

About the Author Annotated Resources:

Websites:

<http://artsedge.kennedy-center.org/content/2368/>

Detailed lesson plan can be found and used to discuss economic reasons of African-Americans and their migration north. Also resources and links to other materials that are age/grade level appropriate are provided here.

<http://www.learnnc.org/lessons/DeniseDelp5232002534>

This is a great lesson about business, using elements of supply/demand, resources, and other items necessary to build your own business. Even though this lesson is for accelerated learners, it can be adapted to fit any classroom.

<http://www.readwritethink.org.html>

This is a great website for alternative book reports. Here students are allowed to use their creativity to add characters, settings, props, and create comic strips. Students can choose and create and allow their imagination to run wild. I think students will get a kick out of making their own comic strips.

Chapter 1 Annotated Resources

Healthful Living

Drew, N. (2004). *The Kids' Guide to Working Out Conflicts: How to Keep Cool, Stay Safe, and Get Along*. Minneapolis, MN: Free Spirit Publishing Inc.

This book provides tools that help children effectively work through conflicts by identifying their own personal anger triggers and practicing anger management techniques.

Fitro, Joyce. "Teaching Children to Resolve Conflict". *Ohio State University Extension Factsheet*. October 2006. <http://ohioline.osu.edu/hyg-fact/5000/5319.html>

This article provides a guide for teachers and parents in understanding students and working with them to solve problems. The article encourages critical thinking skills.

Lane, P.S. (1995). *Conflict Resolution for Kids*. Washington, DC: Accelerated Development.

This book, intended for parents, teachers, and counselors, is a guide in facilitating group instruction and cooperation and provides activities to foster the skills needed for a successful group experience.

Pacer Center's Kids Against Bullying. October 2006.
<http://www.pacerkidsagainstabullying.org/>

This site provides kid's perspectives about bullying as well as interesting facts, a pledge, and interactive games about bullying and conflict resolution.

"Teaching Conflict Resolution". October 2006.
<http://www.wate.com/Global/story.asp?S=371955>

This site provides four common strategic approaches to eliminate bullying in schools and ways to implement the strategies in individual classrooms.

Science

Phase Changes. October 2006. <http://hyperphysics.phy-astr.gsu.edu/hbase/thermo/phase.html>

This is a site filled with graphs and charts to explain the phase changes and all the processes that are involved in the change.

Phases of Water. October 2006.

http://mutuslab.cs.uwindsor.ca/schurko/animations/waterphases/status_water.htm

This site actually depicts the phase change of water and the molecular results using multimedia.

Waters Phases. *Teachers' Domain*. 2002-2006. <http://www.teachersdomain.org/K-2/sci/ess/watcyc/waterphases/index.html>

This site features a lesson, discussion questions, and activities that pertain to the water cycle through phases. Registration is required but free.

The Weather Channel. October 2006.

http://www.weatherclassroom.com/home_students.php

This site features ways that students can study and set up weather maps and be weather men and women in the classroom.

Weather Resources for Your Classroom. 2005.

<http://www.hvrsd.k12.nj.us/district/AWS/weatherresources.htm>

This site provides several links to teachers that will facilitate instruction on weather systems and technology.

TRUSTe, (1995). The Weather Channel. Retrieved October 3, 2006, from The Weather Channel Web site: www.weather.com

This website is from the weather channel. You can type in cities and zip codes and find the weather anywhere. This would be good to find the weather in Flint, Michigan compared to Birmingham, Alabama.

(1995). Yahoo! Weather. Retrieved October 3, 2006, from Weather Web site:

<http://weather.yahoo.com/>

This website also lets one find the weather in other parts of the U.S. and the world.

(2006). Weather Underground. Retrieved October 3, 2006, Web site:

<http://www.wunderground.com/>

This website includes information on temperature, wind chill, humidity, dew point, wind, and precipitation.

(2006). Retrieved October 3, 2006, from Intellicast Web site:
<http://www.intellicast.com/IcastPage/LoadPage.aspx>

This website includes tropical weather, and weather from other parts of the world.

(2006). USA Today Weather. Retrieved October 5, 2006, Web site:
<http://asp.usatoday.com/weather/weatherfront.aspx>

This is another great website to use to find weather information.

