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Art			
Arts/ Opera	Great Performances: IlTrovatore	1/22/2016 9 pm 2 hrs	Verdi's classic opera stars Anna Netrebko in her Met role debut as Leonora. Dmitri Hvorostovsky sings Count di Luna, with Yonghoon Lee as Manrico, the title character, Štefan Kocán as Ferrando and Dolora Zajick as the gypsy Azucena.
Arts/Musical	Live from Lincoln Richard Tucker Opera Gala: From Bocelli to Barton	2/5/2016 9 pm 2 hrs.	A perennial highlight of the opera season returns to PBS with a star- studded galaxy of great voices. This year, Renée Fleming and 2015 Richard Tucker Award winner Jamie Barton are joined by Andrea Bocelli, Angela Gheorghiu, Lawrence Brownlee, Christine Goerke, Isabel Leonard and Piotr Beczala, along with the fresh new face of Nadine Sierra.
Arts/ Ballet	Independent Lens: A Ballerina's Tale	2/8/2016 10 pm 2 hr	Explore the rise of Misty Copeland, who made history as the first AfricanAmerican female principal dancer with the prestigious American Ballet Theater. Get an intimate look at this groundbreaking dancer during a crucial period in her life.
Arts/ singer- songsriter	American Masters: Carole King	2/19/2016 9 pm 1 hr.	Delve into the hit singer-songwriter's life and career from 1960s New York to the music mecca of '70s LA to the present. King joins collaborators and family in new interviews, while rare home movies, performances and photos complete the tapestry.

Arts/ Country music /singer-songsriter	American Masters: Loretta Lynn	3/4/2016 9 pm 1 hr.	The story of country legend's hard- fought road to stardom. From her Appalachian roots to the Oscar- winning biopic Coal Miner's Daughter, Loretta Lynn struggled to balance family and her music career and is still going strong over 50 years later.
Arts / Local Arts	The Scene –	3/31/2016 9:30 pm 30 mins	A look at the local artists from WHRO's award winning online series <i>The Scene</i> . Born out of the fact that Hampton Roads is culturally & artistically one of the richest places on the East Coast. Included are interviews to find out what they are currently involved in, and what their next big artistic ventures will be.
Education			
Education/ cognitive development	PBS NewsHour	1/19/2016 7 pm 1 hr 07:07 seg	How home visits for vulnerable moms boost kids' brainpower: A rapidly expanding medical program for low-income first-time mothers combines social services with the latest in brain science. The Nurse- Family Partnership provides in-home
			advice on health and parenting, which can lead to improved cognitive development and language skills for their children, who are showing up to school better prepared for learning.
Education/ digital divide	PBS NewsHour	1/22/2016 7 pm 1 hr 07:21 seg	Wi-Fi-enabled school buses leave no child offline: The digital divide and lack of reliable Internet access at home can put low-income and rural students at a real disadvantage. So when superintendent Darryl Adams took over one of the poorest school district in the nation, he made it a top priority to help his students get

			online 24/7.
Education/ vocational training	PBS NewsHour	1/26/2016 7 pm 1 hr. prgm. 08:39 seg.	Should more kids skip college for workforce training? Of all the U.S. high school students who graduate high school and go on to college, a large proportion will never earn their degree. How can educators better train those who may struggle in trying to pick a course of study? One solution may lie in putting greater emphasis on high school vocational training, but critics disagree. Special correspondent John Tulenko of Education Week reports.
Education/ preschool	PBS NewsHour	2/2/2016 7 pm 1 hr. prgm. 08:01 seg	Children in Oklahoma don't wait for kindergarten to begin public education; there's preschool for anyone who wants it. While costly, the government program has been hailed for the long-term benefits and has become a national model. Special correspondent Cat Wise reports from Tulsa.
Education/ improving graduation rates	Independent Lens: The Graduates	3/21/2016 10 pm 2 hr	This two-part special examines the many roots of the Latino dropout crisis through the eyes of six inspiring young students who are part of an ongoing effort to increase graduation rates for a growing Latino population. These student profiles offer a first-hand perspective on the challenges facing many Latino high school students, including over- crowded schools, crime-ridden neighborhoods, teen pregnancy and pressure to contribute to the family finances.
Education/ higher education accessibility	Charlie Rose	3/24/2016 11 pm 09:36 seg.	A conversation with Nicole Hurd, C.E.O. and founder of the College Advising Corps, about higher education advising for low-income and first-generation students.

Education/ improving graduation rates	The Rule	3/28/2016 2 pm 1.5 hrs	This documentary tells a rare story of success. In Newark, New Jersey, where the average high school graduation rate is abysmal, St. Benedict's Prep is the exception — with a near 100 percent college acceptance rate. Filmmakers Marylou and Jerome Bongiorno profile the school and the Benedictine monks of Newark Abbey to see how they achieve success among a vulnerable population of inner-city African-American and Latino teenage boys.
Environment			
Environment /	Earth's Natural	1/20/2016	Explore wonders created by the
Oceans	Wonders: Wonders of	10 pm	awesome and unpredictable power
	Water	1 hr	of water. Above Victoria Falls in Zambia, a fisherman and his brothers brave crocodiles, elephants and the risk of being swept to their deaths, in order to reach fishing pools at the edge of the Falls. In Europe's secret water world of the Camargue, a young man duels with a savage bull in a centuries-old contest of man- versus-nature. And, among the world's richest ocean reefs, a guardian must hunt down an elusive manta ray among ferocious currents to help save the species.
Environment /	Charlie Rose	2/22/2016	Bill Gates, co-chair of the Bill &
Climate change		11 pm	Melinda Gates Foundation, discusses
		1 hr. prgm.	his work to fight climate change.
Environment / sea levels	PBS NewsHour	2/23/2016 7 pm 1 hr. prgm. 5:11 seg	What do rising sea levels mean for future generations? According to a trio of new studies, sea levels rose faster over the past century than at any other point over the last 2800

