



# EARLY SOCIETIES

## Ancient Africa

(Grade 4)

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When searching the NTPL catalogue, ([www.ntpl.ca](http://www.ntpl.ca)), use the subject or title heading **Africa**.

When searching the Internet (try [www.google.ca](http://www.google.ca)), use the keywords **"ancient africa"**. Be sure to include the quotation marks.

### **SELECTED BOOKS** (Remember to search the catalogue for additional titles)

**J 398.208996 GILES** Giles, Bridget. Myths of West Africa, 2002.

**960 HYN** Hynson, Colin. Africa, 2010.

**GN JEFFR** Jeffrey, Gary. African Myths, 2005.

**967.5101 JORDAN** Jordan, Manuel. The Kongo Kingdom, 1998.

**J 960.02 KALLE** Kallen, Stuart. The Lost Kingdoms of Africa: black Africa before 1600, 1990.

**J 960 MACDONAL** MacDonald, Fiona. Metropolis: ancient African town, 1998.

**J 306.36209 MACHT** Macht, Norman L. The History of Slavery, 1997.

**J 609.6 OPI** Opini, Bathseba. Africans Thought of It: amazing innovations, 2011.

**J 960.1 RIC** Richardson, Hazel. Life in Ancient Africa, 2005.

**J 745.096 TEMKO** Temko, Florence. Traditional Crafts from Africa, 1996.

**J 967.60049632 WILSON** Wilson, Thomas H. City-states of the Swahili Coast, 1998.

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## **SELECTED WEBSITES**

Africa for Kids: <http://www.africa.mrdonn.org/>

African History: [www.mrdowling.com/609ancafr.html](http://www.mrdowling.com/609ancafr.html)

African Kingdoms: <http://www.timemaps.com/civilization/african-kingdoms>

Ancient Africa for Kids: [www.historyforkids.org/learn/africa](http://www.historyforkids.org/learn/africa)

Ancient African Civilizations - Timeline:

[http://www.humanities.mcmaster.ca/africanhistory/studying\\_africa/ancient.html](http://www.humanities.mcmaster.ca/africanhistory/studying_africa/ancient.html)

Ancient Africa's Black Kingdoms: <http://wysinger.homestead.com/ancientafrica.html>

Ancient African Kingdoms, Village Societies: <http://africa.mrdonn.org/kinship.html>

Ancient African Timeline: <http://www.africahistory.net/africantimeline.htm>

History of Africa: [www.historyworld.net/wrldhis/plaintexthistories.asp?historyid=ab24](http://www.historyworld.net/wrldhis/plaintexthistories.asp?historyid=ab24)

Story of Africa: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/africa/features/storyofafrica/4generic3.shtml>

## **BIBLIOGRAPHY HELP**

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