

# Books & Learning

## BIOGRAPHIES FOR TEENS

*Recommended for Ages 12 - 18*

Real life can be more interesting than fiction! Learn about the fascinating lives of people living now and throughout history.

### Books

[Undeclared: Jim Thorpe and the Carlisle Indian School Football Team](#) by Steve Sheinkin

[Popular: Vintage Wisdom for a Modern Geek](#) by Maya van Wagenen

[How Dare the Sun Rise: Memoirs of a War Child](#) by Sandra Uwiringiyimana with Abigail Pesta

[Almost American Girl](#) by Robin Ha

[Hey, Kiddo](#) by Jarrett Krosoczka

### Online Library Database

*Biography in Context*

[go.gale.com/ps/browseCategory?p=BIC&u=down54663&sid=BIC](http://go.gale.com/ps/browseCategory?p=BIC&u=down54663&sid=BIC)

Search hundreds of thousands of biographical entries that include periodical articles, encyclopedia entries, and multimedia resources. Learn about everyone from Helen Keller to Weir Al Yankovic.

### Free Online Course

*Gale Courses: Write Your Life Story*

[education.gale.com/l-down54663/online-courses/write-your-life-story?tab=detail](http://education.gale.com/l-down54663/online-courses/write-your-life-story?tab=detail)

Enroll in this free course designed to help you develop the skills necessary to write your own memoir.

### Useful Websites

*Anne Frank House*

[annefrank.org](http://annefrank.org)

Learn about the life of Anne Frank and go on a virtual tour of the secret annex where her family hid during the Holocaust.

*Women's History Month*

[womenshistorymonth.gov](http://womenshistorymonth.gov)

Explore exhibits and resources devoted to telling the story of women in American history.