

# QUARTERLY PROGRAM TOPIC REPORT

KCOS -TV EL -PASO, TEXAS

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**Date:** January 1, 2023

## **Abortion**

NOLA: APOC 005086  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company  
Episode Title: Episode 86  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/28/2022 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Reproductive justice expert Kimberly Mutcherson explains the “devastating” consequences of the Supreme Court’s overturn of Roe v. Wade.

NOLA: MLNH 013695  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 95  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/10/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:51

The midterm election was the first since the Supreme Court overturned the constitutional right to an abortion. Since then, 12 states have put in place total bans on the procedure and other states have enacted restrictions. That was top of mind for many voters in this election where access to abortion was on the ballot in some states. Laura Barrón-López joined Judy Woodruff to discuss the results.

## **American History/Biography**

NOLA: FIYO 000806  
Series Title: Finding Your Roots  
Episode Title: Fighters  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/4/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Terry Crews and Tony Danza discover they are not the first in their families to overcome adversity.

NOLA: US00 000000  
Series Title: USO - For the Troops  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/11/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:00:00

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Examine the ways the USO has lifted the spirits of American service personnel for more than 75 years. See how the organization keeps military men and women connected to country, home, family and hope, abroad and on the home front.

NOLA: FIYO 000810  
Series Title: Finding Your Roots  
Episode Title: Where Did We Come From?  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:46

Henry Louis Gates, Jr. journeys with Erin Burnett, Amy Carlson and André Leon Talley, three guests from diverse backgrounds, as they meet the ancestors who laid the groundwork for their success.

## Arts

NOLA: MLNH 013669  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 69  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:40

Singer Linda Ronstadt sold millions of records, performed for over four decades and made history as the first woman to have three consecutive platinum albums. Her new book, "Feels Like Home: A Song for the Sonoran Borderlands," offers a different window into her life as she reflects on her roots. Jeffrey Brown spoke with Ronstadt for our arts and culture series, "CANVAS."

Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Buffy Sainte-Marie: Carry It On  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 11/22/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 02:56:46

Madison Thomas' feature documentary is a joyous, challenging account of this cultural and musical icon's lifelong commitment to music and sharing the truth. Buffy shares her own story, from her early love of music to the activism she continues to this day, despite her career being suppressed because of it. Additional interviews include Alanis Obomsawin, Joni Mitchell, Robbie Robertson and many others whose lives Buffy has touched.

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NOLA: AMMS 003503  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: The Adventures of Saul Bellow  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:26:10

Explore Nobel Prize winner Saul Bellow's impact on American literature and how he navigated through issues of his time, including race, gender and the Jewish immigrant experience. Featuring interviews with Philip Roth, Salman Rushdie and others.

## **Business/Industry**

NOLA: MLNH 013705  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 105  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/24/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:03

Steve Case is best known for his role as a co-founder and the former CEO of America Online, the trailblazing internet company that made the world wide web more accessible to everyday Americans. Now he's putting his entrepreneurial skills to use to help people launch their own businesses. Case joined Judy Woodruff to discuss his efforts and his new book, "The Rise of the Rest."

NOLA: MLNH 013730  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 130  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/29/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:13

Southwest Airlines has created a website for travelers impacted by the thousands of flight cancellations over the past week. The airline said it will reimburse passengers who paid for alternative travel arrangements, hotels, meals, rental cars and fuel. The company hopes to be back to normal operations on Friday. Alison Sider of the Wall Street Journal joined Stephanie Sy to discuss the latest.

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## Community Politics, Government

NOLA: APOC 005073  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company  
Episode Title: Episode 73  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2022 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:17:29

From the classroom to the workplace, many American boys and men are struggling. According to author Richard Reeves, decades of government efforts to empower women and girls have produced results -- but males are being sidelined by the modern economy. Reeves joins Hari Sreenivasan to explain how this issue might be addressed.

## Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement

NOLA: MLNH 013671  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 71  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/7/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:40

New details have been revealed in an ongoing FBI investigation of Hunter Biden. The Washington Post reported that federal investigators believe they have enough evidence to charge the president's son with tax crimes and making a false statement related to a gun purchase. Washington Post reporter Devlin Barrett joined Laura Barrón-López to discuss the case.

NOLA: WWIR 006222  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Episode Title: Episode 22  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/25/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:10

After mass shootings in Colorado and Virginia, Americans are again in mourning over gun violence. Plus, a growing number of high-profile Republicans call on the party to move on from Donald Trump. Join moderator Yamiche Alcindor, Toluse Olorunnipa of The Washington Post, Dave Phillips of The New York Times, Susan Page of USA Today and Heidi Pryzbyla of Politico to discuss these stories and more.

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## Culture

NOLA: APOC 005069  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company  
Episode Title: Episode 69  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2022 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:02:57

Stanley Tucci discusses the new season of his hit travel series "Searching for Italy."

NOLA: SEDE 002004  
Series Title: Secrets of the Dead  
Episode Title: Hidden in the Amazon  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2022 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Recent discoveries and technological advances shed new light on our understanding of pre-Columbian societies in the Amazon. Scientists speculate the rainforest was home to between 8 and 10 million people living in large, well-established communities.

NOLA: INLE 002108  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: Leftover Women  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 12/5/2022 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Meet three Chinese women labeled "leftover," a derogatory term for unmarried women in their mid-20s and 30s. Follow them as they struggle to stay true to their ambitions amid a state-sponsored campaign that stigmatizes women who aren't married.

## Economy

NOLA: MLNH 013675  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 75  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/13/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS

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**Format:** News (live news only)

**Segment Length:** 00:05:36

For older Americans and retirees, there was some helpful news to accompany the latest inflation report. Americans taking Social Security will see an 8.7% bump in their benefits. That's starting in January thanks to the 2023 cost of living adjustment, known as the Social Security COLA. But how much will it help? Economics Correspondent Paul Solman breaks it down.

**NOLA:** NOVA 004918

**Series Title:** NOVA

**Episode Title:** Crypto Decoded

**Length:** 60 minutes

**Airdate:** 11/9/2022 8:00:00 PM

**Service:** PBS-NPS

**Format:** Documentary

**Segment Length:** 00:56:46

From Bitcoin to NFTs, crypto is making headlines. But what exactly is it, and how does it work? Go beyond the hype and skepticism to unravel the truth behind a technology some say will revolutionize more than just money.

**NOLA:** APOC 005129

**Series Title:** Amanpour and Company

**Episode Title:** Episode 129

**Length:** 60 minutes

**Airdate:** 12/28/2022 10:00:00 PM

**Service:** PBS-PLUS

**Format:** Interview/Discussion/Review

**Segment Length:** 00:26:46

IMF managing director Kristalina Georgieva discusses global instability. Chilean president Gabriel Boric explains why he's calling his country to fight for democracy. Author Erich Schwartzel reveals the surprising role of the movie business in the high-stakes contest between the U.S. and China.

## Education

**NOLA:** AMDO 003510

**Series Title:** POV

**Episode Title:** Accepted

**Length:** 90 minutes

**Airdate:** 10/10/2022 9:00:00 PM

**Service:** PBS-NPS

**Format:** Documentary

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Follow four high school students at a prep school in Louisiana that sends 100% of its grads to college, rocked by scandal as an article exposes the controversial methods of its dynamic founder – and the fiction of higher education's promise.

NOLA: APOC 005101  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company  
Episode Title: Episode 101  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/18/2022 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:17:48

Yale and Harvard Law Schools have withdrawn their participation from the key university ranking system by the U.S. News and World Report, saying it undermines the commitments of the legal profession. Despite taking the top spot every year, Yale was the first to announce this change. Heather Gerken is the dean of Yale Law School and speaks with Michel Martin about their decision.

