The Department of Social Sciences announces the theme for this year's Association for the Study of African American Life and History (ASALH) 2014 National Black History Month and the 2014 Black History K-12 Resource Packet.

- The 2014 National Black History Month theme is "Civil Rights in America."
- The Association for the Study of African American Life and History website is: http://www.asalh.org/
- The Department of Social Sciences lesson plans to support African American History are available at: http://socialsciences.dadeschools.net/AAlessonplans.asp
- The Florida Department of Education African American History (AAH) task force is available at: http://afroamcurriculum.org/. The AAH task force has also created an online AAH Curriculum website that includes resources in the following areas:
  - Web-based teacher training;
  - Teacher Lesson plans; and
  - An AAH Curriculum framework.
- To support teachers for the 2014 Black History month a 2014 Black History Month resource packet and power point is attached.

For more information concerning the 2014 National Black History Month theme and additional information on efforts to support the teaching of African American History, please contact, Dr. Sherrilyn Scott, Supervisor, Department of Social Sciences, at 305-995-1971.

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