddit. The conversation ranged from the staff's favorite items to submission guidelines to representations of minorities in the VHP. If you weren't able to participate, you can read the AMA [here](#). Be sure to check out other projects going on at the [VHP blog](#)!

Women Photojournalists Collection

The Prints and Photographs Collection at the LOC has added numerous resources chronicling the lives of dozens of women photojournalists, such as Zaida Ben-Yusuf and Jessie Tarbox Beals [here](#). Resources include digitized photos, as well as overviews and biographical sketches of each photographer. Also take a look at the exhibit [Who's Afraid of Women Photographers?](#) at the Musée d'Orsay, which includes many of the women in the LOC collection.

"What fools these Mortals be!"

Guck



THE NARROWING TARGET.

CUPID.—I'm doing the best I can, old man, but if I make one hit in twenty these days I'm lucky.

The Narrowing Target / Nelson Greene '14

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