



World History

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Reference Books

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World's major languages REF P371.W6 2009

Greenwood encyclopedia of clothing throughout world history
REF GT507.G74 2008

Routledge companion to central and eastern Europe since 1919 REF DJK 48.5 .W43 2008

The American history highway: A guide to Internet resources on U.S., Canadian, and Latin American history
REF E16.5 .A46 2007

Dictionary of antisemitism from the earliest times to the present REF DS145 .M465 2007

Encyclopedia of the middle passage
REF HT1322 .E63 2007

Political history of America's wars
REF E181 .A945 2007

Slavery in the United States: A social, political, and historical encyclopedia (2 vols.) REF E441 .S635 2007

Encyclopedia of war & American society (3 vols.)
REF E181 .E634 2006

The ancient world (on soldiers in the ancient world)
REF U29 .G22 2007

Encyclopedia of ancient Greece
REF DF16 .E52 2006

Mysteries in history: From prehistory to the present
REF D24 .A683 2006

World fascism: A historical encyclopedia
REF JC481 .W67 2006

International encyclopedia of military history
REF D25.A2 I58 2006

The nineteenth century
REF U41 .N45 2006

The Europa world year book
REF JN1 .E85 (most recent) This is not strictly about Europe.

Worldmark encyclopedia of the nations REF G63 .W67
v. 2 Africa—v. 3 Americas—v. 4 Asia and Oceania

Cassell's chronology of world history: Dates, events and ideas that made history REF D11 .W55 2005

Encyclopedia of the Palestinians
REF DS113.6 .E53 2005

Encyclopedia of plague and pestilence: From ancient times to the present REF RA649 .E53 2001

History behind the headlines: The origins of conflicts worldwide
REF D410 .H57

The Holocaust and World War II almanac
REF D804.17 .H65 2000

The Middle East REF DS63.1 .M484 2000

Africana: The encyclopedia of the African and African American experience REF DT14 .A37435 1999

Atlases

The Palgrave concise historical atlas of the First World War
REF G1037 .P3 2005

Atlas of the Middle East REF G2205 .A85 2003

Atlas of world history REF ATLAS STAND G1030 .O85 1999

Atlas of exploration REF G1036.S12 R6 1997

Atlas of the Third World REF G1046.G1 K8 1992

The Times atlas of world history
REF ATLAS STAND G1030 .T54 1984

Atlas of world population history REF HB851 .M32

Africa on maps dating from the twelfth to the eighteenth century
REF ATLAS STAND G2445 .K6 1970

Statistics

International historical statistics: The Americas, 1750-1993
REF HA175 .M55 2007

International historical statistics: Africa, Asia & Oceania, 1750-1993 REF HA4675 .M552 2007

International historical statistics : Europe, 1750-1993
REF HA1107 .M5 2007

DVDs and Videos, 1st Floor

Selected Titles:

The Arab world (DVD) 305.8927 .A732
Vietnam: A television history (DVD) 959.7043 .V542
Teotihuacán: City of the gods (VHS) 972.01 .T4
The last Zapatista (VHS) 972.08 .L37
Central America (VHS) 972.8 .C091
Israel (VHS) 956.94 .I093
Maya, lords of the jungle (VHS) 972.81016 .M39
Lost civilizations (VHS) 930 .T56 v. 1. Egypt--v. 2. Maya--v. 3. Mesopotamia--v. 6. China--v. 8. Africa--v. 9. Inca--v. 10. *Tibet*
Machu Picchu (VHS) 985.01 .M3
The Incas (VHS) 985.019 .I53
Inside Burma: Land of fear (VHS) 959.105 .I57
Japan (VHS) 952 .J37
The great pharaohs of Egypt (VHS) 932 .G74
The Australian way of life (VHS) 919.94 .A24
The Mexican way of life (VHS) 917.2 .M98
The Chinese way of life (VHS) 915.51 .C951
The Japanese way of life (VHS) 915.2 .J81
China: The mandate of heaven (VHS) 909.09.L49 Ch
India: The empire of the spirit (VHS) 909.09 .L49 In
Iraq: The cradle of civilization (VHS) 909.09 .L49 Ir
Islam: Empire of faith (VHS) 297 .I83

E-Books via the NetLibrary database (full-text and searchable online)

Who's who in the Ancient Near East (2002)
The history of Iran (2001)
History of Mexico (2000)
Gender in world history (2000)
On my country and the world/ Gorbachev (2000)
History of ancient Egypt (1999)
Peronism and Argentina (1998)
Early modern Japan (1995)
Independence in Spanish America: Civil wars, revolutions, and underdevelopment (1994)
Islam: An introduction (1992)
A history of medicine (1992)

Suggested Databases

- Historical Abstracts
- JSTOR
- ProQuest Research Library
- Academic Search Premier

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Recommended Web Sites

Best of History Sites:

<http://www.besthistorysites.net/index.shtml>

[Prehistory](#)
[Ancient/Biblical](#)
[World War II](#)

History on the Web (hosted by University of Washington):

<http://www.lib.washington.edu/subject/history/web.html>
[Sub-Saharan African History](#)
[Asian History](#)
[Australia & New Zealand](#)
[Latin American History](#)
[Middle East and North Africa](#)
[Russian & Eastern European History](#)

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