(1998). ProTeacher. Retrieved October 4, 2006, Web site:
<http://www.proteacher.com/110022.shtml>

This website includes lesson plans on weather.

(2006). The Online Teacher Resource. Retrieved October 6, 2006, from Teachnology
Web site: http://www.teach-nology.com/teachers/lesson_plans/science/earth_sciences/weather/

This website is a great site to use to find weather lesson plans. It includes interactive lesson plans to use in the classroom.

Social Studies

Geography Resource Kit. World Class Learning Materials: Kaplan Early Learning Company.

This kit provides games, study cards, and activities in studying the US and taking a tour across the country.

List of Major Natural Disasters in the United States. *Wikipedia*. 25 September 2006.
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_major_natural_disasters_in_the_United_States

This site touches on the most devastating natural disasters that have plagued the United States and would tie in perfectly with a lesson about snow storms.

National Assessment Synthesis Team. (2001). *Climate Change Impacts on the United States - Foundation Report*. New York, NY: Cambridge University Press.

This report focuses on climate changes that have swept the United States and would relate to very cold weather.

Chapter 2 Annotated Resources

Guidance Resources

Clements, Andrew. Jake Drake, Bully Buster. New York: Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2001.

This book is about a little boy named Jake Drake. Jake wonders why the adults and kids at school cannot get rid of bullies. Jake decides to take control when a new bully moves into town and causes problems.

Zeier, Joan T.. Stick Boy. New York: Macmillan Publishing Company, 1993.

This book is about a boy named Eric who is trying to deal with his parents' divorce, a move to another state, and a growth spurt. The kids at his new school tease him, because he is so tall and skinny. His mom puts him in a private school where a bully nicknames him "stick boy." He is put in an awkward situation when he must be secretly kind to another misfit as part of a school project prior to Christmas.

Stop Bullying Now. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. 6 Oct 2006
<<http://stopbullyingnow.hrsa.gov/index.asp?area=main>>.

This website is a wonderful site for teachers and students who are interested in learning about and combating bullying. The site includes a plethora of information about bullying as well as interactive learning tools and games.

Tolerance.org. 6 Oct 2006 <www.tolerance.org>.

This website is an excellent resource for teaching tolerance to students. It has tons and tons of information and links for teachers and students. It is full of valuable resources and information as well.

Social Studies Resources

George, Linda, and George . Charles. New York: Grolier Publishing Company, 1999.

This is an informational book about the history behind the Civil Rights Movement. The book covers history at the time of the Civil Rights Marches and major players in the movement as well. It shows how the oppressed protested and how they were punished. It has pictures to relate the content.

Pastan, Amy. Martin Luther King, Jr.: A Photographic Story of a Life. New York: DK Publishing Inc., 2004.

This book is a biographical account of Martin Luther King Jr.'s life. It contains lots of pictures that children would enjoy. The book goes through King's whole life while adding bits of history as it relates to his life and the times in which he lived.

Levine, Ellen. If You Lived at the Time of Martin Luther King, Jr.. New York: Scholastic Inc., 1994.

This is a picture book about Martin Luther King Jr.'s life. The book tells of the oppression African Americans faced during the Civil Rights Movement. It covers the history and what is like to live in that day. Each section of the book is headed by a question in which the explanation follows.

Adler, David A.. A Picture Book of Rosa Parks. New York: Holiday House, 1993.

This is a picture book of the astounding Rosa Parks. The book covers Rosa's life up until 1987. It shows her struggle and hard work during the Civil Rights Movement.

Tillage, Leon Walter. Leon's Story. New York: Farrar Straus Giroux, 1997.

This story is about a little boy named Leon. This is a story about his life growing up a sharecropper's son in North Carolina. He lived during a time that African Americans were discriminated against. The story is a strong account of one little boy's experiences during a dark time in history.

Parks, Rosa. Rosa Parks: My Story. New York: Dial Books, 1992.

This is Rosa Park's autobiography. The book deeply details her life in full. The book contains tons of information regarding her life and work during the Civil Rights Movement and after.

Morrison, Toni. Remember. New York: Houghton Mifflin Company, 2004.

This is a book about the integration of African American children into the schools following the Brown vs. The Board of Education decision. The book revolves around the amazing photographs of children and adults at that time. Morrison writes what she believes the people to be thinking in the pictures.

