

The Three C's Alabama and the Creek War, Civil War, and Civil Rights Movement

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Each teacher should complete this workshop with a solid content background of three important C's in the history of Alabama: the Creek War and its repercussions; the Civil War, cotton cultivation, and their impact on East Alabama; and the Tuskegee Airmen's role in the Civil Rights Movement. Teachers will explore the culture of the Creeks at Horseshoe Bend, enjoy a walking tour of Civil War sites in Auburn, and visit civil rights sites in Tuskegee. Each teacher will complete the workshop with related primary sources, appropriate texts for grades 3-5, and teaching activities to engage all learners in meaningful ways with the historical content. We want each teacher to feel ready to walk into their classroom confident in their ability and excited to share what they have learned about four key periods of Alabama History. We want teachers to be able to apply new teaching strategies learned to additional Alabama History standards and to share their new knowledge with colleagues to impact many more students.