



## ALBUM [POSTERS WITH SCIENCE CONNECTIONS](#)

### Album Description

The posters from the WPA collection were designed to publicize exhibits, community activities, theatrical productions, as well as health and education programs in seventeen states and the District of Columbia.

The posters could be used to focus on one concept or a broad range of topics. Students could explore recycling, safety, health and national parks through the WPA collection.

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SAVE SCRAP FOR VICTORY

SAVE RUBBER, SAVE RAGS.



### Teaching Notes:

#EarthDay #Recycle #ScrapDrives

<https://blogs.loc.gov/teachers/2020/04/earth-day-at-fifty-april-22/>

**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/98518704/>

Summary: Poster for the Philadelphia Salvage Committee encouraging scrap drives to aid the war effort.

Contributor Names: Federal Art Project, sponsor

Created / Published: [Pennsylvania] : Penna Art WPA, [between 1941 and 1943]

Subject Headings: - World War, 1939-1945--Economic & industrial aspects

- Scrap drives--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia--1940-1950

- Salvage--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia--1940-1950

Notes: - Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

- Approved and released by the Philadelphia Council of Defense.

- Philadelphia Salvage Committee.

Repository: Library of Congress Prints and Photographs Division Washington, D.C. 20540 USA

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RIDE TOGETHER - WORK TOGETHER - SAVE RUBBER FOR VICTORY / BALLINGER.



**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/98517373/>

**Summary:** Poster promoting commuting and working together as part of the war effort.

**Contributor Names:** Ballinger, Harry Russell, 1892-1993, artist

**Federal Art Project,** sponsor

**Created / Published:** Philadelphia, Pa. : War Services Project, [between 1941 and 1943]

**Subject Headings:** - World War, 1939-1945--Economic & industrial aspects

- Rubber--1940-1950

- Commuters--1940-1950

**Notes:** - Philadelphia Metropolitan War Transportation Committee - Mayor Bernard Samuel - Robert A. Mitchell, Administrator.

- Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

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**Digital Id:** cph 3b48820 //hdl.loc.gov/loc.pnp/cph.3b48820



**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/98518443/>

**Summary:** Poster promoting conservation of water for the war effort.

**Contributor Names:** Willcox, Raymond, 1883-, artist

**Federal Art Project,** sponsor

**Created / Published:** [Pennsylvania : WPA War Services Project, between 1941 and 1943]

**Subject Headings:** - World War, 1939-1945--Economic & industrial aspects--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia

- Water supply--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia--1940-1950

- Conservation of natural resources--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia--1940-1950

**Notes:** - Date stamped on recto: Jan 21 '43.

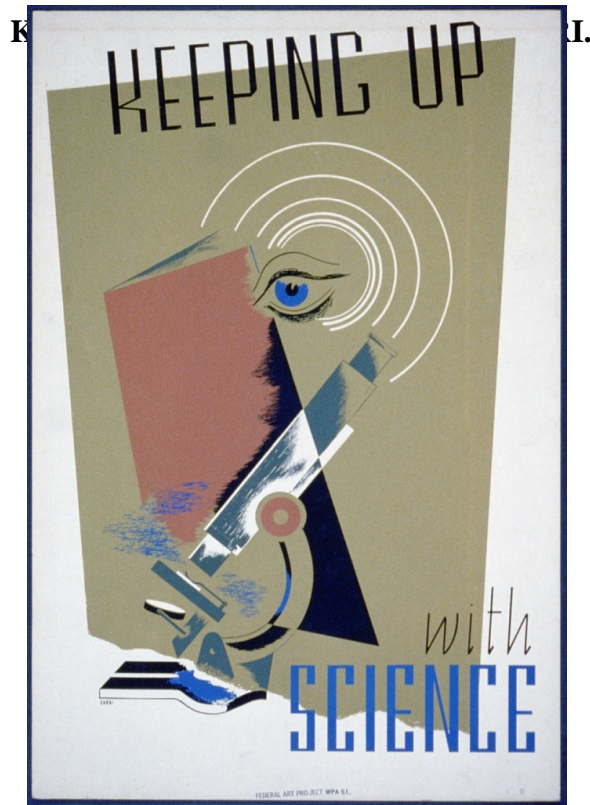
- Sponsored by Philadelphia Council of Defense and the City of Philadelphia Water Bureau.

- Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

- Hand-written on recto in pencil: Artist: Raymond Willcox.