"Teacher's Guide to Remember." Houghton Mifflin Trade and Reference Division. 6 Oct 2006<http://www.houghtonmifflinbooks.com/readers_guides/morrison_remember.shtml>.

This website is a wonderful tool if using the book Remember by Toni Morrison in the classroom. It lists several activities to use with students in the classroom.

Voices of Civil Rights. 6 Oct 2006 <<http://www.voicesofcivilrights.org/>>.

This website contains information about civil rights throughout United States History. It has an interactive timeline that would be useful for students. It also contains personal stories about civil rights

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Guidance

Gibbons, C., Middleton, K., Ozias, J.M., & Stockton, C.A. (1999). *Your health: Activity book*. Orlando: Harcourt Brace & Company.

This book accompanies the *Your Health* text. It has activities for every section of the text book. Page 7 has an activity to help students decide on and describe some of the basic needs of all people. Page 8 gives a stressful scenario and asks students to work through it. Page 10 gives a conflict resolution activity. This activity book is available at the LRC curriculum lab.

Gorski, P.C. (2006). Knowing the community: Sharing activity. Retrieved October 12, 2006, from www.edchange.org Web site: <http://www.edchange.org/multicultural/activities/activity2.html>

This activity, from www.edchange.org, details a way for a new group of people to form strong connections. It was originally designed for educators to use with peers, but it could give readers similar ideas for elementary students. It is meant to create a feeling of connection despite many surprising differences. It is more personal than many similar discussion activities, but it can become a great method if modified for a specific group of students. Note that this is only one of many awareness activities accessible from the address listed above.

Language Arts

Lionni, L. (1963). *Swimmy*. New York, NY: Scholastic.

This picture book could be considered a Guidance resource as well. It tells the story of Swimmy, a small fish who is different from all of the other fish in the school. He is black in color, and his quickness helps him escape when all of the red fish get eaten by a big fish. Swimmy is lonely until he comes across a school of little fish. This time, Swimmy teaches them to come together and form the largest fish in the ocean. Swimmy becomes the eye, and the little fish scare all of the big fish away. Although it is a very simple story readable by very young students, it teaches a timeless lesson. Themes include teamwork, problem solving, loneliness, and resourcefulness.

Polacco, P. (2003). *The graves family*. New York, NY: Scholastic.

This picture book tells the story of a new family in a community: the Graves family. This family is very different, even frightening. The Graves family tries so hard to fit in, but their differences are glaring. Through a series of silly sequences, the Graves family finally find their place in the community. Although it is very corny, the story introduces the idea that the best way to fit in is to do what you are good at; do not try to be someone you are not.

Healthful Living

<http://www.teachervision.fen.com/conflict-resolution/lesson-plan/3026.html?detoured=1>

This worksheet can be used to explore the various types of conflict resolution situations and identify what type of conflict resolution is being used. Teachers may use this worksheet in conjunction with a lesson on conflict resolution.

<http://www.goodcharacter.com/YCC/ResolvingConflicts.html>

This website is a guide for teachers in dealing with conflict for the grades K-5. Teachers can use the discussion questions present on the site to spark conversation in the classroom. The site also list steps in dealing with conflict, activities for students, and assignments that can be given to students.

Chapter 4 Annotated Resources

Science

De Paola, T (1975). *The cloud book*. New York: Holiday House.

Introduces the ten most common types of clouds, the myths that have been inspired by their shapes, and what they can tell about coming weather changes.

Mogil, H., Levine, B. (1993). *The amateur meteorologist: explorations and investigations*. New York, Franklin Watts.

Presents activities and projects with which the amateur meteorologist can explore the weather.

Adams, S. (2001). *The best book of weather*. New York, Kingfisher

Introduces weather including how it is predicted, types of clouds, climate, seasons, and the effects of weather on the planet

(1998). [video recording]. *Hands-on weather: weather experiments*. Niles, IL, United Learning.

A program that illustrates principles of weather through simple demonstration, this video is geared toward grades 5 through 8. The goals of the program are to demonstrate how heat, moisture, and air play a part in the weather.

Shannon, D. (1998). *A bad case of stripes*. Scholastic, Inc.

Tells the story of Camilla Cream, a little girl who is very worried about what other people think of her. She is so worried, in fact, that she stops eating her favorite food, lima beans, because none of the other kids at school like them.

