

2018 Texas History Day Texas Topics

- Spanish-Comanche Conflict
- Spanish-French Rivalry in early Texas
- Conflict in Texas during the wars for Mexican Independence
- Texas Statehood Dispute Under Mexican Rule
- Southern Boundary of Texas—Nueces River vs Rio Grande
- Texas-New Mexico Boundary Dispute
- Secession Debate in Texas
- Voting Rights for Freedmen during Reconstruction
- El Paso Salt War
- Regulating the Railroads in late 19th century Texas
- The Plan de San Diego Revolt
- The KKK in Texas
- Woman Suffrage in Texas
- The Prohibition Movement in Texas
- Challenging the White Primary
- “Hot Oil” and State Regulation of the Oil Industry
- Public School Integration in Texas
- Integration of Higher Education in Texas
- Integration of the University of Texas
- Integration of Sports in Texas
- The Chamizal Dispute in El Paso
- Admitting Women to Texas A&M
- Ratifying the ERA in Texas
- HB 72 and School Reform in Texas
- “No Pass No Play” and School Reform
- Affirmative Action and Higher Education in Texas
- *Edgewood ISD v. Kirby* and Public School Funding
- Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo
- Adams-Onís Treaty
- Texas Archive Wars
- Mirabeau B. Lamar vs. Sam Houston
- Renewable Energy vs. Fossil Fuels
- Trans-Texas Corridor (TTC) Proposal
- Eminent Domain—Texas Landowners’ Bill of Rights
- Alvin Ailey—founded a multi-racial dance troop in the late 1950s & popularized modern dance
- Lauren Anderson—1st African-American principal ballerina in the United States
- Dorteia Lange—Depression photographer
- Gussie Nell Davis and the Kilgore College Rangerettes
- Dallas Cowboy Cheerleaders
- Walter Cronkite—Reporting and Journalism
- Lawrence Herkimer—is cheerleading a sport?
- Buddy Holly—changing the face of rock and roll music

- Annexation of Texas Debate, 1836-1845
- Mexican Reparation in the 1930s
- Disputed Senate Election of 1948
- Impeachment of Gov. James Hogg
- Unionists and the Loyalty Issue During the Civil War
- Tidelands Controversy and Texas' Offshore Boundary
- La Raza Unida Party and Chicano Politics
- Fredonia Rebellion
- Mexican American Students and School Segregation