



2017 Summer Institutes: Grades 3-6

The Three “C’s”: Alabama and the Creek War, the Civil War, and the Civil Rights Movement

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This institute will explore three C’s in the history of Alabama: Creek Settlement and Conflict, the Civil War, and the Civil Rights Movement. Participants will travel to Horseshoe Bend to learn about Creek life, take a Civil War tour of Auburn, and visit Tuskegee to discover the Tuskegee Airmen’s role in the Civil Rights Movement. Experts on civil rights in Alabama, the Civil War in Auburn, and slavery in antebellum Alabama will illuminate the state’s past and present. Teachers will learn about primary sources, receive classroom resources, and take away strategies for engaging students in Alabama’s history to meet social studies standards and celebrate our state’s bicentennial.