Camcentral. Retrieved November 1, 2006 from website: <http://www.camcentral.com>

Demonstrates how to view skylines for various cities across the country.

Weather Channel. Retrieved November 1, 2006 from the website:

<http://www.weatherchannel.com> Use this website to look up weather forecasts for each city

Healthful Living

(1991). [video recording] *Bully smart*. StreetSmart Productions.

Discusses how to avoid peer pressures, dealing with bullies, encourages self-esteem, provides communication tips and stresses the importance of getting involved in school activities.

Johnston, M. (1996). *Dealing with bullying*. New York, PowerKids Press.

Describes what is meant by bullying; then goes on to explain why bullies act as they do, how to deal with them, and how to stop being one.

Social Studies

Tolerance Pledge. Retrieved November 1, 2006. website:
http://www.tolerance.org/images/teach/activities/guide_pledges.pdf

This is a copy of a pledge to treat everyone respectfully.

www.tolerance.org. Retrieved November 1, 2006. website:

This website has pages for students, teachers, and parents with resources for identifying intolerance and learning to be more tolerant.

Chapter 5 Annotated Resources

Guidance

American Red Cross: Community First Aid and Safety. Yardley, PA: Staywell, 2002.

This book is a guide on how to prevent and take care of first aid situations. This book can be purchased from The American Red Cross chapter in any county.

<http://www.smokeybear.com/>

This website discusses “Smokey the Bear” and tells more about fire prevention. There are teacher resources to teach about preventing fires on this website as well.

Sheanh, Gerry. *Helping Kids Deal With Conflict: An Everyday Resource for All Teachers and Parents*. Canada: Peguis Publishers, 1996.

This book offers many different scenarios that children deal with everyday inside and outside the classroom. It also discusses what types of conflicts can occur and how to deal with them. This book can be bought at Barnes & Noble or ordered from www.amazon.com.

Informational Skills

<http://pbskids.org/wayback/family/tree/index.html>

This website helps students design a family tree.

<http://www.playgroundfun.org.uk/>

This website has many games that have been played by other children in other countries. Some are the same games but called a different name. It gives directions on how to play the game and tells what it is called in other countries.

Social Studies

<http://www.esrnational.org/sp/we/uw.htm>

This website offers many lesson plans and ways of discussing and understanding the war in the Middle East, Iraq, and in Korea. This website helps students ask questions and be able to critically think about these wars.

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Healthful Living

Berenstain, Stan. *The Berenstain Bears and Too Much Junk Food*. New York: Random House, 1985.

In this Berenstain Bears book Mama Bear see that Papa and the cubs are getting too chubby. She lets them know that all the junk food they are eating is not good for them. She gets Dr. Grizzly's help and he shows a slide show on how the body works. By the end the Bear's are making healthy choices in their diet and fitness habits. This book was found at the Iredell County Public Library.

MyPyramid.com. *United States Department of Agriculture*. Retrieved October 9, 2006 from <<http://www.mypyramid.gov/index.html>>

This website is wonderful for both teachers and students. There are sections just for kids that have games, coloring pages, and a more detailed look at the food pyramid. There are also other links that are great resources for teachers. This site includes a tips and resources page that has great ideas for teaching children how to put the pyramid into action.

Sears, William and Martha. *Eat Healthy, Feel Great*. Boston, MA: Little Brown & Co, 2002.

This book gives students the information for them to make good food choices. It includes easy recipes for kids to make. This quick and easy read shows children how fun and simple it can be to eat right.

Guidance

Adams, Lisa. *Dealing with Arguments*. New York: Rosen Publishing Group, Inc., 1997.

This book is more for students. It goes through what an argument is, how they start, and ways to avoid arguments. The author discusses talking calmly, listening, and compromise. This is an excellent tool for teachers to read to students or have them read to learn on how to deal with arguing. This book was found at the Iredell County Public Library.

Dealing with Feelings. *KidsHealth for Kids*. Retrieved October 9, 2006 from <
<http://kidshealth.org/kid/feeling/>>

This website is great for students. There is a huge list of articles that deal with many topics that kids face everyday. Some that are particularly important to chapter 6 are Dealing with Anger, Controlling your Temper, and Brothers and Sisters. There are many more topics that could be discussed. This resource is wonderful for kids to go and find out what they need about what they are feeling and experiencing.

