



DISCovering® Multicultural America

Explore America's most-studied ethnic groups

DISCovering Multicultural America is a thoroughly integrated multimedia reference that was developed in response to the needs of students, librarians and other researchers. It offers information on the culture, history and current status of America's largest and most often studied ethnic groups:

- African Americans
- Asian Americans
- Hispanic Americans
- Native North Americans

A comprehensive multimedia resource

Many of the entries in DISCovering Multicultural America have been specifically revised and extensively updated from information found in the following Gale Group references: *The African American Almanac*, *The Asian American Almanac*, *The Hispanic American Almanac*, *The Native North American Almanac*, *Contemporary Authors®*, *Contemporary Black Biography*, *Contemporary Musicians*, *Dictionary of Hispanic Biography*, *Contemporary Newsmakers*, *Notable Asian Americans* and many others. Articles from contemporary periodicals have been added to the collection of data to provide current information on many topics.

DISCovering Multicultural America takes researchers on a journey that examines people, places, significant documents, timeline events, landmarks, organizations, essays, periodical articles and glossary terms. This information can be accessed through a number of search paths, as well as retrieved through more than 22,000 intuitive hypertext links. Users will discover:

- 2,000 biographical profiles
- 5,000 contact organizations
- 200 statistical charts, graphs and tables
- 500 full-text periodical articles from 25 ethnic publications
- 3,100 ethnic timeline entries dating back to 30,000 B.C.
- Audio and video clips
- 1,500 photographs and images
- 22,000 hyperlinks

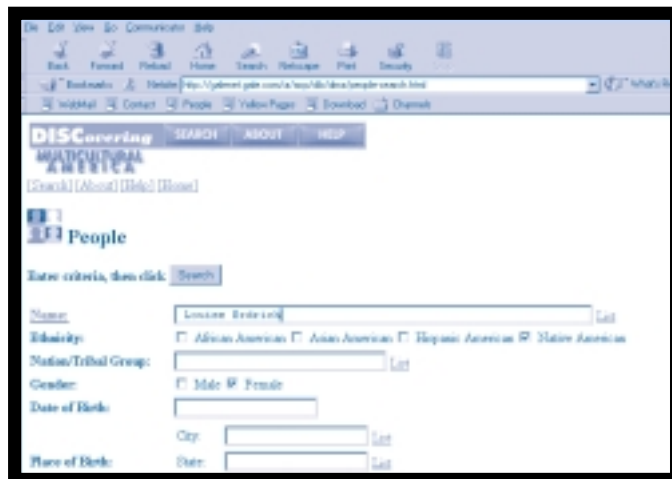
"The format is user friendly. Dedicated students will make real use of this program and learn a great deal from it."

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Applications

Educators will find ideas and information for lesson plans in DISCovering Multicultural America, which is designed to support curriculum integration, team teaching and the use of technology in the classroom. Students, faculty, media specialists and other researchers will find many uses for this valuable, easy-to-use resource, including:

- Developing ideas and content for classroom and homework assignments, research papers and special projects
- Establishing or augmenting a history library
- Teaching students to locate, sort and utilize information to create their own work
- And much more



▲ A user-friendly interface makes simple and complex searches easy, offering flexibility to narrow and broaden results as needed

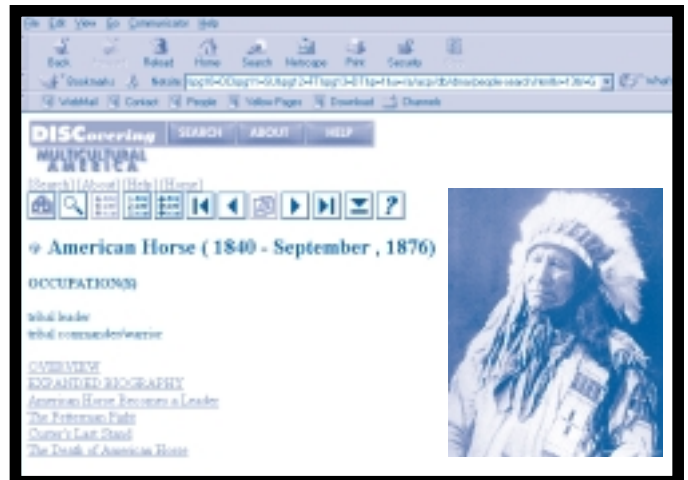
Benefits

DIScovering Multicultural America is designed to work the way students conduct research. Users can easily sort information as broadly or narrowly as they need to, and they have the option of searching by name, ethnicity, nation/tribal group, gender, date or birth and death, place of birth and death, occupation, subject or combinations of fielded information.

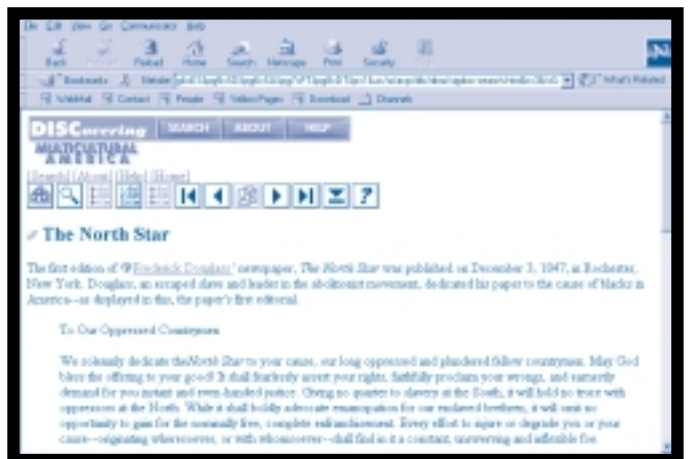
Thousands of entries are available with the convenience and speed of an Internet search. *DIScovering Multicultural America* also features a student-friendly interface, searchable by keywords in full text — or when students are not sure of the specific name or topic they are looking for — they can also browse lists. A wide range of search results offers a single source of answers for most queries.

Availability

DIScovering Multicultural America is available in CD-ROM and online formats. To subscribe or for more information, contact your Gale Group Representative. Call 1-800-877-GALE (U.S. and Canada), or send an e-mail to international@galegroup.com (outside the U.S. and Canada).



- ▶ Read detailed, hyperlinked essays that allow users to create their own paths to understanding important figures from America's most-studied ethnic groups



- ▶ Look up 350 significant full-text documents, including constitutions, contracts, court cases, executive orders, personal papers, speeches and more



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