

Resources for Educators & Students

The resources below will help you begin to research your topic. Additional student research from credible resources is encouraged.

Bill of Rights – General (Grades 5-12)

iCivics, "You've Got Rights," <https://www.icivics.org/teachers/lesson-plans/youve-got-rights>

National Archives, "Congress and the Bill of Rights in History and Today," <https://www.archives.gov/legislative/resources/education/bill-of-rights>

National Archives, "Handout 3: Bill of Rights," <https://www.archives.gov/files/legislative/resources/education/bill-of-rights/images/handout-3.pdf>

National Constitution Center, "Interactive Constitution," <https://constitutioncenter.org/interactive-constitution/the-constitution>

Supreme Court Case Resources (Grades 9-12)

Tinker v. Des Moines

- Bill of Rights Institute, "Tinker v. Des Moines (1969)," <https://billofrightsintstitute.org/e-lessons/tinker-v-des-moines-1969>
- U.S. Courts, "Facts and Case Summary – Tinker v. Des Moines," <https://www.uscourts.gov/educational-resources/educational-activities/facts-and-case-summary-tinker-v-des-moines>

New Jersey v. T.L.O.

- Bill of Rights Institute, "New Jersey v. TLO (1985)," <https://billofrightsintstitute.org/e-lessons/new-jersey-v-t-l-o-1985>
- U.S. Courts, "Facts and Case Summary – New Jersey v. T.L.O.," <https://www.uscourts.gov/educational-resources/educational-activities/facts-and-case-summary-new-jersey-v-tlo>.

Gideon v. Wainwright

- Bill of Rights Institute, "Gideon v. Wainwright (1963)," <https://billofrightsintstitute.org/e-lessons/gideon-v-wainwright-1963>.
- U.S. Courts, "Facts and Case Summary – Gideon v. Wainwright," <https://www.uscourts.gov/educational-resources/educational-activities/facts-and-case-summary-gideon-v-wainwright>

Hazelwood v. Kuhlmeier

- Bill of Rights Institute, "Hazelwood v. Kuhlmeier (1988)," <https://billofrightsinstitute.org/lessons/hazelwood-v-kuhlmeier-1988>
- U.S. Courts, "Facts and Case Summary – Hazelwood v. Kuhlmeier," <https://www.uscourts.gov/educational-resources/educational-activities/facts-and-case-summary-hazelwood-v-kuhlmeier>

Schenck v. United States

- Bill of Rights Institute, "Schenck v. United States (1919)," <https://billofrightsinstitute.org/lessons/schenck-v-united-states-1919>
- Constitution Center, "Schenck v. United States: Defining the limits of free speech," <https://constitutioncenter.org/blog/schenck-v-united-states-defining-the-limits-of-free-speech/>

New York Times v. United States

- Bill of Rights Institute, "New York Times v. United States (1971)," <https://billofrightsinstitute.org/e-lessons/new-york-times-v-united-states-1971>
- Middle Tennessee State University, "New York Times Co. v. United States (1971)," <https://www.mtsu.edu/first-amendment/article/505/new-york-times-co-v-united-states>
- Annenberg Classroom, "Freedom of the Press: New York Times v. United States," (video), <https://www.annenbergclassroom.org/resource/freedom-press-new-york-times-v-united-states/>

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"Tips to help kids find trustworthy sources" - <https://oomscholasticblog.com/post/tips-help-kids-find-trustworthy-sources>

"How do I know if my sources are credible/reliable?" - <https://guides.lib.uw.edu/research/faq/reliable>