



Division of Elementary and Secondary Education

Subject: Message #103: 2021 Summer Institute: Teaching About the Holocaust

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**From: Arkansas Department of Education Division of Elementary and
Secondary Education Curriculum Support Unit**

Dear Arkansas Curriculum Directors,

The Illinois Holocaust Museum is offering its 2021 Online Summer Institute to educators across the nation. Through this introductory institute, teachers will begin an investigation into the history of the Holocaust (1933-1945). During this intensive, five-day seminar, participants will become familiar with the content area, literacy-based teaching methods, and resources to teach Holocaust history to their students. The course will include primary source readings, analysis of historical documents, multimedia presentations, and presentations by experts including a Holocaust Survivor. The institute will draw interdisciplinary connections that align with state and national standards.

Educators will return to their classrooms equipped with deeper knowledge of the Holocaust and rich pedagogical resources. The program will enable them to investigate with their students the ramifications of prejudice, racism, and indifference, and the role of the individual in nurturing and protecting democratic values and human rights.

Click here for more information and registration link: <https://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/summer-institute-for-educators-2021/>

Applications must be received no later than Monday, June 7, 2021.

Tuition Cost: \$300

Financial Assistance:

Full or partial financial assistance for tuition will be available for teachers with demonstrated need. Please fill out the Summer Institute application before applying for financial assistance.

Click here for financial assistance application:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe1ujj3lCwg063nbM4Gm0DL9epLXLziF1Hszoe1H9NwmwNREw/viewform>

Graduate Credit:

One Graduate Credit will be available through National Louis University for an additional fee of \$380.

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Please share this information with others that might be interested. Thank you for serving the students of Arkansas.

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