

'69 SEASONS

STUDY GUIDE



1969: The Music, The People, The Unexpected.

1. Who was the US President in 1969?
2. What famous band wrote "Helter Skelter" which became a reference for Charles Manson's proposed apocalyptic war between Blacks and Whites?
3. What famous clothing store opened in San Francisco in 1969 and still exists today?
4. What two environmental disasters raised awareness about ecology in 1969?
5. Which team won Super Bowl III in 1969: The New York Jets or The Baltimore Colts?
6. What US senator drove his car off of a bridge, killing an aide?
7. Who was the first man to walk on the moon?
8. What children's television show debuted on PBS in 1969? (Hint: Big Bird is a featured character.)
9. Who became the Prime Minister of Israel?
10. What was the name of the category 5 hurricane that made landfall in Mississippi?

Extra Credit: Whose "Flying Circus" made its broadcast debut in 1969?

Know The Music

http://learning.blogs.nytimes.com/2016/02/04/lesson-plan-teaching-with-protest-music/?_r=0

Know The References:

[Altamont](#)

[Apollo Eleven](#)

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[Chappaquiddick Bridge Incident](#)

[Concorde](#)

[Cuyahoga River Fire](#)

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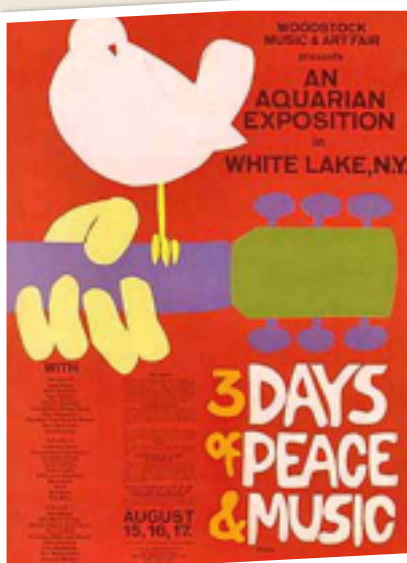
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MOON LANDING

The Apollo 11 lunar landing mission crew, pictured from left to right, Neil A. Armstrong, commander; Michael Collins, command module pilot; and Edwin E. Aldrin Jr., lunar module pilot. **Apollo 11** was the first **spaceflight** that **landed** humans on the **Moon** on July 20, 1969. Armstrong became the first to step onto the lunar surface.. Broadcast on live TV to a world-wide audience, Armstrong stepped onto the lunar surface and described the event as "one small step for [a] man, one giant leap for mankind."



WOODSTOCK

The Woodstock Music & Art Fair—informally, the Woodstock Festival or simply Woodstock—was a music festival attracting an audience of 400,000 people, held over three days on a dairy farm in New York state from August 15 to 17, 1969. During the sometimes rainy weekend, 32 acts performed outdoors. It is widely regarded as a pivotal moment in popular music history.



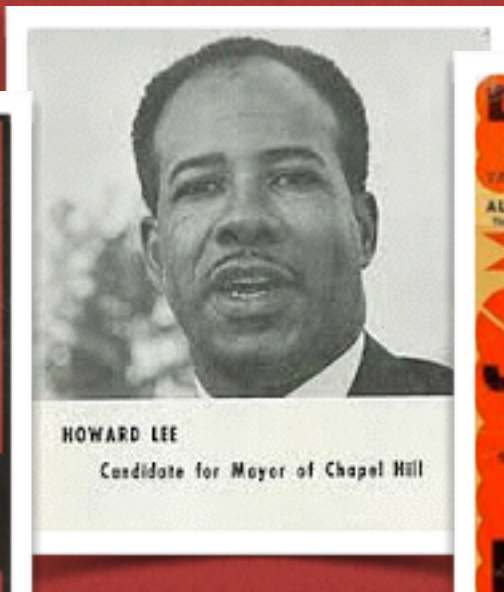
STONEWALL RIOTS

The Stonewall Inn, following the riots on June 28, 1969.

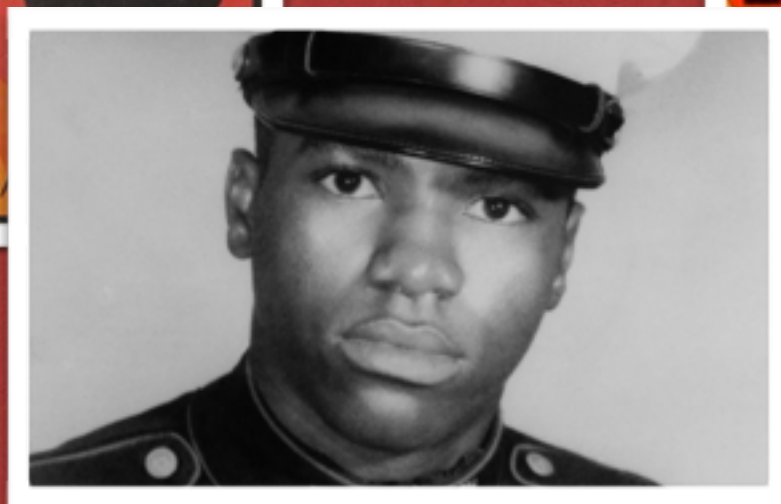
The sign on the window reads, "We homosexuals plead with our people to please help maintain peaceful and quiet conduct on the streets of the Village—Mattachine."

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HOWARD LEE
Candidate for Mayor of Chapel Hill



1969 in North Carolina

Maya Angelou writes *I Know Why The Caged Bird Sings*.

Howard Lee becomes the first African-American Mayor of Chapel Hill, NC.

Jimi Hendrix performs at Raleigh's Dorton Arena.

15 year-old Private Dan Bullock of Goldsboro becomes the youngest Vietnam War casualty.

The Greensboro Uprising takes place at Dudley High School in Greensboro, NC.



Know The People

Maya Angelou

Buzz Aldrin

Neil Armstrong

Mark Clark

Michael Collins

Walter Cronkite

Jane Fonda

Janis Joplin

Fred Hampton

Jimi Hendrix

[Abbie Hoffman](#) & The Chicago Seven

Henry Kissinger

Howard Lee

John Lennon & Yoko Ono

Joe Namath

Richard Nixon

Charles Manson

Golda Meir

Prisoners of War

Bobby Seale

Moneta Sleet, Jr.

Barbara Streisand

Sharon Tate

[Lily Tomlin](#)

Black Panthers

The Weathermen

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Joe Namath & Super Bowl III

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Richard Nixon and Vietnam

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Charles Manson
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