

Lesson Plan Example 6

Lesson title:	Holocaust Concentration Camps
Grade level(s):	High School
Subject matter area(s):	World History
Amount of time needed:	One Class Period
Description:	In this lesson students will learn about and discuss various aspects of concentration camps used during WWII.
Objectives:	At the end of this lesson students will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide information related to the numbers of individuals killed and the various groups directly affected by the use of concentration camps• Explain personal accounts of individuals surviving the concentration camps• Discuss connections to their own lives and current events
Prerequisite skills:	Prior to this lesson, students should have an understanding of the context in which the Holocaust took place. Students should also have background knowledge of Nazi Germany and the motives leading up to WWII.
Materials needed:	Night by Elie Wiesel Other accounts written by Holocaust survivors Statistics related to the number of Jews and non-Jews killed during the Holocaust as well as a description of all of the groups directly affected Pictures of concentration camp layouts Examples of Nazi propaganda Newspaper clippings of recent events involving ethnic oppression
Teacher preparation:	The teacher should prepare a lecture on concentration camp life and the groups directly affected by the Holocaust including a handout of main points. The teacher should also search for and mark passages written by Holocaust survivors recounting their experiences. The teacher should also prepare a list of questions to