

Calling all National History Day students! Join us for Open Archives Saturdays at the Maryland Historical Society!



You are invited to participate in a workshop on historical research methods. Research your History Day topic with original primary sources from the collections at MdHS. Sessions are from 10 am – 1 pm.

October 14th - November 11th - December 2nd

To register and confirm that your topic can be researched at MdHS, email darmenti@mdhs.org or call 410.685.3750 x 324.

\$15 per student. Parents and teachers receive free admission to the museum and on-site parking. Individual sessions are available upon request.

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Conflict & Compromise in History

Research your History Day project at MdHS! Learn more about the many examples of conflict and compromise that happened in your own backyard!

Colonial and Revolutionary Era

- Slaves, Servants, and Masters: Conflict and Compromise in the Colonial Workforce
- Religious Tolerance in a Catholic Colony?: Compromises on Religious Freedom
- The Calverts vs. the Penns: Creation of the Mason-Dixon Line
- A Maryland Tea Party?: Anthony Stewart and a State Divided

Early National and Antebellum Era

- Struggles against Slavery: Abolition and Resistance in Maryland
- Fighting the British...Again: Local Resistance during the War of 1812
- Confronting Corruption: The Baltimore Bank Riots of 1835
- The “Jew Bill” and Political Rights for Minority Religious Groups
- Maryland “Know Nothings”: Conflict Over Immigration in Local Politics

Civil War and Reconstruction

- A State Divided: Confederate and Union Sympathies and Struggles in Maryland
- Pratt Street Riots: Maryland Citizens Against Federal “Invasion”
- United States Colored Troops: Fighting for Freedom!
- Conflict Over the Rights of Freedmen in Post-War Maryland Communities

Gilded Age and Progressive Era

- The B&O Railroad Strike of 1877 and Workers’ Rights
- Racial Equality in the Classroom: African American Teachers and Colored Schools
- Struggling and Compromising for the Vote: The Women’s Suffrage Movement
- The Oyster Wars: Fighting for Watermen’s Rights

World War I, The Great Depression and World War II

- German-Americans in Baltimore during War Time: A People Conflicted
- New Deal Programs: Maryland Support and Opposition
- Fighting for Workers’ Rights and Diversity in Baltimore Shipyards.
- Compromising on Gender Roles: Women Workers in World II Industries

Civil Rights Movement/Vietnam War to the Modern Era

- From Public Parks to Graduate Schools: Crusading for Desegregation in Maryland
- Jewish Baltimoreans Fighting in the Civil Rights Movement
- The Catonsville 9: Catholic and Secular Opposition to the Vietnam War
- Conflict over Urban Renewal and Redevelopment: From the Harbor to Gentrifying Neighborhoods