NOLA: AMDO 003513  
Series Title: POV  
Episode Title: Let the Little Light Shine  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2022 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:26:46

National Teachers Academy (NTA) is a top-ranked, high-performing elementary school in a growing south side Chicago neighborhood. As the neighborhood gentrifies, a wealthy parents group seeks to close NTA and replace it with a high school campus.

## Employment

NOLA: MLNH 013671  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 71  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/7/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:35

The September jobs report shows the economy and employment market cooling but remaining steady. The labor market added 263,000 jobs, but that's down from the first half of the year when roughly 400,000 jobs were created a month. Stocks sank on Wall Street as investors feared more interest rate hikes. Economics correspondent Paul Solman reports.

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## Environment/Nature/Geography

NOLA: RIVL 000202  
Series Title: Rivers of Life  
Episode Title: Danube  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Europe's mighty and majestic Danube, full of glorious riches and magical surprises, is the world's most international river. See how its epic journey is like no other - featuring stunning secret tributaries, baby turtles, and a waterfall-riding kayaker.

NOLA: NAAT 004104  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: American Ocelot  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Dive deep into South Texas to meet one of the United States' most endangered wild cats: the ocelot. With about 80 known ocelots remaining in the country, the future of the American ocelot population relies on ranchers and scientists working together.

NOLA: NAAT 004006  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Penguins: Meet the Family  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/7/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

A unique celebration of one of Earth's most iconic and beloved birds, featuring all 18 species of penguins for the first time, from New Zealand, Cape Town, the Galapagos Islands and Antarctica. Witness the perils penguins face for survival, from rock climbing to extreme temperatures to predators. Meet the penguins that seem out of place, making their living in dense forests, desert islands and even city streets. Watch how these creatures parent and form lifelong bonds. Discover how scientists identified 37 new colonies of Emperor penguins in Antarctica without even traveling to the continent. Experience penguins' heart-warming family dynamics, like chicks bonding with their fathers, alongside astonishing adaptations and behaviors unique to these aquatic birds.



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## Family/Marriage

NOLA: FIYO 000807  
Series Title: Finding Your Roots  
Episode Title: Forgotten Journeys  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/18/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Henry Louis, Jr. helps John Leguizamo and Lena Waithe retrace the paths of their ancestors, uncovering crucial pieces of their own identities that were lost on the journey to America.

NOLA: FIYO 000614  
Series Title: Finding Your Roots  
Episode Title: Flight  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/1/2022 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Other  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Henry Louis Gates, Jr. meets actors Scarlett Johansson and Lupita Nyong'o and chef Lidia Bastianich, whose families crisscrossed the globe to escape oppression and find opportunity, leaving them with questions about those who stayed behind.

NOLA: AMEX 001904  
Series Title: American Experience  
Episode Title: Test Tube Babies  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2022 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

She was described in the press as the "Baby of the Century." When Louise Brown, the world's first successful test tube baby, was born in Great Britain on July 25, 1978, the event was heralded as the beginning of a technological revolution in human reproduction. It was also the culmination of a decade-long effort, involving scientists on both sides of the Atlantic, to help a woman conceive through in vitro fertilization, or IVF. This is the story of two doctors -- New York gynecologist Landrum Shettles and British physiologist Robert Edwards -- whose work became the locus of debate over the limits of science and a precursor of the current debate over cloning and stem cell research.

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## Health/Health Care

NOLA: NOVA 004911  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Ending HIV in America  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:26:46

Almost 40 years after the discovery of HIV could we be on the verge of ending the AIDS epidemic in America? How did scientists tackle one of the most elusive deadly viruses to ever infect humans? Can innovative drugs bring new infections to zero?

