North Carolina History, Select Bibliography

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BOOKS:

William Link, North *Carolina: Change and Tradition in a Southern State*, 2nd edition, Harlan Davidson, 2018.

> Link's book is the most popular text used in college classrooms today.

Tise and Crow, eds., *New Voyages to Carolina: Reinterpreting North Carolina History,* University of North Carolina Press, 2017.

> The most recent collection of interpretive essays on the major topics of NC history, ranging from colonial warfare to "hillbilly music" to our economy in the 21st century.

Howard E. Covington Jr and Marion A. Ellis, eds., *The North Carolina Century: Tar Heels Who Made a Difference, 1900-2000*, Levine Museum of the New South, 2002.

> If you like having a reference book on your bookshelf this is the one I would recommend.

Rob Christensen, *The Paradox of Tar Heel Politics: The Personalities, Elections, and Events That Shaped Modern North Carolina*, University of North Carolina Press, 2010.

> In my opinion this book is the best single volume on North Carolina politics. It is well-written, informative, and interesting.

Karl Campbell, *Senator Sam Ervin, Last of the Founding Fathers*, University of North Carolina Press, 2007.

> What can I say, this is required reading!

WEBSITES:

NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/

> NCpedia is an online encyclopedia about North Carolina sponsored by UNC Press. As of October 1, 2014, NCpedia included 6,789 entries and 7,037 images!

North Carolina History: A Digital Textbook (8th grade): http://www.learnnc.org/lp/projects/history/

If you want information simple and straight-forward than this is your best source. It is more than just a basic 8th grade textbook. It is a collection of primary sources, readings, and multimedia links.