

Other helpful resources on South Africa

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Action for Southern Africa (ACTSA)

ACTSA is the successor to the Anti Apartheid Movement. It campaigns for justice, rights and development throughout southern Africa. The ACTSA website has information about South and southern Africa, many of the key challenges, country profiles and information about the Anti Apartheid Movement.

www.actsa.org

South Africa history classroom

Resources from the South Africa Department of Education:

www.sahistory.org.za/classroom/index.htm

South African History

The most comprehensive resource on SA history online

www.sahistory.org.za/

BBC archive on apartheid

www.bbc.co.uk/archive/apartheid/index.shtml

BBC 'Timeline' on South African History, including pre- and post- apartheid

<http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/world/africa/1069402.stm>

Apartheid Museum, Johannesburg

www.apartheidmuseum.org/

South African Government information

Loads of useful information and statistics

www.info.gov.za/aboutsa/index.htm

www.southafrica.info/

Anglo Boer Museum

www.anglo-boer.co.za/

District Six Museum, Cape Town

Have a number of resources including an online timeline of South African history

www.districtsix.co.za

www.districtsix.co.za/timeline/index.htm#

Nelson Mandela Foundation

www.nelsonmandela.org

Football Unites, Racism Divides

Have a number of resources on South African footballers in Britain, including a comic book and poster

www.furd.org/default.asp?intPageID=496

Oxfam: Nelson Mandela

Explore the life of Nelson Mandela and the difference between fact, fiction, and opinion with lessons for ages 10-11 – links with the National Literacy Strategy

http://www.oxfam.org.uk/education/resources/nelson_mandela/?250

Black History for Schools

A set of free online resources on South African history from a website dedicated to the promotion of Black and Asian British history in schools

<http://www.blackhistory4schools.com/southafrica/>

One of the best teaching resources on Apartheid South Africa is Hamish McDonald and Barry Williamson's, South Africa, Key History for GCSE, Stanley Thornes 1997, ISBN 0748725857 and the accompanying teachers guide of the same name ISBN 0748726004. This text book and accompanying resources, aimed at KS4 are suitable for students of mixed ability. The textbook takes pupils through the history of apartheid from its roots to post apartheid South Africa.

Information on school linking in Africa

Link Community Development works in five African countries to improve access to quality education, including through school linking.

http://www.lcdinternational.org/lcd_international/products.htm

Global Gateway World Cup Linking 2010 is a free project linking schools in England and Africa, including South Africa. "Includes quizzes, maps, tasks and of course footballers!" The Global Gateway site also has general information related to school links.

<http://www.globalgateway.org.uk/default.aspx?page=5599&theme=default>

Schools can register for the project at:

www.globalgateway.org/register

Global School Partnerships, a DfID initiative, promoting global education through the curriculum. This is a free support service for schools offering grants, CPD and guidance. <http://www.dfid.gov.uk/get-involved/for-schools/global-school-partnerships/>