• **9 am: NOVA: Black Hole Apocalypse**
  Join astrophysicist Janna Levin on a mind-bending journey to the frontiers of black hole research.
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• **10 am: NOVA: Black Hole Universe**
  Discover how scientists may soon be able to "see" a black hole and are revealing new clues to the strangest and most extreme objects in the universe.
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• **11 am: Muhammad: Legacy of a Prophet**
  The life of the Islamic prophet Muhammad is based on historical records and on the stories of living American Muslims who call Muhammad the Messenger of God.
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• **12 pm: Muhammad: Legacy of a Prophet (Cont.)**
  The life of the Islamic prophet Muhammad is based on historical records and on the stories of living American Muslims who call Muhammad the Messenger of God.
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• **1 pm: Breakthrough: The Ideas That Changed the World, Episode 5: The Rocket**
  Blast off into history to see how rockets originated not in the sky, but in a cave.
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Tuesday, July 7

- **9 am: NOVA: Mystery Beneath the Ice**
  Dive under the ice to explore Antarctica's under-ice landscape with a team of scientists as they search for the mystery killer that's decimating the population of delicate shrimplike creatures at the foundation of the Antarctic food chain.
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- **10 am: NOVA: Rise of the Superstorms**
  In just one devastating month in the summer of 2017, Houston, Florida, and the Caribbean were changed forever when three monster hurricanes, one after another, swept in from the Atlantic. This show contains material that may be sensitive for some students. Teachers should exercise discretion in evaluating whether this show is suitable for their class.
  [Related Resource](Science, Grades 6-12)

- **11 am: Ken Burns' The Vietnam War, Episode 5: This Is What We Do (July-December 1967) (90 mins.)**
  American casualties and enemy body counts mount as Marines face deadly North Vietnamese ambushes and artillery south of the DMZ and Army units chase an elusive enemy in the central highlands.
  [Related Resource](Social Studies, Grades 9-12)

- **12:30pm: Ken Burns' The Vietnam War, Episode 6: Things Fall Apart (January-July 1968) (90 mins.)**
  On the eve of the Tet holiday, North Vietnamese and Viet Cong forces launch surprise attacks on cities and military bases throughout the south, suffering devastating losses but casting grave doubt on Johnson’s promise that there is “light at the end of the tunnel.”
  [Related Resource](Social Studies, Grades 9-12)
Wednesday, July 8

- **9 am: Great Yellowstone Thaw, Part 1**
  Learn whether the brutal winter weather will favor predator or prey.
  Related Resource
  (Science, Grades 6-12)

- **10 am: Spy in the Wild 2: A Nature Miniseries: The Islands**
  Explore the islands of the South Pacific with creatures like the spy koala, who captures breeding behavior in Australia, or the spy crab, who joins an army of red crabs on their march to the sea to deposit their eggs.
  Related Resource
  (Science, Grades 6-8)

- **11 am: 10 Modern Marvels That Changed America**
  Learn about the people who found ways to provide safe drinking water to growing cities, opened new lines of commerce with canals, and built a railroad line that connected the coasts.
  Related Resource
  (Social Studies, Grades 6-12)

- **12 pm: American Experience: Roads to Memphis**
  This is the story of an assassin, James Earl Ray, his target, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and the seething, turbulent forces in American society that led these two men to their violent and tragic collision in Memphis in April 1968.
  Related Resource
  (Social Studies, Grades 9-12)

- **1 pm: Africa's Great Civilizations, Episode 2: The Cross and the Crescent**
  The second hour of Africa's Great Civilizations charts the rise of Christianity and Islam across Africa.
  Related Resource
  (Social Studies, Grades 6-9)
Thursday, July 9

- **9 am: Great Yellowstone Thaw, Part 2**
  See how spring brings new life and a break from the brutal winter temperatures.
  Related Resource
  (Science, Grades 6-12)

- **10 am: Wild Weather**
  Find out how weather works through experiments that show how nature transforms wind, water, and temperature into something spectacular and powerful.
  Related Resource
  (Science, Grades 6-12)

- **11 am: The African Americans: Many Rivers to Cross, Episode 3: Into the Fire (1861-1896)**
  Black Americans flee plantations to serve in the United States Colored Troops; after emancipation, black people seek economic, political, and civil rights.
  Related Resource
  (Social Studies, Grades 6-12)

- **12 pm: Latino Americans, Episode 2: Empire of Dreams (1880-1942)**
  Beginning in 1880 and continuing into the 1940s, the U.S. population is reshaped by an influx of Cubans, Mexicans, and Puerto Ricans who start to build strong Latino American communities in South Florida, Los Angeles, and New York.
  Related Resource
  (Social Studies, Grades 6-12)

- **1 pm: Africa’s Great Civilizations, Episode 3: Empires of Gold**
  A look at the complex trade networks and advanced educational institutions that transformed early North and West Africa into the continent's wealthiest kingdoms and learning centers.
  Related Resource
  (Social Studies, Grades 6-9)
• **9 am: Great Yellowstone Thaw, Part 3**  
  See how the soaring summer temperatures affect the Yellowstone ecosystem.  
  (Science, Grades 6-12)

• **10 am: Nature: Undercover in the Jungle**  
  Go on a journey to the untouched wilderness of biodiversity in the Amazon rain forest and meet some of the most incredible creatures—from pygmy marmosets to pumas—as the wild secrets of the jungle are revealed.  
  [Related Resource](#)  
  (Science, Grades 6-8)

• **11 am: The Great American Read: Villains and Monsters**  
  How do novels featuring our favorite villains and monsters help us understand why people behave badly? We examine the evil characters in our favorite novels to find out why we go to the dark side.  
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• **12 pm: American Masters: Sammy Davis, Jr.: I've Gotta Be Me**  
  Explore the entertainer's vast talent and journey for identity through the shifting tides of civil rights and racial progress during 20th-century America.  
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• **1 pm: American Masters: Sammy Davis, Jr.: I've Gotta Be Me (Cont.)**  
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