

Old-School
Season 1 Promo

Chi: There are a lot of podcasts out in the world.
Some are thoughtful, and some are gloriously silly.

Chad: Some set out to right a wrong, and some just want to make you feel like you're hanging out with your best friends.

Chi: Old-School is trying to be all that, and a bag of chips!

Chad: This podcast is about African American studies and the classics.

Chi: Yeah—you heard us right!
Old-School tells stories about Black writers and the utterly beautiful and wildly different ways they've worked with great books in the Western intellectual tradition.

Chad: Why? Because there are a ton of them! And we're tired of seeing this part of their work be ignored or erased.

Chi: So buckle in, folks! This season, we're talking about Phillis Wheatley, Jupiter Hammon, W. E. B. Du Bois, Robert Hayden, and Yusef Komunyakaa.

Chad: And the Bible, ancient Greek and Roman mythology, Plato, Aesop, Homer, Socrates, and Shakespeare. And some other folks, too.

Chi: I'm Chiyuma Elliott, your host.

Chad: And I'm Chad Hegelmeyer, your other host.

Chi: We hope you'll join us! Old-School style.

Chad: Find us on Spotify and Apple Podcasts.