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National Archives Offers Free Curriculum CD-ROMs

WHAT: The National Archives-Northeast Region has created CD-ROMs linking history curriculum guidelines for certain states to “Our Documents: 100 Milestone Documents”, a cooperative effort using selections from the National Archives’ nationwide holdings chronicling U.S. history to 1965 (www.ourdocuments.gov).

WHO: These CD-ROMs are free to anyone, but are designed especially for educators from Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

WHEN: All CD-ROMs are available immediately.

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It is the goal of the National Archives to make the documents and records in our holdings free and available to everyone. Teachers and students are particularly welcome. For teachers, we offer a variety of free classes and workshops leading to Professional Development Points, including training on the identification and use of primary sources in the classroom. For students, we offer the opportunity both to learn the importance of primary sources and to actually use them in historical research. Our staff is available to come into the classroom to assist teachers and students.

We invite teachers and their students to come visit our facility to take a class, use our resources, and receive a “behind the scenes” tour of the Archives. We also work in conjunction with other National Archives facilities to provide interactive, document-based Distance Learning opportunities that help put the power of primary sources from the entire National Archives at teachers’ fingertips.

The headquarters for the National Archives-Northeast Region is located at 380 Trapelo Road in Waltham, MA. The New York office is located at 201 Varick Street, 12th Floor, New York, NY.

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