Peopling the American Past, a Teaching American History project, represents an exciting opportunity for teachers to expand their content knowledge of American history, develop engaging classroom resources and materials, and become part of a professional support network. For more information please visit our website: [http://chnm.gmu.edu/7tah](http://chnm.gmu.edu/7tah).

Teachers can participate in the Option B Summer Only Program with $750 Stipend

Here’s what teachers do:

- Attend the Teaching American History Summer Institute and read assigned books and articles
- Write reflections on Summer Institute and readings
- Participate in evaluation surveys
- Share with colleagues in school and district.

Here’s what teachers get:

- Re-certification points from the state of Virginia
- A 9-day Summer Institute (July and August) focusing on American history content, skills of historical analysis, teaching strategies, and field trips to historical sites
- Participation in a professional community
- Enhanced skills in using technology
- A $750 stipend along with books, classroom resources, and mileage reimbursement.

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