



# NORTH CAROLINA COUNCIL ON THE HOLOCAUST

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION  
[www.ncpublicschools.org/holocaust-council/](http://www.ncpublicschools.org/holocaust-council/)

## PROGRAMS & SERVICES

### HOLOCAUST TEACHER WORKSHOPS ([ncholocaustcouncil.org/](http://ncholocaustcouncil.org/))

- One-day workshops; 6-8 workshops a year across the state.
- Holocaust survivor and Best Practices presenter in each workshop.
- One of four focus topics: History of the Holocaust, Propaganda, Anti-Semitism, Resistance.
- Teaching materials distributed; CEU certificate provided.
- No charge; substitute pay provided for public school teachers.

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### TEACHER'S HOLOCAUST RESOURCE GUIDE (Online)

- Emphasis on the experiences of Holocaust survivors who are North Carolina residents.
- Available for free download in chapters or full guide (140 pp.).

#### CONTACT

[www.ncpublicschools.org/holocaust-council/guide/](http://www.ncpublicschools.org/holocaust-council/guide/)

### TRAVELING EXHIBITS FOR SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

- **FACES OF RESISTANCE: WOMEN IN THE HOLOCAUST.** Six separate exhibits: Women in Resistance, Everyday Life in the Ghetto, Armed Struggle in the Ghetto, Women Partisans: Fighting in the Forest, Resistance in the Camps, The Final Solution.
- **LIFE AFTER SURVIVAL.** 14-panel exhibit on the U.N. relief efforts for Jewish and non-Jewish children in a German children's home after the war.
- **KINDERTRANSPORT.** 17-panel exhibit on the 10,000 children rescued from Nazi-held countries between 1938 and 1940.
- **DR. SEUSS WANTS YOU!** 14-panel exhibit exploring the WWII political cartoons of Theodor Geisel against fascism, bigotry, and anti-Semitism.
- **TRIUMPH OF LIFE.** 40 laminated posters depicting the Jewish resistance to Nazi oppression, focusing on the individual lives of survivors.
- **FENCES, WALLS, AND BUTTERFLIES.** 12 panels of Israeli children's art on the Holocaust.
- **SUITCASE EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT.** Suitcases with books, videos, photos, and artifacts; eight suitcases: four each of two topics—children's diaries and surviving Auschwitz.
- No charge. Lesson plans and support material accompany the exhibits.
- Contact your regional coordinator (right) to schedule an exhibit.

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### TRAVELING PLAYS

- **Let Your Children Tell.** 50-minute play based on the experiences of four teenagers persecuted during the Holocaust; presented by the Touring Theatre of NC.
- **Etty.** 45-minute one-woman play based on the diaries and letters of Etty Hillesum, a young Dutch woman who was killed in Auschwitz at age 29.
- Contact Michael Abramson, Council Chairman ([mabramson919@gmail.com](mailto:mabramson919@gmail.com)), about funding support for performances in your school or community.

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### REGIONAL LENDING LIBRARIES

- Five regional lending libraries of Holocaust teaching materials for classroom use.

#### CONTACT

See Council website.

### ANNUAL STATE HOLOCAUST COMMEMORATION

- Held in Raleigh each spring near the annual U.S. Day of Remembrance.

### SPEAKERS BUREAU

- Holocaust survivors and children of survivors available to speak free of charge to school groups and other audiences.

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### OTHER RESOURCES FOR EDUCATORS

- Funding support for DVDs and classroom sets of books.
- See Council website for recommended online teaching resources.