Meridian District #15 Curriculum Map



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Grade: 11-12

Subject Area: US History



Month	Topic/Content	Skill	Standard	Instruction/Resources	Assessments
Aug-	Evidence Types & Using Them Colonial America Unit -Protestant Reformation -Early Settlement	Reading Comprehension Summarizing Readings Analyzing Evidence Forming Arguments	SS.9-12.H.7 SS.9-12.H.8	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Video clips Class discussions Modeling skills Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Short homework assignments Class discussions
Sept	-Conflict w/ Native Americans -The Enlightenment American Revolution Unit -Causes for the War Boston Massacre & State Violence -Advocates of Independence -Eruption of Fighting	Reading Comprehension Summarizing Readings Analyzing Evidence Forming Arguments	SS.9-12.H.5 SS.9-12.H.6 SS.9-12.H.7 SS.9-12.H.9	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Video clips Class discussions Modeling skills Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Tests, discussions, & homework assessments
Oct	American Revolution Unit Constitution Unit -Bill of Rights -Federalists vs Anti-Federalists -Articles of Confederation -Supreme Court Process -Legislative Process -Powers of the Executive	Reading Comprehension Summarizing Readings Identifying arguments Evaluating arguments Civic responsibility engagement	SS.9-12.IS.5 SS.9-12.IS.8 SS.9-12.IS.9 SS.9-12.CV.6 SS.9-12.CV.5 SS.9-12.H.11	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Video clips/Songs Class discussions Simulations Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Tests, discussions, & homework assessments

Nov	Illinois Constitution Unit -Illinois Executive Branch & fighting corruption -Illinois Legislative Branch & redistricting maps -Illinois Judicial Branch & Wrongful Convictions U.S. Flag Etiquette Missouri Compromise Jacksonian Democracy American Slavery	Reading Comprehension Summarizing Readings Analyzing Evidence Identifying arguments Evaluating arguments Developing Questions	SS.9-12.H.8 SS.9-12.H.10 SS.9-12.H.3 SS.9-12.H.1 SS.9-12.IS.4 SS.9-12.IS.6	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Video clips/Songs Class discussions Simulations Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Tests, discussions, & homework assessments
Dec	Annexation of Texas and Western Expansion Causes of the Civil War Technological innovations of the Civil War Emancipation Proclamation & Lincoln Reconstruction Era and African Americans	Historical art analysis Reading Comprehension Summarizing Readings Identifying arguments Evaluating arguments	SS.9-12.IS.6 SS.9-12.H.11 SS.9-12.H.13 SS.9-12.H.10 SS.9-12.IS.7 SS.9-12.IS.6 SS.9-12.IS.4	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Video clips/Songs Class discussions Simulations Google Slides Chromebook/Internet Film- Glory	Final Exam Class discussions Homework assignments
Jan	Imperialism/Colonialism American Imperial Motivations Spanish American War The Progressive Era - Child Labor - African-American Ed - Food Sanitation/Safety - Women's suffrage Causes of WWI America fighting WWI at Home	Identifying arguments Evaluating arguments Reading Comprehension	SS.9-12.H.11 SS.9-12.H.8 SS.9-12.H.7 SS.9-12.H.12 SS.9-12.H.14	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Video clips Class discussions Simulations Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Written responses on homework assignments.

Feb	Sedition in WWI-Anti War Mov. Spanish Flu Outbreak The Chicago Race Riots The Roaring 20s Unit Prohibition The Scopes Trial Nativism Mexican Immigration The Stock Market Crash The Great Depression The Dust Bowl	Evaluating context Compare & Contrast Reading Comprehension Historical Interpretation Using primary sources Crafting a hypothesis	SS.9-12.H.1 SS.9-12.IS.5 SS.9-12.IS.4 SS.9-12.H.5 SS.9-12.H.5 SS.9-12.H.12	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Photos/Cartoons Video clips Class discussions Simulations Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Tests and small homework assignments
March	Assessing the New Deal WWII and the Holocaust -The Pearl Harbor Attack -Japanese Internment -Ethics of Dropping the Bomb -Various WWII Battles The Holocaust -Recognizing Antisemitism -Life in Concentration Camps	Comparing & Contrast Events Using primary sources Crafting a hypothesis Reading Comprehension Creating historical inquiry questions	SS.9-12.IS.6 SS.9-12.H.1 SS.9-12.IS.5 SS.9-12.IS.4 SS.9-12.H.5 SS.9-12.H.5 SS.9-12.H.12. SS.9-12.IS.2 SS.9-12.IS.7 SS.9-12.IS.7 SS.9-12.IS.15	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Photos/Cartoons Video clips Class discussions Simulations Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Project & Presentation Homework assignments
April	Nuremberg Trials Global Impact of WWII The Start of the Cold War The Korean War McCarthyism & the Red Scare The Civil Rights Movement Discrimination Protections Eisenhower & Little Rock 9 1960 Election- Technologies influence on Politics Cuban Missile Crisis	Political Cartoon Analysis Evaluating social movements Comparing sources Evaluating sources Vocabulary- Civil Rights	SS.9-12.IS.7 SS.9-12.H.3 SS.9-12.H.4	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Photos/Cartoons Video clips Class discussions Simulations Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Short paragraph written response questions on the various topics

	Kennedy Assassination & the appeal of Conspiracy Theories				
May	The Space Race & Effects Johnson's Great Society America & the Vietnam War The Stonewall Riots- Gay Rights Movement Nixon and Vietnam The Watergate Scandal Culture and Tech of the late 20th Century	Timeline analysis Reading and interpreting primary sources Evaluating/comparing historical moments Reading comprehension Summarization	SS.9-12.H.2 SS.9-12.H.4 SS.9-12.H.10 SS.9-12.H.5	Instruction uses- textbooks primary/secondary sources Photos/Cartoons Video clips Class discussions Simulations Google Slides Chromebook/Internet	Group project- Short paragraph written response questions on the various topics