

# Lessons for Ethnic Studies

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## STUDENT READINGS

This unit does not contain a Student Text of readings. It is a collection of lesson plans only.

## PRIORITIZING UNDER-REPRESENTED HISTORIES

The lessons explore groups that played vital roles in U.S. history. The lessons illuminate historical and contemporary experiences of ethnic and racial groups in the United States. Each lesson contains sources presented from the perspectives of different ethnic and racial groups.

## SKILL DEVELOPMENT THROUGH LESSONS

A short description of each lesson can be found on the unit webpage [here](#).

Students will:

**Interpret** maps to understand perspective.

**Use** first person accounts to understand enslaved people's experiences.

**Examine** the benefits and limitations of using legends as an historical source.

**Close read** primary sources that illuminate native Hawaiian women's resistance to annexation and Black women's contributions to the Civil Rights movement.

**Evaluate** continuity and change over time by exploring historical and contemporary call for change in Puerto Rico.

**Read and discuss** memoirs of immigrants.

**Practice** art analysis skills.

## LINKS FOR FURTHER CURRICULUM EVALUATION

**Videos** - A [video collection](#) accompanies this unit, and the videos are incorporated throughout the Digital Editions.

**Print Format** - This [preview](#) includes the table of contents and a sample lesson plan.

**Digital Editions Format** - Interested in what the Digital Editions format looks like? Check out our web-based curriculum [here](#).