



## Indiana and Old Northwest Suggested Topic List

*Revolution, Reaction, Reform in History*

- Reforming Native Lands: First Contact Between Natives and Europeans
- Indiana in the Colonial Period: European Wars, Native Rebellions
- American Revolution in Indiana
- Indiana Achieves Statehood
- Reforming Slavery in Indiana
- War of 1812: Britain, Natives, Tippecanoe and Ghent
- Steamboats Reforming Transportation
- Indiana 1816 Constitution
- Indiana's 1851 Constitution, Article XIII: Restricting Black Settlement in Indiana
- Transportation Revolution: Indiana Canals vs. Railroads
- Hoosiers and the Civil War
- Jesse Bright: Indiana Senator, Southern Sympathizer
- Levi Coffin: Reforming Slavery
- Madam C.J. Walker: Capitalizing Revolution
- Labor Reform in Industrial Indiana: The Rise of Unions and Revolts
- Eugene V. Debs: Labor Reform and Public Reaction
- Eugenics Laws in Indiana
- Prohibition in Indiana
- Hoosier Home Front in WWI: Anti-German Hysteria
- Reforming Healthcare: Influenza Outbreak in Indiana
- Racist Revolution: Ku Klux Klan in Indiana
- Cole Porter: Reforming Music in Indiana
- Ernie Pyle: Reforming War Coverage and Public Reaction
- Hoosier Home Front in WWII: Mobilization
- Freeman Field Mutiny: Reforming Segregation in the Military
- Jonestown Reaction
- Eminent Domain: Lake Monroe and Indiana University
- Crispus Attucks High School: Public Reaction and Reform
- Reforming Industry in Indiana: Oil Crisis of 1973 and Decline of the Rustbelt
- Jimmy Hoffa: Labor Reform, Mob Reaction

\*See the National History Day Theme Book for more topic ideas