			years. Scientists say this is definitive proof that human actions are directly contributing to rising water levels. Hari Sreenivasan talks to Benjamin Strauss of Climate Central for more on the emerging environmental crisis and what it might mean for future generations.
Environment / Oceans	NOVA: Lethal Seas	3/9/2016 9 pm 1 hr	Marine scientists across the world are hunting for clues to one of the greatest environmental catastrophes facing our planet today: ocean acidification. For years we've known the ocean absorbs about a quarter of the carbon dioxide in Earth's atmosphere. But as carbon emissions continue to rise, seawater chemistry is changing, and the ocean's acidity is increasing. As a result, many marine animals struggle to form the skeletons and shells vital for their survival. From the planet's poles to the tropics, thousands of species are in danger How will the ocean's incredible creatures adapt and evolve in the face of this challenge? NOVA joins scientists from around the world as they race to save our oceans from an uncertain fate.
Environment / Atlantic Ocean oil drilling	PBS NewsHour	3/15/2016 7 pm 30mins 04:01 seg	The Obama administration has banned oil drilling in the Atlantic Ocean, citing local opposition and military and commercial interests.
Government			
United States of America	President Obama's State of the Union	1/12/2016 9 pm 2 hrs.	Live coverage of President Obama's final State of the Union Address. PBS NEWSHOUR provides coverage of the president's speech and the

			Republican response, along with NEWSHOUR analysis.
Commonwealth of Virginia	State of The Commonwealth Address	1/13/2016 7 pm 1 hr.	Live coverage of Governor McAuliffe's State of the Commonwealth Address from the state capitol in Richmond, VA.
Presidential election	Democratic Presidential Debate	2/11/2016 9 pm 2 hr.	Live from Milwaukee, Wisconsin, PBS NEWSHOUR co-anchors and managing editors Gwen Ifill and Judy Woodruff will moderate the DNC- sanctioned debate, the first Democratic presidential debate following the Iowa caucuses and New Hampshire primary.
History			
History/ American 19 th and 20 th century	Finding Your Roots, Season 3	Tuesdays 1/5 - 3/8/2016 8 pm 1 hr.	Harvard scholar, Henry Louis Gates, Jr., delves into the genealogy of 27 prominent Americans. Each story illuminates the vast patchwork of ethnicity, race and experience that makes up the fabric of America.
History/ WWI	NOVA: Secret Tunnel Warfare	1/6/2016 10 pm 1 hr	During World War I, the Allies and Germans repeatedly struggled to break the hideous stalemate of trench warfare. In the winter of 1916, Allied engineers devised a massive surprise attack: over 1 million pounds of explosives hidden in secret tunnels driven under German lines. Now archaeologists are revealing the extraordinary scale and risk of the Allied tunneling operations in one of the biggest excavations ever undertaken on the Western Front.

History/ early 20 th century	American Experience: Bonnie & Clyde	1/19/2016 9 pm 2 hr.	Discover the true story of the most famous outlaw couple in US history. Though their exploits were romanticized, the Barrow gang was believed responsible for at least 13 murders, including two policemen, as well as robberies and kidnappings
History/ early 20 th century	American Experience: Mine Wars	1/26/2016 9 pm 2 hr.	This documentary takes us inside the bitter battle to unionize coal miners at the dawn of the 20th century. The struggle over the power that fueled America led to the largest armed insurrection since the Civil War, and turned parts of West Virginia into a bloody war zone.
History/ 19 th century/ the presidency	American Experience: Murder of A President	2/2/2016 9 pm 2 hr.	Explore James Garfield's unprecedented rise to power, his shooting by a madman and its bizarre and tragic aftermath. Based on the best-seller <i>Destiny of the Republic</i> , the story follows the life of one of the most extraordinary men ever elected president.
History/ African American	Independent Lens: The Black Panthers: Vanguard of the Revolution	2/16/2016 10 pm 2 hr	Revisit the turbulent 1960s, when a new revolutionary culture emerged with the Black Panther Party at the vanguard. Stanley Nelson tells the vibrant story of a pivotal movement that feels timely all over again.
History/ Vietnam War	Jeremiah	3/22/2016 10 pm 1 hr	On July 18, 1965, U.S. Navy Commander Jeremiah Denton took off from the aircraft carrier USS Independence leading a 28-plane mission over the city of Thanh Hoa in North Vietnam. Denton's plane was hit by anti-aircraft fire during the attack, and for the next eight long years, he would battle the North Vietnamese as a prisoner of war in the infamous Hanoi Hilton.