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Enrich Student Learning with Historical Markers

Empower your students to learn about community history through a primary source research project that results in a grant-funded historical marker from the William G. Pomeroy Foundation.

Our **National Education Program** benefits students, teachers and their schools by enhancing the learning experience with free lesson plans that connect local history to the curriculum.

We work with teachers, history clubs, school districts, and other student-focused organizations throughout the United States.

Partner with us and help your students benefit from a project with a Pomeroy Marker in their community!



Students receive guidance throughout their research project. Here the Pomeroy Foundation meets with Syracuse City School District students to discuss their work.



Photo credit: Joshua Simpson

Our curriculum results in a fully funded historical marker. Students obtained one for the historic Amenia Conferences at Troutbeck in New York's Hudson Valley.

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Enable Your Students to Tell Their Community's Story




Our unit plan for high school students provides the curricular framework and guidance to achieve experiential learning outcomes in public history education. Students benefit from:

- ✓ conducting primary source research
- ✓ gaining knowledge about grant writing
- ✓ obtaining a Pomeroy Marker to highlight local history

The Benefits of Making Community History Part of Your Curriculum

Educators receive a free, 3-week unit plan with 15 lessons. The Pomeroy Foundation provides personalized guidance to support students and teachers.

Students explore the importance of public history and civic literacy by researching local historic sites. They develop skills in primary source research and historical writing. They complete a grant application requesting financial support for a Pomeroy Marker.

-  **Week 1:** Introduction to public history, primary source research, bibliography creation
-  **Week 2:** Historic site research, documentation gathering, and application preparation
-  **Week 3:** Application finalization, commemorative event planning to promote local history and earn news coverage

Research Project Outcomes

From television and newspaper coverage to Pomeroy Marker dedication ceremonies, students experience their education in action and make a lasting contribution in their communities.

Partner With Us

Schedule a conversation about our National Education Program by emailing us at zach@wgpfoundation.org or calling (315) 913-4060.



Real-life outcomes! Frankton Indiana History Club students deliver remarks at their Hometown Heritage™ historical marker dedication for World War I nurse May Berry.

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"This experience gave us a chance to spotlight one of our own, and honor her with a marker that will stand for years to come."

~ KEVIN CLINE, FRANKTON INDIANA HISTORY CLUB ADVISER



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