

History Department Summer Reading and Assignments, 2024-2025

9th:

World History 9 (John F): none

Honors World History 9 (Don):

Using the document linked here ([attached here](#)), please complete the 2 part assignment, focusing on “The Solebury Origin Story”:

- Read the packet while taking notes on specific topics.

10th:

Ethics: (Martin) none

Honors Ethics: (Scott, Tom W, Peter A., Kaitlyn Q.):

- Read the Introduction & chapters 2, 4, 5 and 6 of [The Hidden Brain](#) by Shankar Vedantam (You will need to purchase the book on your own.)

AP World: (John F):

- Using the document linked here, [APWH Summer Assignment 23/24](#), complete the following:
 - Read and complete guided notes on Strayer Chapter 2
 - Complete a practice essay based on what students learned from Chapter 2

11th Grade:

U.S. History: (Don):

Using the document linked here ([attached here](#)), please complete the 2 part assignment, focusing on the Native Americans before 1492:

- Read the of the Atlantic Magazine article, “1491”
- Respond to the prompt

***Be sure to share it with Don before the first class; thank you. dkaplan@solebury.org**

Honors US History (Keson):

Summer Reading and Assignments, 2 parts:

1. Read the following articles, “**What is American Capitalism,**” ([attached here](#)). As you read, please annotate/highlight/underline/make notes in the margins OR on a document what you think are important facts or ideas as you read this pdf.

2. **Write a synthesis paper** based on your reading of this article, “What is American Capitalism.” If you want more information about how to write a “synthesis paper,” please read “What is a synthesis paper” which is attached here ([click here](#)).

Questions? Simply email Keson at kbullockbrown@solebury.org.

AP US History (Don)

Summer Reading Assignment 1-2

(2024-2025)

Using the document linked here ([attached here](#)), please complete the 2 part assignment:

- Read three articles and then choose one more article from the choices
- Write summaries (following my guidelines) for four articles

12th:

APGov (Keson): Please complete the “AP Gov Summer Assignment” packet ([attached here](#)):

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Psychology/Honors Psychology (Martin): none

Electives? None.