

2026 Florida History Day Registration Instructions: Teachers



Teachers: (Teachers MUST Register before their students register!)

1. Go to <https://fl.nhd.org/>
2. Create a teacher account if you don't already have one.
 - a. Click “Create Account” at the top of the page and select “Teacher.”

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General Participant (Opening in 4 days)
 Teacher
 Volunteer
 Judge

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[Click here to read the 2026 Contest Details.](#)

- b. Follow the prompts and fill in all required information. When you reach this screen, you have successfully registered.

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Xann

Account Created for: Xann

Congratulations Xann, your account has been created. Please read this page as additional items or tasks may be required.

Account Information

Name: Xann Eli
Email: [\[REDACTED\]@gmail.com](#)
Username: xanneli7

2026 Florida History Day



Thank you for registering as a teacher for Florida History Day. Congratulations on guiding your students to the 2026 State Contest!

Your students will now be able to register for the 2026 state contest. When signing up, they will select their school and your name to link their participation account with yours in the contest management system at fl.nhd.org.

Groups will need to link their accounts together in order for the project to appear under each students' profile. The first student that registers in a group will automatically generate a project key that can be copied and pasted to each subsequent students' registration profile.

Please remember to keep your username and password secure and handy, as you will be able to view your students and their projects in this system from your dashboard, as well as be able to confirm that every student is completely registered for the contest.

If you plan on volunteering to judge at the State Contest, you will need to register a separate account in the contest management system using a different email address and username combination. This information has also been sent to the email you provided with registration.

If you have any questions, please reach out to FHD staff at FloridaHistoryDay@dos.myflorida.com.

3. If you already have an account, please login in the upper right corner of the screen.

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Click here.

Your students can register only after you have registered.

The deadline for STUDENTS to register for the State Contest is March 31, 2026.

To register as a teacher, please [click here](#).

Important Reminders:

- Check your entries to ensure correct spelling. Once you click 'SAVE', your entry cannot be changed.

For more information regarding contest date/time, deadlines & fees, parking, special awards, and accommodations please visit FloridaHistoryDay@dos.myflorida.com.

Questions or concerns? Please contact the Florida History Day Coordinators at FloridaHistoryDay@dos.myflorida.com.

4. Share the student registration instructions with your students.
5. Once you are logged in, you can check on the status of your students' registration by clicking **"My Participants."** You will then see which of your students are registered.



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2026 Florida History Day Registration Instructions: Students



Students: Do NOT register until your teacher has registered.

1. Before registering for the State Contest, you will need your login information for your regional contest. If you have not created a zFairs account for your local contest, let your teacher or regional coordinator know. You will NOT be able to register for the State Contest without already having a zFairs login at your local contest.
2. Go to <https://fl.nhd.org/>. **DO NOT CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT!**
3. Click **“Login”** in the upper right corner. Use the same login information that you created for your local contest zFairs.

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4. Once you successfully log in you will see the page below. Click on your name and click “**My Profile**.”

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Student Registration Page

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CONTEST RULE BOOK

CLICK BELOW!

NHDRuleBook2020Digital.pdf

NHD Rule Book

All project categories can find more information, including the category evaluation form and the project checklist, on the [NHD website here](#).

IMPORTANT DEADLINES:

- March 31, 2026 Student Contest Registration closes on this day.
- May 4, 2026 Florida History Day state competition.

5. **Sign permissions and waivers** and review all information on the “**Profile**” tab to make sure that it is correct.

Be sure to click here and fill these out with a parent or guardian!

Click here to sign.

Participant's Middle Name

Last Name*

E-Mail*

Confirm E-Mail*

Phone*

Gender*

We are committed to providing an inclusive and accessible experience for all participants. Do you have any specific needs or requirements that we should be aware of?

Shirt Size

Sign-in

Parent / Guardian

I affirm that the entry submitted for competition was researched and developed during this school year. I have read the National History Day Rule Book and contest registration materials regarding policies governing Participant behavior and will conform to these rules. I understand that violation of these rules may result in the disqualification of my entry. I accept the decision of the judges as final. I have reviewed and understand the information presented above and acknowledge that my participation in National History Day is conditioned on my agreement with the terms and conditions outlined herein. I further understand that selecting “Yes” for each agreement and creating an account shall have the same force of law as my original signature and that I am not obligated in any way to make such agreement, except as a prerequisite to my participation in this program.

Yes, I agree

By indicating yes below, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the State of Maryland, University of Maryland, College Park, its employees, agents and volunteers, in addition to National History Day, Inc., its affiliate programs, and its staff, trustees and sponsors, for any personal injuries or property damages arising out of my child's participation in the National History Day Contest. I also understand that by agreeing, I am certifying that my child understands what is involved in participation, and that I have freely and voluntarily allowed my child to participate and hereby agree to assume and accept any and all risks associated with his/her participation in the National History Day Contest.