Johnston, Marianne. *Dealing with Fighting*. New York: Rosen Publishing Group, Inc., 1996.

This is another wonderful book for students. It helps kids understand how fights start and different types of fighting. It gives scenarios and asks students how they could handle things differently. The book also gives ways to deal with fighting. This is an excellent resource for students to read to learn more about dealing with fighting. This book was found at the Iredell County Public Library.

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Gates, H. & West, C. (2000). *The African-American Century : How Black Americans Have Shaped Our Country*. New York, NY: Touchstone.

This book contains a section on the African-American hairstyles and the way they reflect culture and history.

Herron, C. (1998). *Nappy Hair*. New York, NY: Dragonfly Books

This is the story of a little girl named Brenda who learns to accept herself and her hair.

Song Lyrics for Straighten Up and Fly Right. retrieved 12/6/06 from:

Straighten-Up-And-Fly-Right-lyrics-Nat-King-Cole/0FD382F439D1E13E48256AF1000B8B55

There is a print friendly version of the song Dad sings as he shaves Byron's head at this site.

www.natkingcole.org website: retrieved 12/6/06

There are pictures, biographical information and even sound clips on this site.

www.gotbozo.com website: retrieved 12/6/06

This is a great website dedicated to Bozo the Clown. There are pictures and information about many of the people and images known at one time or another as Bozo.

www.alabama.gov website: retrieved 12/7/06

This is the official website for state information and resources.

www.touralabama.org

This website is maintained by the Alabama Department of Tourism. Maps and tourist packets may be requested through a link at this site.

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Music

<http://www.jazzpromo.com/sections.php?op=viewarticle&artid=538>

This website allows you to listen to many types of jazz music. For example mainstream, contemporary, swing, blues and many others.

<http://www.pbs.org/jazz/>

This website gives teachers different lesson plans they can use to teach about jazz. There is an online interactive timeline, a tap the beat program where they listen to the beat and repeat it by tapping their foot.

Informational Skills

Raffel, Jeffery. Historical Dictionary of School Segregation and Desegregation: The American Experience.

This book is a dictionary as well as a biography of the 1960's.

Olson, James. Historical Dictionary of the 1960's.

This book covers the political, social, cultural, and economic topics of the 1960's.

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Social Studies

The Weather Channel Homepage. Retrieved October 17, 2006, from Local Weather website: <http://www.weather.com>

This website is used to collect data of the weather in Flint, Michigan and Birmingham, Alabama. The data collected can be used to make a weather graph so that the students will understand why Buphus was making fun of Byron and teasing him about the hot weather in Alabama.

Teaching Tolerance. Retrieved October 17, 2006 from, Teaching Tolerance website: <http://www.teachingtolerance.org>.

This website has all types of information on the civil rights movement. It contains information on the types of schools to pictures of segregation. It also has information about all the trials and famous people of the civil rights movement. This website is very student friendly and can be used to research and conduct investigations.

The Lawrence Welk Show Homepage. Retrieved October 17, 2006, from The Lawrence Welk website: <http://www.welkshow.com>

Dance

Jive Music. Retrieved October 17, 2006, from the dance store online website: <http://www.thedancestoreonline.com>

This website teaches about Jive music and its history. The students can view this website to understand what jive music is, hear examples and learn to write their own jive music and dance to go with their jive songs.

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<http://www.jldr.com/ohindex.shtml> retrieved December 7, 2006.

This is an “official” outhouse site that provides a virtual tour of outhouses all over the United States. There is lots of history and trivia. It is a highly entertaining site.

www.searsarchives.com/catalogs/history.htm retrieved December 7, 2006.

This page is maintained by Sears and has lots of historical information. Very interesting but not very appealing visually.

www.bgsu.edu/departments/acs/1890s/sears/sears4.html retrieved December 7, 2006.

This page is also about the catalog but is much more visually appealing for students.

Official state sites that contain links to many resources about the states traveled through:

Ohio.gov/

Kentucky.gov/

Tennessee.gov/

Alabama.gov/

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Music

American Roots Music. www.pbs.org. 30 November 2006.

<http://www.pbs.org/americanrootsmusic/pbs_arm_into_the_classroom.html>

This web site is complete with lesson plans on the history of American music and how to analyze it and create your own.

