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Curriculum Fair
D.C. Area Black Lives Matter at School

Saturday, January 20 | 11:30 AM–2:30 PM ET
Online via Zoom

D.C. Area Educators for Social Justice is hosting our annual Black Lives Matter at School Curriculum Fair. The event will feature a keynote speaker and workshops set to uplift the national demands based in the Black Lives Matter guiding principles that focus on improving the school experience for Black students.

WORKSHOPS

See below a preview of confirmed sessions. Professional development credits will be available and ASL interpretation will be provided for selected sessions.

- **Black Women's History in Five Minutes or Less: Celebrating Hidden Stories You May Not Know**

- **From Inspiration to Action: Making a Plan for Monday**

- ***I Saw Death Coming*: Reconstruction and the War on Black Freedom**

- **Leveraging the Photo Essay for Abolitionist Literacy Instruction**

- **Listen to Black Women: DMV Area Black Women Educators Planning and Dreaming for Liberation**

- **The Lives & Labor of Black Women During Reconstruction**

- **Mary Church Terrell's "Lift As We Climb": Black Activism in the Nation's Capital**

Learn More and Register

Keynote Speaker — Dr. Enid Lee

Dr. Enid Lee is an anti-racist professional development specialist, leadership coach, and writer. She consults internationally on equitable education and supports educators in preparing all students to create and experience a world with greater justice, joy, and generosity.

She is the co-editor of Teaching for Change's *Beyond Heroes and Holidays: A Practical Guide to K-12 Anti-Racist Multicultural Education and Staff Development.*

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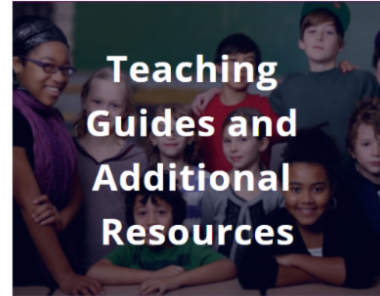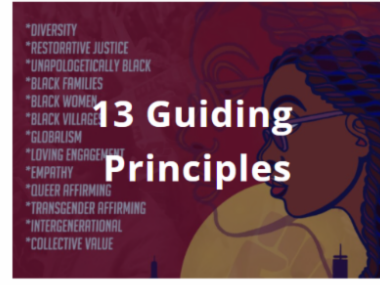# Week of Action
D.C. Area Black Lives Matter at School

February 5–9, 2024

Get ready with D.C. Area Educators for Social Justice (DCAESJ) for the seventh annual D.C. Area Black Lives Matter at School Week of Action from February 5–9, 2024! The goal of the Week of Action is to encourage ongoing critical reflection, honest conversations, and targeted action among school communities of all ages to build schools where Black lives matter.

Learn More and Sign Up for D.C. Area Week of Action

Lessons and Resources

Lessons and Resources for Early Childhood & Elementary

Lessons and Resources for Middle & High School

13 Guiding Principles

Videos for Educators

Readings for Educators

Teaching Guides and Additional Resources

View Resources

Booklists

Diversity

Globalism

Black Women

Black Villages

Loving Engagement

Restorative Justice

Collective Value

Empathy

Queer Affirming

Unapologetically Black

Transgender Affirming

Black Families

Intergenerational

Find a growing list of recommended titles that center each of the Black Lives Matter 13 guiding principles, as well as additional recommended booklists for the Black Lives Matter at School Week of Action.

For teachers, we recommend these key texts: *Teaching for Black Lives* and *Black Lives Matter at School: An Uprising for Educational Justice*.

View Booklists

More Events

How Education Legislation is Developed in Virginia

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Monday, January 8th at 6:00 PM

FREE WEBINAR
Presented by Marianne Burke, PhD.

Monday, January 8, 2024 │ 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Online via Zoom

Free webinar presented by Marianne Burke, PhD. about how K-12 education laws in Virginia are made. Details about producing education bills in Virginia will

be provided.