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**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/98518267/>

**Summary:** Poster promoting the study of science, showing a microscope, open book, and an eye.

**Contributor Names:** Weisberg, Shari, artist

**Created / Published:** Ill. : Federal Art Project, WPA, [between 1936 and 1939]

**Subject Headings:** - Science--1930-1940

- Microscopes--1930-1940

- Education--1930-1940

**Notes:** - Date stamped on verso: Sep 7 1939.

- Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

- Posters of the WPA / Christopher DeNoon. Los Angeles : Wheatly Press, c1987, no. 176

- More information about the WPA Posters is available at <http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.pnp/pp.wpapos>

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**Digital Id:** cph 3b48702 //hdl.loc.gov/loc.pnp/cph.3b48702



**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/98517128/>

**Summary:** Poster promoting conservation of parks, showing a tree.

**Contributor Names:** Clough, Stanley Thomas, 1905-, artist

**Created / Published:** Ohio : Federal Art Project, 1938.

**Subject Headings:** - Trees--Ohio--1930-1940

- State parks & reserves--Ohio--1930-1940

- Conservation of natural resources--Ohio--1930-1940

**Notes:** - Date stamped on verso: Jul 20 1938.

- Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

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**Digital Id:** cph 3f05415 //hdl.loc.gov/loc.pnp/cph.3f05415





**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/98518941/>

**Summary:** Poster encouraging visitors to parks to clean up after themselves, showing a man sleeping against a tree next to his picnic lunch.

**Contributor Names:** Katz, Morris, artist

**Created / Published:** Ohio : Federal Art Project, 1937.

**Subject Headings:** - Parks--Ohio--1930-1940

- Conservation of natural resources--Ohio--1930-1940

**Notes:** - Date stamped on verso: Aug 19 1937.

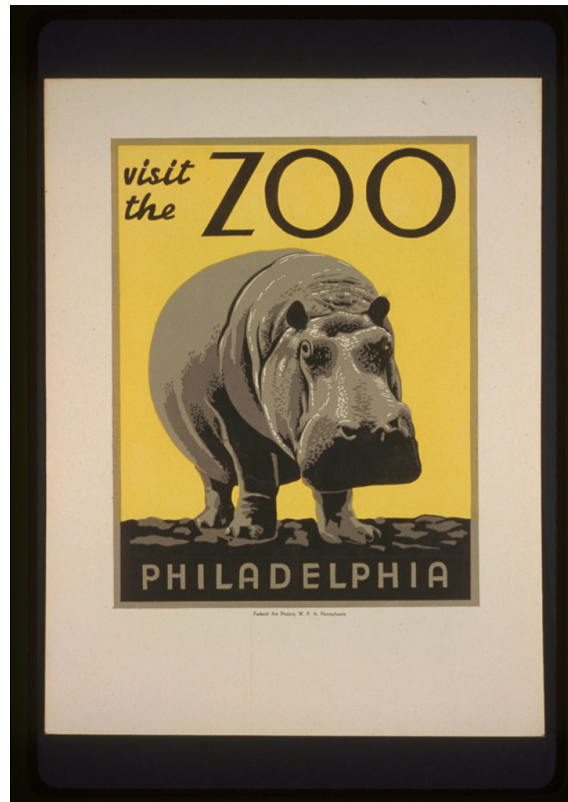
- Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

- Poster design attributed to Samuel Brown and Morris Katz.

- Posters of the WPA / Christopher DeNoon. Los Angeles : Wheatly Press, c1987, no. 147

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**Digital Id:** cph 3b48990 //hdl.loc.gov/loc.pnp/cph.3b48990



**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/94502736/>

Summary: Poster promoting the zoo as a place to visit, showing a hippopotamus.

Created / Published: Pennsylvania : Federal Art Project, W.P.A., [between 1936 and 1941]

Subject Headings: - Hippopotamuses--1930-1950

- Zoos--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia--1930-1950

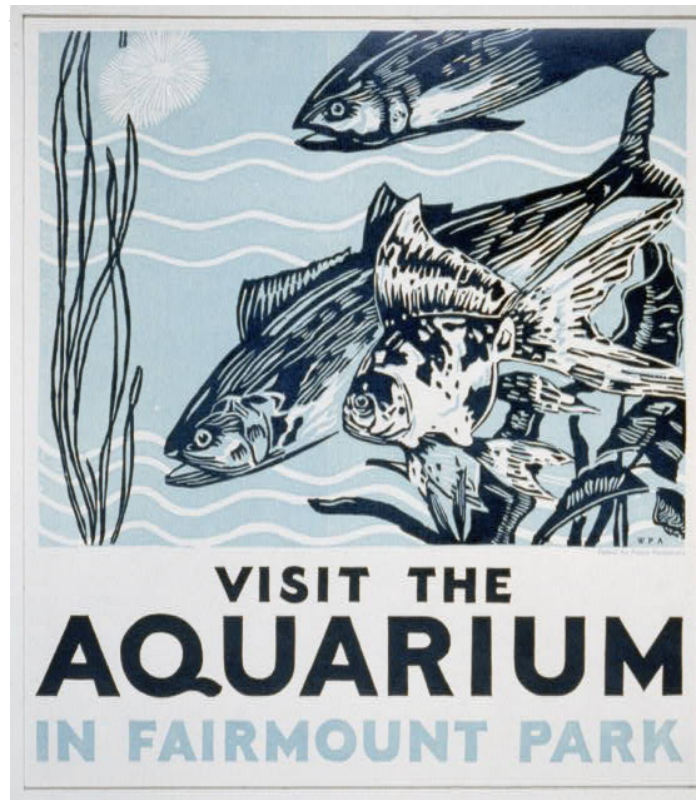
Notes: - Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

