





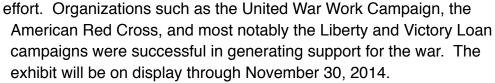
## Helen T. Leigh Museum Field Trip Grant 2014

The assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria on June 28, 1914 set the stage for the

First World War. Nations all over the world entered a war that lasted until November 11, 1918. Throughout those four years, nations produced war posters to encourage enlistment, fundraising, and public support for the war effort.

The MacArthur Museum of Arkansas Military History invites students and teachers to see posters first hand in its newest exhibit, *First Call: American Posters of World War I*. This colorful exhibit highlights the creation of numerous posters from the United States and their role in wartime propaganda.

These posters offer a unique perspective of World War I through artist's rendition of frontline and home-front scenes to spur Americans into the war



The Helen T. Leigh Museum Grant offers 5<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade teachers in Arkansas up to \$500 to bring students to the MacArthur Museum of Arkansas Military History to enhance the teaching of World War I, military history, home-front efforts, and more.

The Helen T. Leigh Museum Grant application is available through the MacArthur Museum of Arkansas Military History and the Arkansas Humanities Council. Deadlines are the first of each month except December. Applicants must contact the museum to schedule their field trip prior to applying for the grant. Admission to the museum is free.





#### **Grant Guidelines**

- The Helen T. Leigh Museum Field Trip Grant is available to public schools in Arkansas, grades 5 – 12.
- Field trips are available through the MacArthur Museum of Arkansas Military History and must be scheduled prior to submitting the application.
- All field trips must take place at MacArthur Museum of Arkansas Military History in Little Rock, Arkansas.
- Maximum Award: \$500.00\*
- Funds may be used for the following:
  - 1. Mileage Reimbursement: Up to .56 per roundtrip mile
  - Costs Associated With Bus Driver(s) Fee and Use of Bus
  - 3. Substitute Teacher(s)
- To schedule a field trip to MacArthur Museum of Arkansas
  Military History, please contact the museum at 503 E. 9<sup>th</sup>
  Street, Little Rock, AR 72202, 501.376.4602 or via email at macarthur@littlerock.org.
- For information regarding the Helen T. Leigh Museum Field Trip Grant, please contact Jama Best, Senior Program Officer, Arkansas Humanities Council, 407 President Clinton Avenue, Suite 201, Little Rock, AR 72201, 501.320.5761 or <a href="mailto:jamabest@sbcglobal.net">jamabest@sbcglobal.net</a>.

\*If further funding is needed beyond the maximum amount of \$500, please provide a justification and a total amount to accompany your application.









# The Arkansas Humanities Council in partnership with



### The MacArthur Museum of Arkansas Military History

### Helen T. Leigh Museum Field Trip Grant Application

School		
Name:		
	Phone:	
Principal's Email:		
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Teacher		
Name:		
Title/Subject:		
	Number of Students:	
Email:	Phone:	
Date of scheduled field trip:		
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1. Which MacArthur Museum o	of Arkansas Military History Program(s) are you scheduled to	
receive?		
First Call: American Posters of World War I		
From Turbulence to Tranquility: The Little Rock Arsenal		
The Sun Never Sets on the Mighty Jeep: The Jeep During World War II		
Capital and Conflict: Little Rock and the Civil War		
By the President in the Name of Congress: Arkansas's Medal of Honor Recipients		
Duty, Honor, Country: General Douglas MacArthur		
Food for Thought – A look at	soldiers' rations from the Civil War to present.	
Flags of Our Fathers – The m	neaning and symbolism of the American Flag.	
<u> </u>	nes a martyr in time of war and why, using the David O. Dodd story.	

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2. Provide a brief description of how the programs offer studied. (Please be specific.)	red will enhance classroom activities
3. Provide the name of the humanities scholar and desc project. (Please attach a Humanities Scholar Participation	
4. Please discuss how the project will be evaluated.	
Budget	
Mileage Reimbursement (Up to .56 per roundtrip mile)	\$
Bus Driver(s) Fee	\$

The Helen T Leigh Museum Grant is supported by a generous donation by Mrs. Helen T. Leigh in memory of her husband, Lt. Col. Gilbert Leigh, U. S. Air Force. World War I posters are made available through the Thomas Wilson Clapham Collection donated by the Clapham family in his memory. Poster conservation work provided by Mrs. Helen T. Leigh.

Use of Bus(es) Fee

**Substitute Teacher(s) Fee** 

Total Cost: