Suggested Sites

Perspectives for a Diverse America:

1. [Understanding Race as a Human Construct:](http://www.understandingrace.org/home.html) A series of modules that allow students to understand race as a social construct and not biological difference.

2. [Race:](http://www.pbs.org/race/000_General/000_00-Home.htm) The Power of an Illusion: A California website that provides insight into a history behind why the term “Race” exists and the racism has been used throughout American history

3. [Everyday Democracy:](http://everyday-democracy.org/resources/diversity#.VVtai_lViko) Provides ideas and tools for facilitating peaceful democratic change in your community. Topics include Diversity, Race Equality, Communities and Law Enforcement.

4. [Teaching Social Justice Through Photographs:](http://www.tolerance.org/lesson/using-photographs-teach-social-justice) This 12 lesson unit will help students learn to think about photos more deeply. In addition, the lessons will expand students’ knowledge of social justice issues. They can be used to supplement another lesson or readings, or they can stand alone.

5. [America by the Numbers:](http://www.tolerance.org/lesson/america-numbers) a new documentary series and lessons that reveal how dramatic changes in the composition and demographics of the United State sare playing out across the country. The eight-part series expands upon ideas of race and the community

6. [Race and Poverty:](http://www.tolerance.org/lesson/race-and-poverty) Activities will help students: understand the link between race and poverty, understand which barriers to success are personal and which are institutional ,discuss the ways in which educational advantages make a difference in life, explore state and national participation in Advanced Placement classes