

## Off-Air Programs

### Behind the Music: 1992

590943 OF  
JS 60 min 2002 Off air

This program looks back at the year in which President George H. Bush publicly criticized rap music, then-governor Bill Clinton played saxophone on late-night television, and the pop music of the '80s gave way to grunge.

United States - History; Social History

### The Book of Pooh

591421 OF  
NPI 30 min CA 2002 Off air

Using Japanese Bunraku puppetry and computer-generated sets, this series features A.A. Milne's classic Pooh characters as they explore the world of pre-literacy, wordplay, and language appreciation through story and song.

Bears - Fiction; Language

### Cars That Think

594498 PB  
JS 30 min CA 2004 WCNY Public Television

*Scientific American Frontiers Series* - The future automobile is discussed.

Automobile Industry; Automobiles

### Champions of the Wild

594115 OF  
JS 30 min CA 2004 Off air

Human protectors and researchers closely observe animals ranging from the familiar (rattlesnake, hippo, chimpanzee) to the exotic (macaque, Tasmanian devil, Vancouver Island marmot). Airs Monday through Friday. To have this taped please call at least 2 days before airing.

Wildlife Management; Wildlife; Science; Animals

### Chasing Freedom Part II

593785 VH, OF  
MJS 30 min 2004 Court Television Network

Four-part film, inspired by true events, depicts the realities of life under the Taliban in Afghanistan and one young woman's attempt to seek political asylum in the U.S. Contains some violence. With Teacher's Guide for Middle School and High School. Part 2 of 4.

United States - Government; Citizenship; Language Arts; Civics; Afghanistan

### The Earliest Immigrants / How Biased Are You?

055034 OF  
JS 60 min CA 2001 Assignment Discovery

Program #1: Two men stumbled across a skull in the Columbia River near Kennewick, Washington. Their 1996 discovery then turned up 350 more bone fragments. A scientist put the bones together and made a remarkable discovery. Find out what the skeleton's clues tell us about migration to North America. Program #2: Discover just how prevalent racial bias is as you watch real-life adults followed with hidden cameras as they interact in various situations with people of different races.

### Homes of the Underground Railroad

592455 VH, OF  
MJS 22 min 2003 Scripps Networks Inc.

The Underground Railroad was a loose collection of individuals united in the belief that slavery was wrong. A few of these brave souls opened their homes to fugitive slaves on the run. They hid the escapees in attics, secret rooms and other hiding places. At stake was the lives of the escapees and the homes of those who had the courage to help them. In *Homes of the Underground Railroad*, viewers will be transported to a world where bravery and risk were part of everyday life. The homes in this program provided more than just shelter, they were beacons of freedom during a dark time in our country.

Slavery in the United States; Afro-Americans; Slavery; Underground Railroad

### Learning to Read: Laying the Foundation for School Success

069032 SA  
T 60 min 2001

*Satellite Town Meeting Series* - Schools and communities around the country are helping young children acquire the literacy skills they need to succeed before they enter their first classroom. The March 2001 *Satellite Town Meeting* will feature programs with strong parent involvement, well-qualified teachers, a wealth of language activities, and ongoing, meaningful communication between adults and children.

### Living Histroy #1-3

591862 PB  
IMJ 60 min CA 2002 WCNY Public Television

A series of programs that illustrate what living in ancient Egypt, Greece and Rome was like. The programs examine the history and the civilizations as well as religion, pastimes, military prowess, and forms of government. They've been filmed on location in many of the countries that once made up these mighty

empires. Air date 10/17/03 off PBS at 1:45-4am.

Civilization, Ancient; Greece, Ancient; Egypt, Ancient

### New York: A Documentary Film

590210 PB  
MJS 90 min CA 2001 WCNY Public Television

New York City, from 1945 to the present, is explored.

New York City; Cities and Towns; New York (State) - History

### Satellite Town Meeting Series

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Learning to Read: Laying the Foundation for School Success [069032]

### Scientific American Frontiers Series

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Cars That Think [594498]

### The Story of Mexico: Battle for North America Pt#3

052049 OF  
MJS 60 min 2000