



# Women in the Holocaust

## Women as Fierce Resisters, Survivors, and Rescuers during the Holocaust: A Workshop for Educators

### WHY ATTEND THIS PROGRAM?

The Nazi regime subjected women to violence that was unique to the gender of the victims, and examining the Holocaust through this lens creates a more nuanced understanding and insight into the use of gender as a weapon. This program explores the unique experiences of women as they focused on daily survival, refused to be dehumanized, and were often at the heart of the resistance, whether spiritual, cultural, or armed.



### UPCOMING In-person Program: The Holocaust and Human Rights Center of Maine

Thursday, July 16, 2026 | 1:00pm-2:30pm  
46 University Drive | Augusta, ME 04332

[Click here to register.](#)

This program is included in HHRC's two-day 2026 Summer Seminar, *Teaching the Holocaust*, on July 15<sup>th</sup> & July 16<sup>th</sup>. For more information about this seminar, please visit the [HHRC website](#).

### PROGRAM GOALS

Through this program, educators will:

- 1 Explore a sound pedagogy for the planning and implementation of Holocaust education in the classroom;
- 2 Examine instructional enhancements to support student learning and understanding;
- 3 Discover and utilize classroom-ready digital assets including lesson plans, visual history testimonies, and additional primary source materials;
- 4 Enhance personal knowledge about the Holocaust, including the history of antisemitism; and
- 5 Build confidence and capacity to teach this complex subject.

*"The ultimate job of a teacher is to make connections to your students with the curriculum. You want them to walk away with a personal sense of responsibility. Echoes & Reflections helps me do that."*

— Social Studies Teacher,  
Pinebush High School, New York

### WHAT IS ECHOES & REFLECTIONS?

Echoes & Reflections is a premier source for Holocaust educational materials and dynamic content. We partner with educators to support them, foster confidence, and amplify their skills and resources to teach about the Holocaust in a comprehensive and meaningful way.

To learn more, visit our website at [echoesandreflections.org](https://echoesandreflections.org).

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