

Celebrate Alabama Archives Day
at the Alabama Department of Archives and History
October 17, 2009

8:30 - 4:30

FREE

Tours, Workshops, Research Opportunities, and Activities all day long

Family Activities - Explore your family history and traditions while creating a family tree mobile and other family-focused features in the Family Traditions booklet. Purchase an Alabama history research booklet to help your 4th-grade student complete the Alabama History notebook project.

Research Room - Experienced research staff available to help adults discover their family history or investigate other research topics.

Gift Shop - Sample goodies from the *Shall We Gather* cookbook, or browse the shelves for Alabama history books and presents for family, friends, or yourself.

Tours - Join a free guided tour to learn more about Alabama history and the treasures of the Archives.

9:00	<i>Archives Sampler Gallery Tour</i>
10:30	<i>Indian Gallery Tour</i>
12:30	<i>Civil War Gallery Tour</i>
2:30	<i>Archives Sampler Tour</i>

Digital Collections Mini-workshops - Learn about the thousands of images and documents from the Archives collections that are now available online. Learn the best search techniques to locate the perfect image or document for your research project.

9:00	<i>Military Records</i> - locate Civil War and World War I soldiers online
10:30	<i>Digital Publications</i> - classic Alabama history resources and state publications now on-line and searchable.
1:00	<i>Digital Maps</i> - explore state maps, county maps, & municipal maps
2:30	<i>Photographs and Documents</i> - photographs, letters, diaries, and more now available on-line

Alabama Voices - Did you know that the Archives is a house of voices? Experience Alabama history and hear the documents come alive in dramatic readings from Archives collections. Gather on the first floor in Statuary Hall.

10:00	Voices from Antebellum Alabama
11:30	Voices from Before Alabama was a State
1:30	Voices from Civil War Alabama
3:45	Voices from 20 th -Century Alabama