My Experiences in 1968

By answering the following questions with your real-life experiences during that year, you will help us to form a narrative of everyday life in 1968.

Museum staff will archive answers to these questions in the Museum's Archives to preserve for future generations. Your words will help us all learn for many years to come.

All of these questions relate to the year 1968 (unless otherwise specified). Answer any or all!

When and where were you born? What did your parents do for work?

How old were you in 1968?

Where were you living at the time?

Who did you live with?

What were you doing at that time in your life?

What do you remember most about that year? (personally or nationally, or both!)

Were you concerned about the Vietnam War and/or the Draft?

Were you interested in U.S. politics at the time? What concerned you?

Were you interested in the "Space Race" and the Apollo Program to the Moon?

How did your parents react to the events happening in the United States at the time?

Of all the events that happened around the world and in the U.S., what do you remember most?

Do you remember experiencing or witnessing any kind of inequity or bias (i.e. race/gender/military inequity)?

What were the main methods of communication that you used to learn about the news?

How did you contact your friends and family?

How did you travel?

How did you pay for purchases?

What would you want today's society to know about 1968?

What music were you listening to in 1968?

Tell us anything else about your experiences in 1968 that we may not have asked!