

## Links to Selected Websites

### Fourth Grade: The Great Depression

#### - Topic: Timelines

A timeline of the 1920's and 1930's.  
<http://mirrors.korpios.org/resurgent/Timeline.htm>

Basic lines  
[http://www.hyperhistory.com/online\\_n2/connections\\_n2/great\\_depression.html](http://www.hyperhistory.com/online_n2/connections_n2/great_depression.html)

Dust Bowl focus  
<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/dustbowl/timeline/index.html>

#### - Topic: Background Resources

Indexed links to various websites on the Great Depression.  
<http://users.snowcrest.net/jmike/20sdep.html>  
<http://www.teacheroz.com/20thcent.htm#20s>  
<http://www.teacheroz.com/20thcent.htm#30s>

Brief essay descriptions of Great Depression topics.  
<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/features/timeline/depwwii/depwar.html>

Focus on the Dust Bowl history.  
<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/dustbowl/>

Oral Histories from the Federal Writer's Project 1936-38  
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/snhtml/snhome.html>

**President Hoover**

[http://www.ecommcode.com/hoover/hooveronline/hoover\\_dam/splash.html](http://www.ecommcode.com/hoover/hooveronline/hoover_dam/splash.html)

<http://www.hoover.archives.gov/exhibits/Hooverstory/gallery06/gallery06.html>

[http://www.ecommcode.com/hoover/hooveronline/hoover\\_and\\_the\\_depression/index.html](http://www.ecommcode.com/hoover/hooveronline/hoover_and_the_depression/index.html)

**President Roosevelt**

<http://www.fdrlibrary.marist.edu/Online14.html>

<http://www.fdrlibrary.marist.edu/gdphotos.html>

**Lomax -- Roots Music Recordings from the South**

<http://www.memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/collections/lomax/index.html>

**Oral History -- Voices from the Dust Bowl – Migrant Workers**

<http://www.memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/collections/vdb/index.html>

**Oral Histories from the Federal Writers' Project 1936-1940**

<http://www.memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/collections/wpa/history.html>

**WPA Posters**

<http://www.memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/collections/poster/index.html>

**FDR's First Inaugural Address**

<http://www.archives.gov/education/lessons/fdr-inaugural=>

**New Deal Network – Documents, art, poetry, music**

<http://newdeal.feri.org/>

**Great Depression Art Gallery**

<http://www.english.uiuc.edu/maps/depression/artgallery.htm>

**Photos 1935-1945**

<http://www.memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/collections/fsa/index.html>

Color Photos 1939-1945  
<http://www.memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/collections/fsac/index.html>

Washington D.C. 1923-1959  
<http://www.memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/collections/hor/history.html>

Jazz Age Photos  
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/wghtml/wghome.html>

Sheet Music  
<http://www.memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/collections/hasheet/index.html>

Blues and Gospel recordings  
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/ftvhtml/ftvhome.html>

Chicago Daily News Photos  
<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpcoop/ichihtml/cdnhome.html>

### - Topic: Concepts in Economics

Have you ever wondered what the value of a dollar was in 1895? Or what the GDP was in 1929? Here is a place where you can ask questions of comparative value covering purchasing power, exchange rates, and other variables between the past and today.  
<http://eh.net/hmit>

**Consumer Price Index:** 1913 - Present, Bureau of Labor Statistics  
<ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt>

**Frequently Asked Questions:** about CPI, from Bureau and Labor Statistics  
<http://www.bls.gov/cpi/cpifaq.htm>

**Inflation Calculator:** you choose initial year and cost and future year, BLS  
<http://data.bls.gov/cgi-bin/cpicalc.pl>

**Inflation Rates:** in U.S. 1666 to 2002, in Britain 1601-2002, from Economic History Services  
<http://eh.net/hmit/inflation/>

**Purchasing Power:** British Pound, 1264 to 2002, from Economic History Services  
<http://eh.net/hmit/ppowerbp/>

**Purchasing Power:** U.S. dollar, from 1665 to 2002, from Economic History Services  
<http://eh.net/hmit/ppowerusd/>

**Relative Cost:** of one unit of unskilled labor, from 1774 to 2002, from EHS  
<http://eh.net/hmit/unskilledlabor/>

**What is its Relative Value?:** from 1789 to 2002, five ways to make comparisons, from EHS  
<http://eh.net/hmit/compare/>



## Booklist

**Children of the Dust Days** (Coombs, K.M.; 2000, Carolrhoda Books, Inc.)

**The Dirty Thirties: The United States from 1929-1941** (Turck, M.; 2002, Perfection Learning.)

**Leah's Pony** (Friedrich, E. and Garland, M.; 1996, Boyds Mill Press.)

**The Great Depression** (A&E Entertainment Video, 1998.)