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**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/95514347/>

**Summary:** Poster promoting the aquarium in Fairmount Park as a place to visit, showing fish.

**Contributor Names:** Muchley, Robert, artist

**Created / Published:** Pennsylvania : WPA Federal Art Project, [1936 or 1937]

**Subject Headings:** - Fish--Pennsylvania--1930-1940

- Aquariums--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia--1930-1940

- Fairmount Park (Philadelphia, Pa.)--1930-1940

**Notes:** - Date stamped on verso: Aug 4 1937.

- Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

- Promotional goal: U.S. K5. 1937.

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**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/98518422/>

**Summary:** Poster promoting safety in the workplace, showing a wheel with spokes and a locomotive.

**Contributor Names:** Nase, Allan, artist

**Created / Published:** Pennsylvania : WPA Federal Art Project, [1936 or 1937]

**Subject Headings:** - Safety--1930-1940

**Notes:** - Date stamped on verso: Mar 27 1937.

- Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

- Posters of the WPA / Christopher DeNoon. Los Angeles : Wheatly Press, c1987, no. 235

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**Teaching Notes:**

Garret A. Morgan

Innovation/ Inventor

**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/00652398/>

Summary: Poster promoting safe driving showing a traffic signal and a steering wheel.

Contributor Names: Federal Art Project, sponsor

Created / Published: [Missouri] : Missouri W.P.A. Art Project, 1943.

Subject Headings: - Traffic signs & signals--Missouri--1940-1950

- Steering wheels--1940-1950

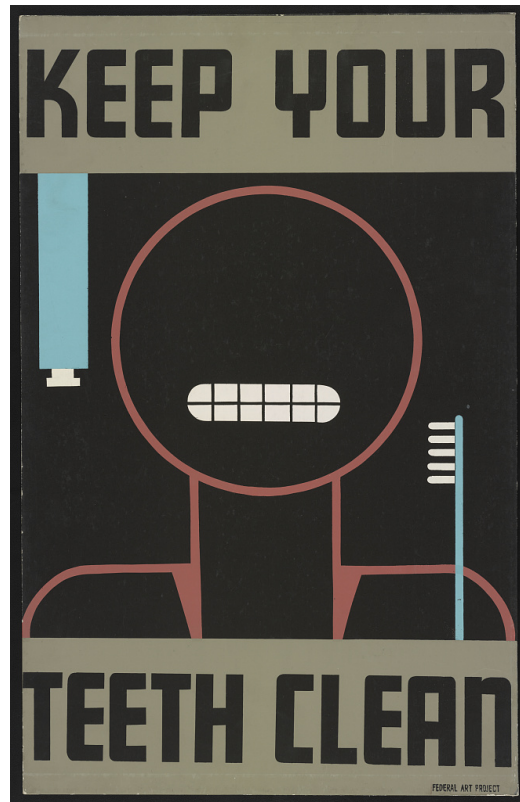
Notes: - Jan. 21 '43.

- Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).

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**Reference Link:** <http://www.loc.gov/item/92517367/>

**Summary:** Poster promoting good oral hygiene, showing stylized face, toothbrush and toothpaste.

**Created / Published:** [Rochester, NY] : Federal Art Project, [between 1936 and 1938]

**Subject Headings:** - Dental hygiene--1930-1940

**Notes:** - Title from item.

- Date stamped on verso: Sep 2 19[38].
- Posters of the WPA / Christopher DeNoon. Los Angeles : Wheatly Press, c1987, no. 215
- More information about the WPA Posters is available at <http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.pnp/pp.wapos>
- Forms part of: Work Projects Administration Poster Collection (Library of Congress).
- Exhibited: "Works Progress Administration (WPA)" at the Memorial Art Gallery, University of Rochester, Rochester, N.Y., Oct. 2015 - Jan. 2016.

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**Teaching Notes:**



[Amara Alexander](#), your poster / science album is fun, thoughtful, and a great idea! I also noticed some math/geometry connections with some of the shapes. Neat idea!