

BH365 Newsletter

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HAPPY BLACK HISTORY MONTH!!!

We are in the second month of 2025 and we pray that favor has been with you thus far as you have sought clarity, set intentions and began the work to birth amazing things this year. We, at BH365, stand in agreement with you that this be a powerful, productive and prosperous year for you in all that you do. We are in expectation that this will be our best year yet.

With all that is happening in our country under the new administration, Black History Month messages seem to ring even louder this year. Our mission at BH365 remains the same -- to takes students, educators and all people on a colorful journey to embracing an inclusive account of American History. Everyone benefits from understanding and acknowledging the contributions of people from varied cultures, ethnicities, and backgrounds in order to fully appreciate all of humanity. There is no dominant race, but individuals of shared ethnicities offer traits and talents that benefit society-at-large. We are committed to sharing the untold stories of the often overlooked.

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Let's Stay Connected!









When we learn to grapple with our varied pasts, we are more prepared to create the future we deserve.

Regardless of what's happening around us, we at BH365 are excited about the opportunities that lie ahead, and we hope you are too. We stand committed to our mission. Let's champion this year with passion and excitement!



Watch this video from our BH365 Conference 2024 and learn why BH365 is needed and join us in continuing the mission.





BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Black History Lesson Plans

Each year our team creates lesson plans from our curriculum for BHM that you can use in the classroom or at home. Download HERE.

Know History, Know Peace

Did you miss our live event with BH365 Founder, CEO and Co-Author Dr. Walter Milton Jr. and Dr.Carleen Brown on Instagram? Watch the replay - <u>HERE</u>.

Black History Fact Check

Join the fun and qualify to win some prizes! Email your answers to the questions on page 5 to hello@blackhistory365education.com. Prizes given to the first 3 people to complete all answers accurately! Hint - find all the answers <u>HERE</u>.

Special Live Event

Stay tuned for an email about a special live event coming soon on TikTok!



3RD ANNUAL BH365 CONFERENCE

A Vaccine for the Education Gap in America

July 24 - July 25th 8:00 am - 5:00 pm 400 West Las Colinas Boulevard Irving, TX

The BH365 team will engage participants with instructional resources and practices that address the education gap in America by providing students voice and choice while they engage with text that reflects their images. Whether you are new to BH365 or experienced, you will gain knowledge and skills to support implementation.







Email answers to hello@blackhistory365education.com

Who was the first African American, the first enslaved, and the third woman to publish a book of poetry?

What was the "Three-fifths Compromise?"

Who was John Jasper and what were his contributions to African-American history?

Were the first Black people to work in the United States Congress Democrats or Republicans?

Who was the first Black American automobile manufacturer and what was the name of his/her company?

The Union Pacific Railway built a railroad spur on the property of a Black agricultural businessman to ship his potatoes to market? Who was he?

Who was the first Black American to win the Rhodes Scholarship at Oxford? What were some of his/her accomplishments?

Who was the first Black American to become a Colonel? What were some of his other recorded accomplishments?

Who was the first Black woman millionaire and how did she earn her money?

What was The Negro Motorist Green Book and what was its significance?

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BH365 KINDERGARTEN 4-BOOK COLLECTION

This unique set of four big books is designed specifically for the academic, social, and emotional development of Kindergarten children that highlights African American images and culture. The books are grounded in developmentally appropriate pedagogy while conveying the NCSS Standards for early grades learning expectations. Each book is designed to familiarize young children with relatable stories to promote diversity, learn about themselves, and understand their important place in the world.

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BH3651ST GRADE 4-BOOK COLLECTION

This unique set of first-grade books highlight African-American images and culture through the stories they tell. Each book is grounded in developmentally appropriate pedagogy while conveying the NCSS Standards for early grades learning expectations. Each book is designed to familiarize young children with relatable stories to promote diversity, learn about themselves, and understand their important place in the world.



BH365 2ND GRADE: CONTRIBUTIONS OF AFRICAN-AMERICANS

The second-grade book is designed as a chapter book that highlights African-American excellence through the people featured in the stories being told. The book is grounded in developmentally appropriate pedagogy while conveying the NCSS Standards for early grades learning expectations.

Designed to familiarize second graders with relatable stories about trailblazers who present them with possibilities for their future endeavors while helping them understand African Americans' important place in the world.

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BH365 3RD GRADE: AFRICAN AMERICAN LIFE AND CULTURE

African American Life and Culture covers the origin and history of enslaved Black people in the new world. Students will examine and discuss cultural traditions Africans brought with them and how they passed them down from generation to generation, and how they changed over time. In addition, students will examine African-American culture through the rich traditions of storytelling, food, and contributions of notable African Americans.