Blue Ridge Music Center. www.blueridemusiccenter.org. 30 November 2006.

<http://www.blueridgemusiccenter.org/bluegrass_music.aspx>

The Blue Ridge Music Center is located in Galax, VA. The site includes an outdoor amphitheater and indoor interpretive center used to highlight an important strand of American musical culture, which is still alive and thriving in the region.

History of Country Music. www.roughstock.com. 30 November 2006.

<<http://www.roughstock.com/history>>

Explore this web page to discover the history of country music, from cowboy music, to western music, and honky tonk.

Information Skills

Family Trees. www.teachnet.com. 30 November 2006.

<<http://www.teachnet.com/lesson/misc/familytrees040199.html>>

This web page offers a lot of ideas for family activities in the classroom including timelines and family trees.

Gas Price Watch. 30 November 2006. <<http://www.gaspricewatch.com/new>>

Have students visit this web site to find out how much gas is around the country and how much they will spend on gas on their trip.

Plan a Trip. www.illuminations.nctm.org. 30 November 2006.

<<http://illuminations.nctm.org/LessonDetail.aspx?ID=L359>>

This web site offers some great ideas on how to get your students thinking about how to plan a trip and what is involved in that task.

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Social Studies

www.adl.org

(2006). ADL. Retrieved November 28, 2006, from Anti-Defamation League Web site: <http://www.adl.org/>

This is a website is dedicated to creating a more tolerant world. There are also wonderful links to information about people and events from the Civil Rights Movement. This site may be particularly helpful in supporting research projects.

<http://www.edchange.org/multicultural/>

Gorski, Paul (1995-2006). Multicultural Pavilion. Retrieved November 28, 2006, from Ed Change Web site: <http://www.edchange.org/multicultural/>

This is an informational website maintained for the purpose of multicultural education. There are excellent lesson plans, book lists, and other types of resources that will be helpful to instructors. There are also resources that the children can use to support research projects.

Healthful Living

<http://www.mypyramid.gov/index.html>

(2006). Steps to a Healthier You. Retrieved November 28, 2006, from USDA Web site: <http://www.mypyramid.gov/index.html>

This is a great informational website that the children can access while completing the menus lesson as well as building food pyramids. This website gives specific details about the pyramid.

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Science

Retrieved October 10, 2006, from Chapter 4-Forces Web site:

<http://library.thinkquest.org/10796/ch4/ch4.htm>

This thinkquest site has links that completely explain forces, momentum, and give examples of each. There are interactive experiences and quizzes included.

<http://www.answers.com/topic/whirlpool> retrieved December, 7 2006.

This site compiles multiple reference materials to supply definitions, pictures, and links to additional information about specific whirlpools. It contains excellent information but be aware that because it is a free domain there are multiple popup ads, some of which are not appropriate for viewing in the classroom. It is probably a better site for teachers than students.

Worth, K. & Grollman, S. (2003). *Worms, Shadows, and Whirlpools: Science in the Early Childhood Classroom*. Portsmouth, NH: Heinemann.

This book contains a section on whirlpools as well as other excellent resources for science instruction in the elementary classroom.

Healthful Living

Schwartz, B. (2004). *The Paradox of Choice: Why More is Less*. New York, NY: Harper Collins.

Barry Schwartz explains at what point choice becomes detrimental to our psychological and emotional well-being. Schwartz also shows how our obsession with choice encourages us to seek that which makes us feel worse. This is a great resource for teachers on ways to reduce stress in decision making.

Chapter 14 Annotated Resources

Books:

Under Our Skin: Kids Talk About Race

Debbie Holsclaw Birdseye and Tom Birdseye. Holiday House, 1997.

Six students from diverse ethnic backgrounds discuss how their cultural traditions affect their daily lives, how they feel about race relations in the United States, and what their own experiences with prejudice have been. This book is a very personal examination of race and racism and how prejudice affects children every day.

Everything You Need to Know About Racism

Nasoan Sheftel-Gomes. Rosen, 1998.

This book contains a brief history of racism in the United States and of the Civil Rights Movement. It also discusses how prejudice affects us all and how each of us can cope with racism and work to eliminate it.

Websites:

We Shall Overcome; Historic Places of the Civil Rights Movement ... 12 October 2006

www.cr.nps.gov/nR/travel/civilrights/

The National Parks Services' story of the Civil Rights Movement centered around places listed in the National Register of Historic Places. Descriptions of what happened during this time period.

