

Please reserve the following trunk for my class:

- 1st-2nd Grade: Different and the Same
- 3rd-4th Grade: Creating Community
- 5th Grade: Beginning Holocaust Studies
- 3rd-5th Grade: Multi-Grade
- Middle School: Human Behavior
- High School: Historical Perspectives
- 6th-12th Grade: Multi-Grade
- Elementary: Arts
- Secondary: Human Rights and Genocide

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Method of Reservation:

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Museum Information

The Florida Holocaust Museum is the contracted service provider for Holocaust/character education to the Florida Department of Education and disseminates curriculum to Florida's public schools.

- More than 25,000 students visit annually.
- The Museum trains over 400 teachers each year.
- The Museum has one of the largest Holocaust libraries in the Southeast United States.
- Trunks travel throughout the continental United States.
- The Florida Holocaust Museum is accredited by the American Association of Museums.



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Our Mission

The Florida Holocaust Museum honors the memory of millions of innocent men, women and children who suffered or died in the Holocaust. The Museum is dedicated to teaching members of all races and cultures to recognize the inherent worth and dignity of human life in order to prevent future genocides.

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Teaching Trunks



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Meet the Florida mandate for Holocaust Education through our literature-based teaching trunks!

Florida's Holocaust Education Mandate **requires** all school districts to incorporate lessons on the Holocaust as part of public school instruction. The Florida Holocaust Museum, a service provider contracted by the Florida Department of Education, invites you to use our dynamic literature-based lessons about the Holocaust, genocide and character education. These large teaching trunks are designed to accommodate the needs of one class or a team of teachers. The selected materials align with national, state and local standards and are grade appropriate. The focus has been carefully developed to create an educational approach that builds upon each previous year.

Loan periods are for four weeks and are available to public, private and parochial schools throughout the continental U.S.

What's inside?

The 1st and 2nd grade trunks include a video-based series with accompanying literature. All other trunks contain class sets of literature.

- Literature circle
- Videos
- Read-aloud selections
- CD-Roms
- Picture books
- Student and teacher reference and resource materials. At the middle and high school levels teaching poster sets have been included.

The curriculum guides included have been specifically created for each grade level and are tailored to the trunk materials.

The curricula focus on:

- Integration of subject areas
- Cooperative learning
- Multiple intelligences
- Emphasis on reading and writing skills



Each guide includes an introduction and rationale for the trunk and its focus, pedagogical connections, explanations and integration of trunk literature, resources, student and teacher references and professional articles.

What is the focus of each grade level?

1st-2nd grade: *Different and the Same*

This trunk features a video series with related literature on awareness, fairness, understanding, respect and tolerance education.

3rd-4th grade: *Creating Community*

Here students begin to examine the issues at the root of all Holocaust education: immigration, prejudice, families, community and cultural identity.

5th grade: *Beginning Holocaust Studies*

This trunk introduces students to the importance of learning from history, in particular, the socio-political and historical context in which the Holocaust took place. There is an emphasis on children, resourcefulness and creativity. Materials include: *The Night Crossing*, *Talking Walls*, *Jacob's Rescue* and *Immigrant Kids*. [3rd-5th and 6th-12th grade multi-grade trunks are available]

Middle School: *Investigating Human Behavior*

The trunk focuses on the choices individuals and groups made during the Holocaust. It examines the bystander, perpetrator, victim and rescuer and how their choices affected their lives and the lives of others. Materials include: USHMM* teaching posters, *Smoke and Ashes*, *Not in Our Town* and *Anne Frank*.

High School: *Historical Perspectives of the Holocaust*

This material covers the examination of non-education into a focused study of the historical impact of the Holocaust on individuals. Materials include: USHMM poster set, *Voices and Views: A History of the Holocaust*, class and group sets of literature.

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Our Newest Trunks...

Arts Trunk: Elementary
Discover the opportunities to integrate powerful messages by images, music and performance.

Explore the themes of the Holocaust, character education, genocide studies and human behavior through the arts. The lessons discuss artwork and are designed for art as well as all other classes. The trunk offers resources and recommended lesson ideas.

Human Rights and Genocide Trunk: Middle and High School

This trunk takes the theme of “never again” and depicts the work of “ever again.” The secondary trunk has information on the Declaration of Human Rights as it applies to situations past and present. Opportunities to explore human behavior from the standpoint of bystander, victim, perpetrator, rescuer and upstander are illustrated. Explore the Armenian genocide, Cambodia, Rwanda and The Balkans, as well as HR issues in South Africa and the Japanese American Internment.

“I would share this teaching material with my colleagues and absolutely recommend the teaching trunks...it has enhanced the unit of study.”
Teacher from Citrus County

“The Teaching Trunk material was practical, complete and easy to use.”
Teacher from Marion County

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