

Curriculum Support:

The 2008 Teacher Education Institute is an intense, yet rewarding experience designed to assist middle and high school teachers in expanding their knowledge of the Holocaust and other genocides.



Through scholarly lectures, personal recollections, guided discussions and activities, film documentaries, assigned readings and a range of handout materials, the course provides them excellent tools necessary to teach such sensitive subjects to students.

S.O.L. Support:

The Teacher Education Institute and the VIRGINIA STANDARDS OF LEARNING:

WH.I - 1a, b, e; 3c, d, e; 5c, d, g; 6c, ds, h; 9a, b; 12a, b, c

WH.II - 11, 12c, 13, 15a

US.I - 4a, b; 5a, c; 6b; 7b, d; 8a, d; 9b; 10a

US.II - 1a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h; 6

CE - 7c, d

VUS.I - 10 d, e

GOVT - 12, 17

Complete listing and detailed alignment charts of Virginia Standards of Learning can be viewed at www.va-holocaust.com

Each participant receives 35 CEUs/ points and an official certificate upon completion of the course.

Teacher Support:

Participants of the Institute tour the Virginia Holocaust Museum and visit with Holocaust survivors.



Participants are taught by highly qualified and experienced instructors. This course helps teachers build personalized lesson plans and develop curriculum suited to their particular needs. *Pre and post-course help is offered online through "Blackboard" and email.*

Teacher Education Institute

July 28 - August 1, 2008

**\$75 Registration Fee
(Includes Textbooks)**

To Register Call 804.257.5400
or online at
www.va-holocaust.com

Teachers receive numerous educational materials including:

- *The Holocaust and Other Genocides: History, Representation, Ethics* by Helmut Walser Smith
- *Maus I & II: A Survivor's Tale* by Art Spiegelman
- *And don't call me a racist* by Ella Mazel
- *Through Our Survivor's Eyes* Video Guide & Teacher Supplement from the Jewish Community Federation of Richmond
- *Responding to Hate at School*, and *101 Tools for Tolerance* from Southern Poverty Law Center
- *Educator's Resource Guide for Teaching the Holocaust* and *Exemplary Lessons* from United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

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Teaching tolerance to the Next Generation

Experiences:

"The Institute is extraordinary, with extraordinary instructors, and in 30 years of teaching, probably the most valuable class that I have ever taken."
Barbara Paterson, Oak Knoll Middle School - 2005

"The seminar was a great experience. Professors gave profound, informative, and enthusiastic lectures; teachers from all over VA worked together and shared ideas and lesson plans, guest speakers (survivors and museum curators) were inspirational. I left with a plethora of ideas and materials that I use in the classroom. The students love it!!"
Michelle Harrison, Carver Middle School - 2005



"It is impossible for me to find fault with this course. It was well-instructed, meaningful, supportive and informative. I am amazed how many people gave so much time to us. I felt special. The entire program struck an important balance: educational-professional-supportive."
John Wilkes, Maggie L. Walker Governor's School - 2007

"I would absolutely recommend this course. I love how all of the instructors were genuinely engaged in their teaching. I felt they all feel that this is an event in history that deserves our attention."
Chris Bailey, Bailey Bridge Middle School - 2007

"Films and film excerpts...Great. Propaganda examples, history lessons, [provide] inspiration for written work. I made quite a list. Literary Representations of the Holocaust...[They were] very valuable to me as an English 12 teacher. Maus was interesting on so many levels. The classroom tips will be useful on a practical level!"
Michael Goodrich-Stuart, Hanover High School - 2007

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Monday - Friday, 9am to 5pm
Saturday and Sunday, 11am to 5pm

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Questions of Conscience: Teaching about the Holocaust and Contemporary Genocides



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