



# Life During Wartime

— a Teaching American History consortium grant project  
for  
Grades 4-12 Social Studies Teachers —



## *Registration for Life During Wartime Grant Year I: Prelude to War*

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CESA 5, in collaboration with Madison Area Technical College, the University of Wisconsin -Madison, the Wisconsin Veterans Museum, and the Madison Metropolitan School District, has been awarded a three-year grant from the United States Department of Education's Teaching American History program. Called "*Life During Wartime*," this grant seeks to improve the teaching of traditional U.S. history. Through content-rich discussions with nationally-known scholars and active, independent research, participants will explore strategies which use primary sources to teach history.

### 2008-2009 Focus : Prelude to War

Why did the United States commit troops to wars in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries? How did proponents and opponents of waging wars make their cases to Congress, the President, and the American public?

### Requirements for all Participants:

- 1) Active participation in three regional one-day workshops during the year.
- 2) Teacher reflection on two or more lectures by visiting scholars. (lecture dates and locations TBA; also available online)
- 3) Active participation in a five-day summer institute to be held June 22-26, 2009. All participants will meet in Madison on June 22-25. On June 26th, CESA 5 teachers will meet at the CESA 5 Office in Portage and MMSD/ CESA 2 teachers will meet in Madison.
- 4) Completing required readings and assignments, including online resources and online monthly discussions.
- 5) Developing and submitting units and lesson plans.
- 6) Completing pre- and post-tests, surveys, and data collection as required for grant evaluation.

The *Life During Wartime* grant will provide support for a maximum of fifty history and social studies teachers (grades 4-12) per year.

**An invitation is extended to teachers from CESA 2 school districts to apply for the first year of this project. Application forms should be returned to:**  
CESA 5, Attn: Susan Fulks  
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## Application Form - *Life During Wartime* Grant

Year I Focus: Prelude to War

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade(s) Taught: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject(s) Taught: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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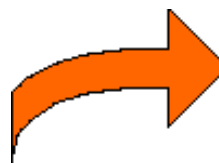
School Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I am applying to be a participant in the *Life During Wartime* History Grant activities (2008-2009 academic year and June 2009 Summer Institute) and agree to implement the required activities listed in this flyer.



**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please notify Janet, gaberj@cesa5.k12.wi.us , of special dietary requirements or other accommodations.*