Yes, I agree

I give National History Day, Inc., its affiliate programs, and its partners the unlimited right to use the voice, image, and/or name of me and/or my child for publicity, and/or in documentaries, or other education materials and media, including online. I also give National History Day, Inc., and its affiliate programs the right to use images of my/my child's project for teaching and example purposes, including online. If I choose “No,” I acknowledge that NHD contest coordinators will do their best to ensure that I and/or my child is not photographed. However, due to the number of participants at the contest, this cannot be guaranteed. I am aware that I must remove myself and/or my child from group photography situations, and if necessary, speak to the photographer/media to request that I and/or my child not be photographed.

choose answer...
If no, why?
why...

I have read the above statement and agree; I will follow the rules of this contest.

Save & continue

6. Fill out the “Profile Questions” tab.

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Profile **Profile Questions** School Entry

Participant Custom Questions

I affirm that the entry submitted for competition is original and was researched and developed during this school year. I have read the rules and entry guidelines in the National History Day Rule Book and understand that violation of these rules may affect the judging, or result in the disqualification, of my entry.

How do you pronounce your name (first and last is helpful)? Can you provide a phonetic pronunciation? Or any tips to help us pronounce it correctly? For example, Alaina is pronounced UH-LAY-NUH.

What county are you representing at Florida History Day?*

select

7. Make sure all information on the “School” tab is correct.

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Profile Profile Questions **School** Entry

School

School*	CORNERSTONE CHARTER ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL (BELLE ISLE)
Teacher*	Turner, Mr
Teacher 2	select
Teacher 3	select
Grade*	10th Grade

8. Review information and uploaded files on the “entry” tab. Update your entry as needed. **All information must be updated by March 31st, 2026!**

- March 31, 2026 at 11:59 p.m.** is the deadline for all required materials. You will need to submit all materials for each category as specified below. NOTE: zFairs will only allow a single PDF file to be uploaded so all required PDF documents must be merged into one file. The maximum file size for this PDF is 20 mb.

9. **Double check** that you have met the following guidelines based on your category:

a. Papers

- i. Students must upload to their account at FL.NHD.ORG the FINAL DRAFT of their paper along with title page, process paper, and annotated bibliography.
- ii. This file should be uploaded as a single PDF and use the following order for the documents: title page, process paper, paper, annotated bibliography.
 1. The maximum file size for this PDF is 20 mb.
- iii. Use the following naming convention for the file name:
 1. Junior Division: JHP_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 2. Senior Division: SHP_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 3. *Example: JHP_JDoe_ThisIsMyHistoryProjectTitle.pdf*

b. Websites

- i. Students should enter their NHDWebCentral Site Key (also referred to as "Site Key") where required in their account at FL.NHD.ORG.
- ii. No further action is required of the student. **Please be aware that websites will be locked on March 31 at 11:59 p.m.**

c. Documentaries

- i. Students must upload their title page, process paper, and annotated bibliography to their registration account at FL.NHD.ORG as a single PDF.
 1. The maximum file size for this PDF is 20 mb.
- ii. Students must then upload a copy of their Documentary in .mp4 format to their account. **The documentary MUST BE in MP4 format!**
 1. The maximum file size for this MP4 is 1 gb.
- iii. After March 31st, registration information cannot be changed, the documentary will be considered locked, and students should not attempt to modify the file in the registration system. Students are responsible for testing and correcting any issues with their documentary prior to March 31.
Documentaries should NOT be uploaded to YouTube.
- iv. Use the following naming convention for the file name for both the PDF & MP4.
 1. Junior Individual Documentary:
JID_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf or .mp4
 2. Senior Individual Documentary:
SID_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf or .mp4
 3. Junior Group Documentary:
JGD_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf or .mp4
 4. Senior Group Documentary:
SGD_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf or .mp4
 5. *Example: JGD_JDoe_ThisIsMyHistoryProjectTitle.pdf*

d. Exhibits

- i. Students must upload their title page, process paper, and annotated bibliography to their registration account at FL.NHD.ORG as a single PDF.
 1. The maximum file size for this PDF is 20 mb.
- ii. Use the following naming convention for the file name for the PDF.
 1. Junior Individual Exhibit:
JIE_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 2. Senior Individual Exhibit:
SIE_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 3. Junior Group Exhibit:
JGE_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 4. Senior Group Exhibit:
SGE_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 5. *Example: JGE_JDoe_ThisIsMyHistoryProjectTitle.pdf*

e. Performances

- i. Students must upload their title page, process paper, and annotated bibliography to their registration account at FL.NHD.ORG as a single PDF.
- ii. Use the following naming convention for the file name for the PDF.
 1. Junior Individual Performance:
JIP_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 2. Senior Individual Performance:
SIP_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 3. Junior Group Performance:
JGP_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 4. Senior Group Performance:
SGP_FirstInitialLastName_FirstSixWordsofTitle.pdf
 5. *Example: JGP_JDoe_ThisIsMyHistoryProjectTitle.pdf*