



Mission Statement

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.

Museum Information

- More than 15,000 students visit annually.
- The Museum trains hundreds of teachers each year.
- The Museum has one of the largest Holocaust libraries in the Southeastern United States.
- The Florida Holocaust Museum is accredited by the American Association of Museums.
- The Museum's Teaching Trunks directly educate more than 50,000 students each year.

Sponsors

The Florida Holocaust Museum is accredited by the American Association of Museums and receives operating and special project support in part from:

Florida Department of Education; Florida Department of State; Publix Super Markets Charities; the City of St. Petersburg.

Thank you



2010 Education Programs 2011

*Teacher Training
Opportunities*



How can we help you meet the mandate?

All of our trainings and materials are aligned to state standards and designed to assist with FCAT strategies.

Literature Based Teaching Trunks

Materials selected align with national, state, and local standards and are appropriate for students at each grade level. The focus has been carefully selected to create a spiraling educational approach which builds upon each previous year. To reserve a trunk please contact Trunk Manager, at (727) 820-0100, ext. 249 or visit our website.

Summer Institute 2011

We highly recommend that you enroll in our Sam Gross Summer Institute on the History of the Holocaust and Human Rights and Genocide Studies. The Institute provides you with the background knowledge, pedagogy, and materials to design and teach a course of study of the Holocaust and other genocides. The program is one week long, June 13-17, 2011:

- Teaching about the Holocaust is required instruction for grades K-12. This Institute will prepare you to answer the difficult questions with sensitivity and accuracy, provide familiarity with techniques, strategies and resources that align with state and national standards.
- Explore references and resource materials available for teaching about human rights violations and genocides, including the most current situation in the world.

The deadline for receipt of applications is May 9, 2011. Please complete and return your application as soon as brochures are made available at your school. Applications are also downloadable from our website. For more information, please contact our Education Department at (727) 820-0100, ext. 241.

Field Trips

Docent-led tours are available for groups. Reservations are required for all school and group visits. Space is limited! Make your reservation as early as possible. A Museum visit is appropriate for students in the fifth grade and above. For reservations, please contact our Tour Manager at 727-820-0100 ext. 224.

Arrangements may also be made to have a speaker (Holocaust survivor) at your school. For more information please contact Tour Manager at (727) 820-0100 ext. 224.

Teacher Trainings

Teacher Training Opportunities 2010- 2011

- September 2** *Trickery, Trolling & Threats: Understanding & Addressing Cyberbullying.*
Facilitated by the Anti-Defamation League.
- October 19** *The Walter R. Porges Teacher Tribute 2010*
Presented by the Florida Holocaust Museum, the Salvador Dali Museum and the Museum of Fine Arts. Museums will be providing docent-led tours, resources for classrooms, hors d'oeuvres & refreshments.
- December 15** *State of Deception: The Power of Nazi Propaganda.*
Facilitated by Ann Millin, Ph.D., United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
- February 9** *Worse Than War: Genocide, Eliminationism, and the Ongoing Assault on Humanity*
Facilitated by Mary Johnson, Ph.D., Facing History and Ourselves
- April 13** *What Can One Person Do? Lessons from the Rwandan Genocide*
Facilitated by Carl Wilkens, World Outside My Shoes
- May 11** *The Walter R. Porges Teacher Appreciation Evening*
Hosted by the Florida Holocaust Museum with special guest speakers, tours and educational materials.

All workshops are scheduled from 5:30pm - 8:30pm, unless otherwise indicated, and a light meal is provided. Teacher Tribute will begin at 5:00pm and end at 8:30pm.

To register:

Pinellas County Teachers: **please register on LMS.** With any questions please contact our Education Department at (727) 820-0100, ext. 241.

Teachers from all other counties, as well as private and parochial schools: please register with our Education Department at (727) 820-0100, ext. 241.