Civil Rights Movement Veterans - CORE, NAACP, SCLC, SNCC 12 October 2006

www.crmvet.org/

Civil Rights Movement history, personal stories, discussions & analysis, commentaries, contact information by and for veterans of the Southern Freedom.

Civil Rights Movement 12 October 2006

www.afroamhistory.about.com/od/civilrightsmovement/

This site contains links to people, events, history, and much more to support research projects.

Civil Rights Movement 12 October 2006

www.easternct.edu/depts/edu/textbooks/civilrights.html

MLK Page This page is a timeline of the early Civil Rights Movement. Famous Speeches of the Civil Rights Movement This site offers links to many of the people of this era.

Civil Rights Movement Heroes 12 October 2006

www.infoplease.com/spot/bhmheroes1.html

Information about: Rosa Parks, Martin Luther King Junior, and the little Rock Nine Heroes can be found at this site.

Raff, Tish. *The Civil Rights Movement--US History lesson plan (grades 6-8 ...* 12 October 2006 school.discovery.com/lessonplans/programs/freetatlast/

Although designed for older students, this lesson plan page contains many resources that teachers may find helpful. There are audioclips, books, and website links available.

A Lesson Plans Page lesson plan, lesson idea, thematic unit, or activity.

Teachers' Domain: Civil Rights Special Collection 12 October 2006

www.teachersdomain.org/special/civil/index.html

The Civil Rights Movement in America, 1945-1975. Media Type: Flash Interactive. This interactive timeline provides a chronological and geographic view of the civil rights movement.

SPLCenter.org: Teaching Tolerance 12 October 2006

www.splcenter.org/center/tt/teach.jsp

This site is maintained by the Southern Poverty Law Center. There is information about free and low cost materials for teachers at all levels. Information about grants and fellowships for educators interested in teaching about tolerance is also listed here.

Chapter 15 Annotated Resources

Guidance

Stages of Grief. 11 Oct 2006

<http://www.cancersurvivors.org/Coping/end%20term/stages.htm>

This website gives an introduction and description of the stages of grief according to Dr. Roberta Temes and Kubler-Ross.

Activities for Grieving Children. 9 Oct 2006

<http://www.cgcmaine.org/docs/subdocs/activities.htm>

This website provides directions for an activity in which students create scream boxes that provide a healthy and effective outlet of emotions.

Science

Energy Transformations and Hydroelectric Power. 9 Oct 2006

<http://powerposse.aps.com/classroom/curriculum/pdf/fifth/fifgactivity7.pdf#search=%22learning%20about%20dams%20in%20fifth%20grade%22>

This is a lesson plan on dams that includes instructions for the “Build a dam” activity.

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Social Studies

[America's Civil Rights Movement](http://www.tolerance.org) kit found for free at www.tolerance.org

America's Civil Rights Movement" includes:

- 38-minute Academy Award-winning film, "A Time for Justice," in VHS format;
- "Free at Last", 108 pages of history, profiles and photos; and
- Teacher's guide with 10 lesson plans that adhere to state standards for U.S. history, civics and language arts.

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Motivated by her naive, youthful acceptance of racial injustice as a white, privileged child in Birmingham, AL, McWhorter directs her compelling retrospective at readers who likewise may not realize that history swirls around them. After a prologue that describes the emergence and impact of segregation in the United States, chapters follow chronologically, highlighting pivotal events, people, successes, and failures of "The Movement."

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Tells the amazing story of struggle and triumph of one of the greatest Civil Rights leaders.

Meet Martin Luther King, Jr. by [James T. Dekay](#)

A biography of the man largely responsible for uniting American blacks in the fight for civil rights.

The Civil Rights Movement (Journey to Freedom) by Rose Venable

Chronicles the civil rights movement in the United States, providing information on the movement's key figures and events.

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An online photo gallery filled with pictures of Martin Luther King, Jr.

<http://www.mlkonline.net/>

Official web page for Martin Luther King, Jr.

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Web site filled with resources about the Civil Rights Movement.

<http://www.tripadvisor.com/>

A web site that acts as a guide for planning vacations.

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Online slide show of photos about the Civil Rights Movement.

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