NOLA: MLNH 013691  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 91  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/4/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:09

Pierce and Melissa McKay are a mother and son living in Brentwood, Tennessee, just outside of Nashville. When the COVID pandemic began, the McKays found themselves without the vital school and community resources Pierce needed to navigate life as an autistic adult. They share their Brief But Spectacular take on adapting to new challenges while living with autism.

NOLA: AMEX 001904  
Series Title: American Experience  
Episode Title: Test Tube Babies  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2022 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
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## Immigration/Refugees

NOLA: AMDO 003509  
Series Title: POV  
Episode Title: The Last Out  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 10/3/2022 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:26:46

Three Cuban baseball players leave their families and risk exile to chase their major leagues dreams. At the shadowy nexus of the migrant trail and pro sports, these athletes try to hold onto their hope while fighting for a better life.

NOLA: MLNH 013697  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 97  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:42

Britain will pay France at least \$75 million a year in a deal designed to reduce illegal migration across the English Channel. A record 40,000 asylum seekers have crossed so far this year. As part of the deal, the French will step up efforts to stop smugglers and British officers will be stationed in French immigration control centers. Special correspondent Malcolm Brabant reports.

NOLA: MLNH 013723  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 123  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/20/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:12

In normal times, asylum seekers who make it to the U.S. border are entitled to a hearing. But during the pandemic, emergency rule Title 42 allowed officials to deport certain migrants. Monday, the Supreme Court put a hold on a lower court's decision to end Title 42, but that may only last a few days. El Paso Deputy City Manager Mario D'Agostino joined William Brangham to discuss the situation.

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## Media

NOLA: APOC 005082  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company  
Episode Title: Episode 82  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/24/2022 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:55:38

Fraser Nelson and Ayesha Hazarika discuss Britain's new prime minister, Rishi Sunak. Clea Newman Soderlund reflects on the legacy of her father, actor Paul Newman. Reuben J. Miller explains how he thinks the U.S. needs to fight crime. British Vogue Editor-in-Chief Edward Enninful discusses his future at the publication.

NOLA: APOC 005103  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company  
Episode Title: Episode 103  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/22/2022 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:55:38

The EU's climate policy chief, Frans Timmermans joins the show after COP27 in Egypt. Cody Keenan's "Grace" recounts efforts by President Obama to console when a white supremacist killed nine Black parishioners. Brandon Wolf survived the Pulse shooting and has since become a gun safety and LGBTQ civil activist. The only openly gay top-flight male soccer player on the World Cup in Qatar.

NOLA: FLMH 000624  
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover  
Episode Title: Maria Ressa  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/9/2022 7:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:46

Maria Ressa, a Nobel Peace Prize-winning journalist who faces life in prison for standing up to authoritarianism in the Philippines, discusses how the spread of false news through social media threatens democracy and the importance of a free press.

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## Minorities/Civil Rights

NOLA: MBAM 000102  
Series Title: Making Black America: Through the Grapevine  
Episode Title: Episode 2  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Hour two explores how African Americans turn within, creating a community that not only sustains but empowers. From HBCUs to Black businesses to the Harlem Renaissance to political organizations, Black life flourished.

NOLA: MLNH 013696  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 96  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/11/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:55

Half of the people whose first language is Kodiak Alutiiq have died over the last few years. The Alaska Native Sun'aq Tribe estimates fewer than 20 remain, but that is not stopping new speakers from learning the endangered language and passing along a distinct culture and worldview to the next generations. KTOO Public Radio's Claire Stremple reports for our arts and culture series, "CANVAS."

NOLA: IADK 000000  
Series Title: In A Different Key  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 12/13/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:56:46

A mother tracks down the first person diagnosed with autism to learn if his life holds promise for her own autistic son. She documents both cruelty and kindness, but also hope that more of us are learning to have the backs of those who are different.

## National Politics/Government

NOLA: FLMH 000615  
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover  
Episode Title: Cori Bush  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/7/2022 7:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS

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Progressive 'Squad' member Rep. Cori Bush (D-Mo.) discusses surviving sexual assault and her experience with abortion as she is out with a memoir. She discusses her role in the Black Lives Matters protests, policing, and other policy priorities.

