

World History

Little Rock Nine and the Congressional Gold Medal Tour

Presented in partnership with Little Rock Central High School National Historic Site

This partnership allows students to tour both the Clinton Presidential Library and the Little Rock Central High School National Historic Site. In addition to viewing the permanent exhibits and the current temporary exhibit, students will see one of the Congressional Gold Medals presented to the Little Rock Nine at a special ceremony at the White House in 1999. Touring both sites allows students to explore the significance of the Little Rock Nine, the impact their actions had on the United States, and the inspiration they provided to President Clinton during his formative years and beyond. This program lasts approximately three hours including visits to both sites

** The items in **bold** within each framework standard are areas that will be emphasized during the presentation, other areas listed may possibly be addressed.

World History Since 1450 Frameworks

- Analyze the changes in cultural and social life due to artistic and literary movements and scientific and technological innovations
- Use appropriate sources to answer student-generated *compelling* and *supporting questions* about major conflicts in the early 20th century
- Analyze ways in which the perspectives of people in the present shape the interpretations of the past using multiple sources and available data and technology
- Assess the social, economic, political, and technological efforts to address economic imbalances and social inequalities among the world's peoples, websites, documentaries, movies, newspaper articles, biographies)
- Analyze ways historical contexts continue to shape people's perspectives

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