Participate in Sunshine Week!

F-15 Eagles flying in a wedge formation over the clouds.

Do your part by transcribing for Sunshine Week! Each day of this week-long event we’ll release missions based on a historical era. Our goal is to transcribe 2,000 pages this week. Transcriptions created by citizen archivists will enhance searches in our catalog and will be added to DocsTeach, the online tool for
teaching with documents from the National Archives.

What is Sunshine Week? Sunshine Week is a national initiative to promote open government and freedom of information.

Are you ready to accept the challenge? Ready. Set. Transcribe!
See our schedule below for the historical eras of our Sunshine Week transcription missions.

- **Sunday, March 13** – Revolution and the New Nation (1754-1820s) and Expansion and Reform (1801-1861)
- **Monday March 14** – Civil War and Reconstruction (1850-1877)
- **Tuesday, March 15** – The Development of the Industrial United States (1870-1900)
- **Wednesday, March 16** – The Emergence of Modern American (1890-1930)
- **Thursday, March 17** – The Great Depression and World War II (1929-1945)
- **Friday, March 18** – Postwar United States (1945 to early 1970s)
- **Saturday, March 19** – Contemporary United States (1968-Present)

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