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BH365 4TH GRADE : SHAPING A NATION: THE AFRICAN AMERICAN STORY

This unique set of first-grade books highlight African-American images and culture through the stories they tell. Each book is grounded in developmentally appropriate pedagogy while conveying the NCSS Standards for early grades learning expectations. Each book is designed to familiarize young children with relatable stories to promote diversity, learn about themselves, and understand their important place in the world.



BH365 5TH GRADE: AFRICAN AMERICANS AND THE ARTS THROUGHOUT US HISTORY

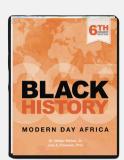
This book examines and explores the contributions of African Americans to the United States history and the Black community through the arts. The story of African Americans in this country is one of survival, resilience, and perseverance. Students in Grade 5 will study African American contributions in the visual and performing arts, music, literature, and stories of the Black church.

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BH365 6TH GRADE: MODERN DAY AFRICA

Modern Day Africa explores the people and places, culture and beliefs, food, sports and leisure, the arts, and economics. Students in Grade 6 will learn about seminal people in Africa who are making a difference in each topic. In addition to this content, students will participate in critical analysis through several supplemental sections in each chapter. Finally, students can experience creative expression through several innovative activities interspersed throughout the book. Virtual field trips are included to expand students' exploration.

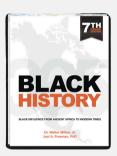
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BH3657TH GRADE: BLACK INFLUENCE FROM ANCIENT AFRICA TO MODERN TIMES

Black Influence from Ancient Africa to Modern Times explores the origin of Africa and its impact on modern day culture. Students in Grade 7 engage in a learning journey that includes the importance of health and well-being through the lens of African society; the Transatlantic Slave Trade; African American contributions during the Civil War; the establishment of historical institutions; and George Floyd. Virtual field trips are included to expand students' exploration.



BH3658TH GRADE: THE BLACK **EXPERIENCE IN AMERICA**

The Black Experience in America (Early 1600s-Late 1800s) traces history through the eyes of African American explorers, early settlers, inventors, trail blazing leaders, from the 1600's right up to today's trendsetters. Students in Grade 8 will use interactive activities, and journal their personal learning as they answer thoughtful open-ended questions. The exciting stories will engage students from the beginning to the very end of their studies. Virtual field trips are included to expand students' exploration.

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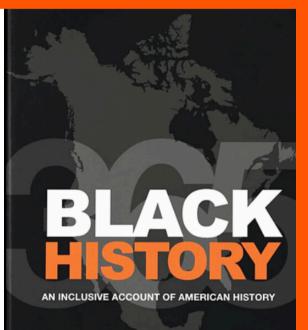




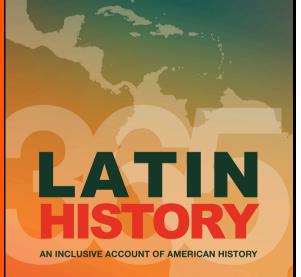
BH365 9TH & ABOVE TEXTBOOK

Black History 365 is a U. S. History textbook documenting the unique stories of Black persons, groups, and cultures in North America, beginning in Ancient Africa and continuing to modern events and movements.

Full of rarely told history lessons, the BH365 curriculum has exclusive access to more than 3,000 original artifacts that take students and educators on a colorful journey to embracing an inclusive account of American history.



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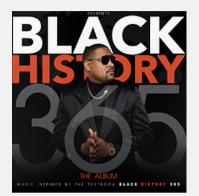
BH365 LATIN HISTORY 365 TEXTBOOK

The BH365® Latin textbook chronicles the history of 25 Latin American countries including the enslavement of Indigenous and African peoples in each country. There are over 500 QR codes and seven curriculum elements embedded in the text that support students with cementing comprehension and deepening content command.

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BLACK HISTORY 365 - DIGITAL MP3 ABLUM

The BH365 Album is a new compilation of hip hop tracks with one song for each chapter of the BH365 textbook. The album is produced by Grammy-nominated, multi-platinum producer, Kevin "Khao" Cates who has produced music for T.I., Ludacris, Pharrell, Jay-Z and Snoop Dogg.

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Khao and his team have created the new sound of black history and culture with this project, which is part of a new Black History textbook and curriculum.



BH365 KINDERGARTEN COLORING BOOK

Bring stories to life with creativity and color.



BH365 ACTIVITY BOOK

BH 365 Activity Books present a variety of interactive and challenging lessons for grades 3-5, 6-8, and 9-12. Each book has 20 lessons—perfect for Black History Month or throughout the year. In addition to history lessons, there are activities on geography, literature, historic figures, research topics, discussion/debate topics, and games.





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