

# LOCAL HISTORY IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CURRICULUM\*

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Dr. Joe Olliff, who coordinates social studies for the Richmond County Board of Education, advised that local history is being given increasing emphasis in his county and throughout the United States. Olliff believes that the values of local history have been recognized and demonstrated; he bespoke the need for teachers to utilize them.

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