**NOLA:** APOC 005088

**Series Title:** Amanpour and Company

**Episode Title:** Episode 88

**Length:** 60 minutes

**Airdate:** 11/1/2022 10:00:00 PM

**Service:** PBS-PLUS

**Format:** Interview/Discussion/Review

**Segment Length:** 00:55:37

Stanford's Director of Iranian Studies, Abbas Milani, discusses the new flareup of protests in Iran. "The Sum of Us" podcast host Heather McGhee weighs in on threats to affirmative action. Political scientist Barbara F. Walter explains the takeaways from her new book "How Civil Wars Start."

**NOLA:** WWIR 006223

**Series Title:** Washington Week

**Episode Title:** Episode 23

**Length:** 30 minutes

**Airdate:** 12/2/2022 7:00:00 PM

**Service:** PBS-NPS

**Format:** Interview/Discussion/Review

**Segment Length:** 00:24:10

House Democrats elect a new, historic leadership team as Republicans disagree over who should lead as they take power. Plus, the Jan. 6 committee weighs whether to make criminal referrals to the Justice Department. Join moderator Yamiche Alcindor, Nia-Malika Henderson of CNN, Michael C. Bender of The New York Times, Weijia Jiang of CBS News and Asma Khalid of NPR to discuss these stories and more.

## Religion/Ethics

**NOLA:** LWIN 000104

**Series Title:** Lucy Worsley Investigates

**Episode Title:** The Witch Hunts

**Length:** 60 minutes

**Airdate:** 10/2/2022 7:00:00 PM

**Service:** PBS-NPS

**Format:** Documentary

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What started Britain's century of bloody witch hunts? Lucy Worsley uncovers the story of one supposed witch, whose case lit the fuse for the state-sanctioned killing of thousands.

NOLA: INLE 002110  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: We Believe in Dinosaurs  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 12/19/2022 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

We Believe in Dinosaurs tells the story of the building of an enormous, \$120 million Noah's Ark at the Creation Museum in rural Williamstown, Kentucky, an exhibit designed to prove the Bible is scientifically and historically accurate. Along with detailing the Ark's preparation, the film follows several Kentuckians: Doug and his team of artists and designers who create lifelike animals; Dan, a geologist who blows the whistle on the Ark's hiring practices; David, a former creationist and lifetime museum member who blogs critically about beliefs he once held; and atheist activist Jim Helton, co-founder of Tri-State Freethinkers, who leads a protest rally outside the Ark on opening day. As the citizens of Williamstown wait for the economic boon promised by the Ark's founders, creationists spread the gospel of a 6,000 year-old Earth. We Believe in Dinosaurs explores the roots of our beliefs.

## Science/Technology

NOLA: NOVA 004914  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Computers v. Crime  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Across the country, artificial intelligence is helping inform decisions about policing and criminal sentencing. This timely investigation digs into the hidden biases, privacy risks, and design flaws of this controversial technology.

NOLA: NOVA 004919  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Zero to Infinity  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/16/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:52:05

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Discover how the concepts of zero and infinity revolutionized mathematics.

NOLA: NOVA 004414  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Ghosts of Stonehenge  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/7/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Who built Stonehenge and why? Discover how the last decade of groundbreaking archaeological digs has revealed major new clues to Britain's enigmatic 5,000-year-old site and the people who constructed it.

## Transportation

NOLA: MLNH 013680  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 80  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/20/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:27

For decades, many cities in California have enacted bans against cruising, where people parade their custom-built low-rider cars on city streets. But recently there's been a push to overturn those ordinances, which many argue have been used to unfairly target Latinos. William Brangham reports for our arts and culture series, "CANVAS."

