

The War

Learn more about this new series from Ken Burns and discover ways to use the series in the classroom.

Learn how to conduct and oral history interview and how to use primary source materials in documenting historical events using video.



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A KEN BURNS FILM

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Teacher Workshop

November 9, 2007
9 a.m. -4 p.m.
New Hampshire Public Television,
Durham NH

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Learn Ways to Incorporate the New Ken Burns' Series into Your Classroom

Learn more about the new Ken Burns' series, **The War**. This series tells the story of World War II through the personal stories of people from four communities in the U.S. This workshop will give you a sneak peak at the series and the educational resources available to educators.

This workshop will also focus on the process of collecting oral histories and using video to tell stories.

Participants will learn how to conduct an oral history interview. They will also learn some tips and techniques on how to videotape interviews.

What: The War Workshop

When: November 9, 2007 from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Where: New Hampshire Public Television, Durham, NH

Cost: Free

Credit: Teachers will receive a certificate for 6 credit hours.

Lunch is included.

This free workshop will be offered from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. on Friday, November 9, 2007 at New Hampshire Public Television. The intent of the workshop is to provide teachers with content knowledge, lesson plan ideas, and resources to incorporate **The War** into existing curriculum.

Hands-on Learning

The workshop will provide a hands-on experience for teachers not only learn ways to use this series in the classroom, but to also develop the skills they need to help their students create documentaries using oral history interviews and primary source documents, photos, and other ephemera.

Important Note: Participants should bring a video camera. Please make sure your camera is charged and bring your tripod, if you have one! If you do not have access to a video camera, you may still attend the workshop, but the hands-on session on videotaping won't be hands-on!

Participants will:

- Learn more about the new Ken Burns series **The War** and the materials and resources available for using the series in the classroom.
- Learn techniques and strategies for conducting oral history interviews.
- Learn techniques for capturing primary source documents, ephemera, and interviews on videotape.
- Explore local resources for discovering stories about war.
- Learn more about the student documentary film project for **The War**.

Directions

We are located in Durham, NH, on the edge of the University of New Hampshire campus.

From Route 95 North or 95 South:

Get on the Spaulding Turnpike in Portsmouth. Take exit 6W (just before the tollbooth) onto Route 4 West. Take the Route 155A/University of New Hampshire exit. Turn left off the ramp onto Route 155A. Take the first right (still 155A). NHPTV is the first building on the left.

From Route 93 North (from Manchester):

Take Route 101 East to Route 125 North. At the Lee Traffic Circle, take Route 4 East. Take the Route 155A/University of New Hampshire exit. Turn right off the ramp onto Route 155A. Take the first right (still 155A). NHPTV is the first building on the left.

From Route 93 South (from Concord):

Take Route 4 East. Take the Route 155A/University of New Hampshire exit. Turn right off the ramp onto Route 155A. Take the first right (still 155A). NHPTV is the first building on the left.

From Dover:

Take Route 155 South. Just past Elliott Rose and the greenhouses, turn left on Madbury Road. At the STOP sign, turn right on Route 4 West. Take the Route 155A/University of New Hampshire exit. Turn left off the ramp

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