Learn More and Register

The Rebellious Life of Rosa Parks
Film Screening

Sunday, January 14, 2024 │ 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM
MLK Jr. Memorial Library │901 G St NW

The documentary will be followed by a conversation moderated by executive producer **Soledad O'Brien** with the film's directors, **Johanna Hamilton** and **Yoruba Richen**, and the author of the book the film is based on, **Jeanne Theoharis**. This event is presented by: The League, DC Public Library Foundation, the Anacostia Community Museum, Soledad O'Brien Productions, and the Washington Association of Black Journalists.

Learn More and Register

Annual Gathering of

Peace of Mind Educators

Thursday, February 8, 2024 │ 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Creole on 14th │3345 14th St NW

This year's conference will focus on teaching peaceful conflict resolution in our schools. Participants will hear from teachers and school mental health professionals who are implementing Peace of Mind in their school communities.

Learn More and Register

Unapologetically Black Educator Storylounge

Thursday, February 8, 2024 │ 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Creole on 14th │3345 14th St NW

This event is an opportunity for Black educators across DC to share and support the work of creating transformational, antiracist schools. The annual Unapologetically Black Educator Storylounge is a space to celebrate Black joy, share the challenges we fight against, and take part in the tremendous impact and community of our city's Black educators. Appetizers and one free drink of your choice will be provided.

Learn More and Register

Racial Justice Creative Arts Contest
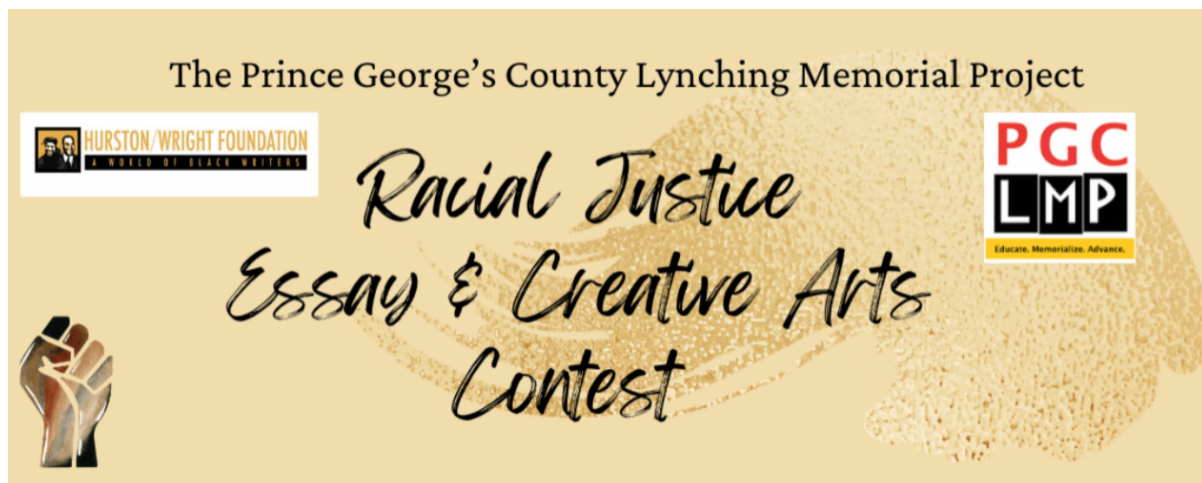
DEADLINE: Wednesday, February 28, 2024

The Prince George's County Lynching Memorial Project is accepting submissions from PG County high school students for their 2024 Racial Justice Essay and Creative Arts contest through February 28, 2024.

Learn More and Apply

More Events

D.C. Area Educators for Social Justice (DCAESJ) is always looking to lift up the incredible work pre-K-12 social justice educators are doing in the D.C. area. Read examples of DCAESJ teaching stories and learn how to share the critical social justice work you are doing with your students.

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