

Willis Jr. High *Communications in History* Project

Topic: Rap Music: Creating Social Messages through Music

Search terms – Rap Music, Hip-hop, individual names of Rap and hip-hop performers

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Lommel, Cookie. *The History of Rap Music*. (782.421649 LOMMEL 2001)

Panicciolli, Ernest. *Who shot ya? An Illustrated History of Hip Hop* (781.649 PANICC 2002)

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Websites –

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“Roots, Rhyme, and Rage: the Hip-hop Story.” - a special exhibition at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. <http://www.rockhall.com/exhibitions/past.asp?id=494>

Magazine Database Articles –

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“New Hip-hop Generation Returns to Activism,” *Billboard*, August 12, 2000. Online. *EbscoHost Masterfile Premier*.