

REGION 3 OHIO HISTORY DAY TOPICS

Suggestions from John Vacha, retired Region 3 Ohio History Day Coordinator

GLOBAL HISTORY

- The Oresteia of Aeschylus
- Constantine and Christianity
- England's Magna Carta of 1215
- Thirty Years War and the Treaty of Westphalia
- The Edict of Nantes
- The Reign of Terror and Thermidorian Reaction
- Napoleon's post-Elba offer of coexistence with the European Powers
- Congress of Vienna 1815
- Hegel's Theory of History (Thesis + Antithesis = Synthesis)
- The Berlin Congress, 1878
- The Fashoda Crisis
- The Agadir Crisis
- The July Crisis of 1914
- The 1919 Paris Peace Conference
- Failure of the League of Nations
- Munich: Compromise or Appeasement?
- The 1947 Partition of India and Pakistan
- The Camp David Accords

AMERICAN HISTORY

- The Stamp Act Crisis
- The Constitutional Convention
 - The "Great Compromise"
 - The slavery compromises
- The Hamilton-Jefferson Rivalry in Washington's Cabinet
- The Treaty of Ghent, 1814
- The Missouri Compromise
- Compromise of 1850
- Was the Civil War an "Irrepressible Conflict"?
- Failure of Compromise in the Secession Crisis of 1860-1861
- The Compromise of 1877
- The Sherman Antitrust Act
- The Populist Platform of 1892
- Wilson, Lodge, and the Defeat of the League of Nations

2018 Ohio History Day Topic List, continued.

- The Crisis of Capitalism and the New Deal
- President Franklin Roosevelt and the Supreme Court
- George Kennan and the Policy of “Containment”
- Civil Rights Act of 1964
- Social Revolution of the 1960s

LOCAL HISTORY

- Treaty of Fort Industry (1805) with Native American Tribes west of the Cuyahoga
- The Cleveland/Ohio City Bridge War
- The Oberlin-Wellington Rescue Trial, 1859
- Cleveland Rolling Mill Strikes of 1882 and 1885
- Mayor Tom Johnson and the Three-Cent Streetcar Fare
- Garment Workers Strike of 1911
- Newton D. Baker and the Campaign for Municipal Home Rule
- John Holly and the Future Outlook League
- Fisher Body Sit-Down Strike of 1936
- Akron Rubber Workers Strike
- “Little Steel” Strike of 1937
- The 1946 Campaign for Racial Integration at Euclid Beach Park
- Hough Riots of 1966
- Mayoral Election of 1967
- Judge Frank Battisti and the Cleveland Public Schools Desegregation Decision
- Mayor Dennis Kucinich and the Fight to Save Munny Light

Additional Local History Topics

Suggested by Ann Sindelar, WRHS Reference Supervisor

- Women’s Law Fund
- WWII: Cleveland Women go to Work and Women in the Military
- Cleveland Reformers and Suffragettes: Lethia Flemming, Mary B. Grossmen and Florence Allen
- Cuyahoga River and Clean Water Act/ Carl Stokes