NOLA: MLNH 013728  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 128  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/27/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:42

Blizzard conditions kept planes grounded at airports nationwide this week, with thousands more flights canceled Tuesday. But Southwest Airlines is the focus of passenger anger after it canceled far more flights than any other major carrier. U.S. Secretary of Transportation Pete Buttigieg joined Judy Woodruff to discuss how the department will hold Southwest accountable.



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## War/Veterans/National Security

NOLA: APOC 005084  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company  
Episode Title: Episode 84  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2022 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:18:11

Andrei Kelin, Russian ambassador to the U.K., says that Moscow using nuclear weapons is “out of the question.” John Kerry discusses climate ahead of the COP27 summit. Investigative journalist Yevgenia Albats, who fled Russia for her safety earlier this year, explains why she will never stop fighting for truth.

NOLA: US00 000000  
Series Title: USO - For the Troops  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/11/2022 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:00:00

Examine the ways the USO has lifted the spirits of American service personnel for more than 75 years. See how the organization keeps military men and women connected to country, home, family and hope, abroad and on the home front.

NOLA: FRON 004107  
Series Title: FRONTLINE  
Episode Title: Crime Scene: Bucha  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2022 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Investigating Russian war crimes through eyewitness accounts, videos and exclusive 3D data. With the AP and SITU, mapping the atrocities in Bucha, Ukraine. Also, the story of a family’s struggle to reunite after separation at the U.S.-Mexico border.

## Women

NOLA: FLMH 000616  
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover  
Episode Title: Masih Alinejad  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/14/2022 7:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:46

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Exiled Iranian journalist and activist Masih Alinejad calls the protests in Iran over the government's brutal treatment of women a revolution that will bring down the regime. She also says the U.S. should do much more to support the protestors.

NOLA: AMEX 001904  
Series Title: American Experience  
Episode Title: Test Tube Babies  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2022 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

She was described in the press as the "Baby of the Century." When Louise Brown, the world's first successful test tube baby, was born in Great Britain on July 25, 1978, the event was heralded as the beginning of a technological revolution in human reproduction. It was also the culmination of a decade-long effort, involving scientists on both sides of the Atlantic, to help a woman conceive through in vitro fertilization, or IVF. This is the story of two doctors -- New York gynecologist Landrum Shettles and British physiologist Robert Edwards -- whose work became the locus of debate over the limits of science and a precursor of the current debate over cloning and stem cell research.

## Youth

NOLA: MLNH 013674  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 74  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:12:13

In the battleground state of Wisconsin, recent statewide elections have been decided by the narrowest of margins. Younger Americans traditionally show up to the polls at lower rates than older generations, but one recent study suggests youth could play a decisive role this November. Judy Woodruff sat down with a group of high school and college students who will be voting for the first time.

NOLA: MLNH 013713  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Episode Title: Episode 113  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2022 6:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-NPS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:16

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Overdose deaths caused by fentanyl are on the rise across the country. It's especially grim for young people, with more than 75 percent of adolescent overdose deaths in 2021 involving the powerful synthetic opioid. In response, many schools have stocked up on Narcan, a medication used to reverse overdoses. Stephanie Sy reports from Sacramento, where Narcan is now available at all K-12 schools.

## The Educational and Informational Needs of Children

NOLA: PIPE  
Series Title Pinkalicious & Peterrific  
Episode Title: Slumber Party/Puptastic  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/22 10:30:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:28:46

Pinkalicious hosts a Princess of Pink slumber party, but one of her friends gets homesick and isn't sure she wants to spend the night! Pinkalicious, Lila and Jasmine imagine a friendly pink dragon named Gertie to help them out. / Pinkalicious is excited when the Plums let her puppy-sit Pinky, their cute but nervous poodle. To coax her to come out of her shell, Pinkalicious and Peter pretend to be dogs and get Pinky to start playing with them. But when Pinky accidentally turns pink, is the doggy fun over?

