

11th Grade U.S. History Syllabus

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Textbook: *The American Vision* by Glencoe – McGraw Hill

Introduction: This is a yearlong course which is mandatory of all Juniors. Early exploration to the Civil War is examined, as well as the Reconstruction Period on through to Industrialization and Reform. These events culminate with the emergence of the United States as a world power leading up to and following World War II.

Supplies Needed: Notebook, folder(s) or binder, writing utensil (pen or pencil)

Assignments: Must be turned in on due date. Work turned in late will receive half credit.

Absences: Students who miss class are responsible for getting what they have missed.

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| Grading Policy: | Class participation/attitude | 10% |
| | Homework | 15% |
| | Quizzes/Projects | 25% |
| | Tests/Projects | 50% |

*Extra credit work is not allowed!

Curriculum

1st Quarter

| <u>Unit #</u> | <u>Unit Title</u> | <u>When</u> | <u>Unit Length</u> |
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| Unit 1 | <i>First Americans</i> | Aug/Sept | 4-5 weeks |
| Unit 2 | <i>Colonizing America</i> | Sept/Oct | 4 weeks |
| Unit 3 | <i>1st American Colonies</i> | October | 2-3 weeks |

2nd Quarter

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| Unit 4 | <i>Colonial Way of Life</i> | November | 2-3 weeks |
| Unit 5 | <i>Road To Revolution</i> | December | 2-3 weeks |
| Unit 6 | <i>Creating a Constitution</i> | Dec/Jan | 2-3 weeks |
| Unit 7 | <i>A New Nation</i> | January | 3 weeks |

3rd Quarter

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| Unit 8 | <i>The Young Republic</i> | Jan/Feb | 3 weeks |
| Unit 9 | <i>The Age of Jackson</i> | February | 3 weeks |
| Unit 10 | <i>Manifest Destiny</i> | February | 2-3 weeks |
| Unit 11 | <i>Sectionalism</i> | March | 2-3 weeks |
| Unit 12 | <i>The Civil War</i> | April | 2-3 weeks |

4th Quarter

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| Unit 13 | <i>Reconstruction</i> | May | 4-5 weeks |
| Unit 14 | <i>Natives After Civil War</i> | May | 2 days |
| Unit 15 | <i>Railroads Boom</i> | May | 2 days |
| Unit 16 | <i>Big Business</i> | May | 2 days |
| Unit 17 | <i>Immigration/Urbanization</i> | May | 2 days |
| Unit 18 | <i>Politics and Reform</i> | May | 2 days |
| Unit 19 | <i>Imperialism</i> | May | 2 days |
| Unit 20 | <i>The Progressive Era</i> | June | 2 days |
| Unit 21 | <i>The Great Depression</i> | June | 2 days |
| Unit 22 | <i>FDR and The New Deal</i> | June | 2-3 days |