



# Resources for Constitution Day 2017

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PDF Printable Constitution

<https://constitutioncenter.org/learn/educational-resources/historical-documents/the-constitution-of-the-united-states-pdf>

National Archives Observing Constitution Day page

<https://www.archives.gov/education/lessons/constitution-day>

National Constitution Center Lesson Plans

<https://constitutioncenter.org/learn/educational-resources>

Scholastic lesson plans for Constitution Day

<https://www.scholastic.com/teachers/collections/teaching-content/constitution-day/>

NEA Constitution Day K-5

<http://www.nea.org/tools/lessons/constitution-day-grades-k-5.html>

Books for Constitution Day

<http://www.apples4theteacher.com/holidays/constitution-day/kids-books/>

Founding documents

<https://www.archives.gov/founding-docs>

Exploring the Constitution e-book (ibook) at Library of Congress

<https://www.archives.gov/publications/ebooks#constitution>

iTunes U Constitution Course

<https://itunes.apple.com/us/course/united-states-constitution/id559398926>

Article by article at iCivics

<https://www.icivics.org/teachers/lesson-plans/anatomy-constitution>

Meet the founders

<https://constitutioncenter.org/learn/educational-resources/founding-fathers/>

A constitutional timeline

<https://constitutioncenter.org/timeline/>

Bill of Right Game

<https://constitutioncenter.org/billofrightsgame/>

k-12's suggested Constitution Day Activities

<http://www.k12.com/constitution-day.html>

Constitutional Rights Foundation

<http://www.crf-usa.org/constitution-day/constitution-day-lesson-plans-kindergarten-middle-and-high-school.html>

PBS News hour Constitution Day Lesson Plan

[http://www.pbs.org/newshour/extra/lessons\\_plans/lesson-plan-constitution-day/](http://www.pbs.org/newshour/extra/lessons_plans/lesson-plan-constitution-day/)

Constitution Day

<http://www.constitutionday.com/index.html>

The Constitutional Convention

<http://teachingamericanhistory.org/convention/>

University of Chicago – The Founders’ Constitution

<http://press-pubs.uchicago.edu/founders/tocs/toc.html>

Images for coloring on Constitution Day

<http://www.apples4theteacher.com/coloring-pages/constitution-day/>

Annenberg Classroom – Teaching the Constitution

<http://www.annenbergclassroom.org/page/teaching-the-constitution>

Free Constitution Day Differentiated Close Reading Texts -- Middle School

<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/FREE-Constitution-Day-Differentiated-Close-Reading-Texts-and-Activities-1385078>

Close Reading Lesson using the Preamble of the Constitution

<https://edsitement.neh.gov/lesson-plan/preamble-constitution-close-reading-lesson>

Six ways to Celebrate the Constitution in the Elementary Classroom

<http://www.brighthubeducation.com/lesson-plans-grades-3-5/7506-elementary-activity-on-the-us-constitution/>

Eight-grade instruction in the Constitution for U.S. History

<https://hubpages.com/education/constitution-lesson-plans-for-8th-grade-american-history>

NYT resources for teaching Constitution Day

<https://learning.blogs.nytimes.com/2010/08/17/resources-for-teaching-the-constitution/>

School House Rock – The Preamble to the Constitution

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r4Xb1FWVn9M>



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*November 3, 2017*  
*Indiana Council for the Social*  
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*in an Evolving World*

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