



**The Middle Ages Europe and Africa**  
**Marco Polo - Internet Content for the Classroom**  
<http://www.marcopolo-education.org/>

**Trekking to Timbuktu – Curriculum Unit Overview**

[http://edsitement.neh.gov/view\\_lesson\\_plan.asp?id=499](http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=499)

**Trekking to Timbuktu: The Geography of Mali Lesson 1**

[http://edsitement.neh.gov/view\\_lesson\\_plan.asp?id=500](http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=500)

**Trekking to Timbuktu: Trade in Ancient West Africa - Student Version Lesson 2**

[http://edsitement.neh.gov/view\\_lesson\\_plan.asp?id=510](http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=510)

**Trekking to Timbuktu: Trade in Ancient West Africa - Teacher Version Lesson 2**

[http://edsitement.neh.gov/view\\_lesson\\_plan.asp?id=501](http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=501)

**Lesson 8 – Assessment and Extensions**

[http://edsitement.neh.gov/view\\_lesson\\_plan.asp?id=507](http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=507)

**More**

**Timeline (Excellent) (Dates for Timbuktu compared to the rest of the world)**

<http://www.historychannel.com/classroom/unesco/timbuktu/timeline.html>

**The Story of Africa – BBC World Service**

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/africa/features/storyofafrica/4chapter1.shtml>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/africa/features/storyofafrica/4chapter3.shtml>

**Timeline**

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/africa/features/storyofafrica/4generic3.shtml>

**Mansa Moossa**

<http://www.historychannel.com/classroom/unesco/timbuktu/mansamoussa.html>

**Mali Lesson Plans**

[http://mali.pwnet.org/lessonplan/lessonplan\\_middle\\_high.htm#ce](http://mali.pwnet.org/lessonplan/lessonplan_middle_high.htm#ce)

**Djenne, Mali (similar to castle)**

<http://www.sacredsites.com/africa/djenne.html>

**Timbutu, Timbuctoo, Tombouctou**

<http://geography.miningco.com/library/weekly/aa101300a.htm>

**Carman Sandiego's Great Chase Through Time**

<http://www.carmensandiego.com/products/time/time1.html>

**Musa and the Mali Empire, 1324**

[http://www.carmensandiego.com/products/time/malic07/main\\_c07.html](http://www.carmensandiego.com/products/time/malic07/main_c07.html)

**Mr. Dowling's Electronic Passport**

<http://www.mrdowling.com/index.html>

<http://www.mrdowling.com/609-mansamusa.html>

**Middle Ages**

<http://www.mrdowling.com/703middleages.html>

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**Kid's Castle (excellent)**

<http://kotn.ntu.ac.uk/castle/>

[http://kotn.ntu.ac.uk/castle/castl\\_fm.html](http://kotn.ntu.ac.uk/castle/castl_fm.html)

**More Resources**

**Africa: The Cradle of Civilization**

Excellent Site - ThinkQuest is an international competition where student teams engage in collaborative, project-based learning to create educational websites.

This ThinkQuest site traces the evolution of Africa from "the beginnings of humanity to the rise and fall of its great civilizations"; site covers the history of Africa as well as the early civilizations of Egypt, Nubia, Ethiopia, and North Africa - the Rise to Glory section explores South Africa, Ghana, and the great trading empires around the Red Sea

[http://www.thinkquest.org/library/site\\_sum.html?tname=C002739&url=C002739/index2.shtm](http://www.thinkquest.org/library/site_sum.html?tname=C002739&url=C002739/index2.shtm)

**Guide to Ancient Egypt On the Web**

<http://www.cmi.k12.il.us/%7Ekempeja/Anewegypt.html>

**Ancient Egypt Web Quest**

<http://www.iwebquest.com/egypt/ancientegypt.htm>

**The Ancient Egyptian Culture Exhibit**

<http://www.mnsu.edu/emuseum/prehistory/egypt/index.shtml>

**Ancient Worlds**

<http://www.ancientworlds.net/>

**African Studies Center - University of Pennsylvania - K-12 Electronic Guide for African Resources on the Internet**

[http://www.sas.upenn.edu/African\\_Studies/K-12/menu\\_EduBBS.html](http://www.sas.upenn.edu/African_Studies/K-12/menu_EduBBS.html)

[http://www.sas.upenn.edu/African\\_Studies/AS.html](http://www.sas.upenn.edu/African_Studies/AS.html)

[http://www.sas.upenn.edu/African\\_Studies/K-12/menu\\_K-12.html](http://www.sas.upenn.edu/African_Studies/K-12/menu_K-12.html)

**African Origins of Science and Math**

[http://www.sas.upenn.edu/African\\_Studies/Bibliography/African\\_Origins\\_Math.html](http://www.sas.upenn.edu/African_Studies/Bibliography/African_Origins_Math.html)

**African Studies**

**Internet Resources**

<http://www.columbia.edu/cu/lweb/indiv/africa/cuvl/>

**Art and Life in Africa Project**

<http://www.uiowa.edu/~africart/index.html>

**Women in Africa: Tradition and Change**

**EdSITEment Lesson Plan**

[http://edsitement.neh.gov/view\\_lesson\\_plan.asp?id=307](http://edsitement.neh.gov/view_lesson_plan.asp?id=307)

**PBS Kid's Africa**

[http://www.pbs.org/wonders/Kids/quest/que\\_lc.htm](http://www.pbs.org/wonders/Kids/quest/que_lc.htm)

**Peoples Resources**

<http://www.uiowa.edu/~africart/toc/people.html>

## **Middle Ages**

**Exhibits Collection – The Middle Ages**

<http://www.learner.org/exhibits/middleages/>

**Carman Sandiego's Great Chase Through Time**

**Kahn in Mongol China, 1271**

[http://www.carmensandiego.com/products/time/marcoc06/main\\_c06.html](http://www.carmensandiego.com/products/time/marcoc06/main_c06.html)

**The Lives of Medieval Women**

[http://www.thinkquest.org/library/site\\_sum.html?tname=12834&url=12834/text/sistercities.html%3ftqskip=1](http://www.thinkquest.org/library/site_sum.html?tname=12834&url=12834/text/sistercities.html%3ftqskip=1)

**Medieval Sourcebook**

<http://www.fordham.edu/halsall/sbook.html>

**NetSERF: The Internet Connection for Medieval Resources**

<http://www.netserf.org/>

**SCORE: Teacher Guide—Adam of the Road**

<http://www.sdcoe.k12.ca.us/score/adam/adamtg.html>

**Adam of the Road - Web Quest**

<http://www.berksiu.k12.pa.us/webquest/Culbert/>

**Other Civilizations: Factors Causing Collapse - Student Sheet**

[http://www.sciencenetlinks.com/pdfs/collapse1-2\\_actsheet.pdf](http://www.sciencenetlinks.com/pdfs/collapse1-2_actsheet.pdf)

**Making Personal and Cultural Connections Using a Girl Named Disaster**

[http://www.readwritethink.org/lessons/lesson\\_view.asp?id=166](http://www.readwritethink.org/lessons/lesson_view.asp?id=166)

**Books**

*A Girl Named Disaster.* Farmer, Nancy