

LESSON FIVE: Examination of the USHMM website

Subject

History Elective (War Studies or Holocaust Studies)

Purpose of Lesson

The purpose of the lesson is to introduce the students to the additional trials that occurred after the military tribunal.

Goals for Student Understanding

- The students will examine the USHMM website exhibit of the doctors' trials.
- The students will utilize the internet to obtain further information about one of the medical experiments that took place in the camps.

What Students will do to Build Their Understanding

- The students will research one medical experiment and prepare a presentation for classroom use.

State Standards

Kansas

- World History Benchmark 8
Indicators 2 and 3
 - The student engages in historical thinking skills.
 - Develops and implements effective research strategies for investigating a given historical topic.
 - Examines and analyzes primary and secondary sources in order to differentiate between historical facts and historical interpretations.

Missouri

Knowledge Standards

- Communication Arts
Indicators 3 and 4
 - In Communication Arts, students in Missouri public schools will acquire a solid foundation which includes knowledge of and proficiency in
 - reading and evaluating nonfiction works and material
 - writing formally

Performance Standards

- Goal 1
Indicators 2 and 5
 - Students in Missouri public schools will acquire the knowledge and skills to gather, analyze and apply information and ideas.
 - conduct research to answer questions and evaluate information and ideas
 - comprehend and evaluate written, visual and oral presentations and works
- Goal 4

Indicator 3

- Students in Missouri public schools will acquire the knowledge and skills to make decisions and act as responsible members of society.
- analyze the duties and responsibilities of individuals in societies

Resources and Handouts: Specific Resources

- ◆ *Nuremberg Examination of the USHMM website* worksheet
- ◆ Handout from www.law.umkc.edu *The Subsequent Nuremberg Trials: An Overview*

Resources and Handouts: Materials for Students

- ◆ Assignment sheet *Nuremberg Examination of the USHMM website*
- ◆ Computers with Internet Access
<http://www.ushmm.org/research/doctors/>
<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/nuremberg/subsequenttrials.html>