NOLA: AHTH  
Series Title Arthur and the Haunted Tree House  
Episode Title:  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/21/22 9:30:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:58:46

This Halloween is sure to be the spookiest ever for Arthur and his friends. While trick-or-treating, Francine meets an elderly woman with a very mysterious past, while Binky finds himself at Mr. Ratburn's amazing haunted house (that's scarier than math class!). And as for Arthur, Buster, and Ladonna? Their tree house sleepover seems to be haunted? but by what?

NOLA: CGHA  
Series Title Curious George: A Halloween Boo Fest  
Episode Title:  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/25/22 8:00:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:58:46

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Halloween's almost here! Hang onto your hats! It's George's first Halloween in the country, and Bill tells him and Allie about the Legend of No Noggin -- a spooky tale about a hat-kicking scarecrow who haunts the countryside on Halloween. But is the legend really real? George and Allie are determined to find out by taking a picture of No Noggin in hat-kicking action. But first George needs to figure out what he's going to be for Halloween so he can win the costume contest at the town Boo Festival. Will George's quest for the perfect costume interfere with his quest for the truth? Only the curious will find out!

NOLA: DTIG  
Series Title Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood  
Episode Title: Thank You, Grandpere Tiger!/Neighborhood Thank You Day  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/22 8:30:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:28:46

Thank You, Grandpere Tiger! - Grandpere Tiger comes to visit, but is only in town for a short while. Daniel is sad that Grandpere can't come to the special Thank You Day celebration later that day. Daniel learns to be thankful for the time they DO have together, and is then surprised when Grandpere appears at the celebration after all! Neighborhood Thank You Day - The neighborhood celebrates Thank You Day by putting notes in the Thank You Tree. Daniel has trouble deciding what to put in his note. Then, when a gust of wind blows the notes off of the tree, Mr. McFeely saves the day by catching and delivering everybody's thank you notes!

NOLA: ATHA  
Series Title Arthur Thanksgiving  
Episode Title:  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/24/22 7:00:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:58:46

Arthur and his family are getting ready for Thanksgiving! But when Pal disappears to go on his own adventure, family, friends and the rest of Elwood City try to get Pal home. Will they be able to celebrate the best Thanksgiving yet?

NOLA: DKYH  
Series Title Donkey Hodie  
Episode Title: Acornball/Super Duper Magic Fun Box  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/30/22 9:30:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:28:46

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Donkey and Panda can't wait for Gameshow Gator's new game. To pass the time, they make up their own game: Acornball!/Donkey and Panda disagree on which toys from the Super Duper Magic Fun Box are fun. Does this mean they can't be friends anymore?

NOLA: CAHC  
Series Title The Cat in the Hat Knows A Lot About Christmas!  
Episode Title:  
Length: 60minutes  
Airdate: 12/23/22 11:00:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:58:46

This adventure finds the Cat in the Hat, Nick and Sally on a journey around the world to help a lost reindeer find his way home to Freezeyourknees Snowland in time for Christmas. On the way, the Thingamajigger breaks down and they depend on a variety of animals -- from African bush elephants to bottlenose dolphins to red crabs -- and their remarkable abilities to help them make an amazing journey home.

NOLA: NATN  
Series Title Nature Cat: A Nature Carol  
Episode Title:  
Length: 60minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/22 10:30:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:58:46

In the tradition of the Dickens holiday classic, Nature Cat is visited by the spirits of Nature Past (Daisy), Present (Squeeks) and Future (Hal) on Christmas Eve.

NOLA: ARPC  
Series Title Arthur's Perfect Christmas  
Episode Title:  
Length: 60minutes  
Airdate: 12/15/22 9:00:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:58:46

Plans are underway in Elwood City for the best holidays ever as Arthur, D.W., their family and friends make preparations for perfect gifts, perfect parties and perfect family traditions for Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa and even "Baxter Day" (Buster and his mom's special celebration). The only problem is, just like in real life, perfection is hard to attain, and things start to fall apart.