# **AP US History TEST TICKET**

This packet contains all of the testable themes and content that have appeared in previous national tests. The content has been broken down into CollegeBoard's official 9 units.

**How To "Punch Your Ticket" To A Three:** Answer the Essential Questions (EQ) for each of the following CollegeBoard sanctioned lessons *using the helpful hints and your own notes.* 

- If you can correctly answer at least half of the questions, you most likely will get a 3.
- Correctly answer between half and 2/3rds of the questions, you'll most likely earn a 4.
- Correctly answer over 3/4ths of the questions on your own, you're in good shape for a 5.

## Unit 1: 1491-1607 (Percentage of Test Questions: 4-6 Percent)

# 1.1: Contextualizing Period 1

• SFHS Lesson Number: 1.1:

**EQ:** What Are The Causes And Effects of European Exploration of the Americas?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - Trade With The East
    - Silk Road
      - Costs
      - Need to find a cheaper way to get Eastern Goods.
- Effects:
  - Conquests of Indigenous Countries
  - New race to colonize.

# 1.3: European Exploration of the Americas:

• SFHS Lesson Number 1:1-4:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What Are The Similarities and Differences in European Colonization Methods?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

# European Competition of Colonization.

- New Spain (México, Florida, South America)
- New France (Quebec)
- England (Jamestown)
  - <u>Prioritizing building forts to</u> defend claims

# **1.2:Native Americans Before European** Contact:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 1.1-1.2:

What Are The Similarities And Differences Between Indigenous Communities:

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities:
  - Three Sister Farming
  - Specifically how it sustained permanent settlements.
  - <u>CORN!</u> (CollegeBoard REALLY likes asking about corn)
- Differences:
  - Climate influencing crops.

# 1.4: Columbian Exchange, Spanish Exploration, Conquest

• <u>SFHS Lesson Number: 1.1-3:</u>
<u>EQ:</u> What Are The Biggest Continuities and Changes in the Americas caused by the Columbian Exchange:

## **Helpful Hints:**

#### Continuities:

- Mistreatment of Indigenous
- Slavery
- Colonization/Displacement of Indigenous

#### Changes:

- Loss of Indigenous Lands
- Changes of Who is a Slave
- Countries Involved In Colonization

# 1.5: Labor, Slavery and Caste In Spanish Colonial System:

• SFHS Lesson Number 1.3:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the causes and effects of the Encomienda System?

### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes
  - o Pope's Rebellion
- Effects:
  - How did the future U.S. borrow from the encomienda system?

# 1.6: Cultural Interactions Between Europeans, Africans, and Indigenous:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 1.1-4:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences concerning European interactions with the indigenous?

### **Helpful Hints:**

Similarities:

#### Guns, Germs, and Steel Theory

- How European Diseases led to massive indigenous population loss.
- Differences:

# Differences between European Treatments of Indigenous.

- Spanish aggressively converted/conquered
- French befriended/intermarried
- The British excluded indigenous.

# 1.7 Historical Thinking Skills In Period 1: (Possible SAQ/LEQ Topics)

- SFHS Lesson Number 1.1-4:
- <u>Causation EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects of European Exploration/Colonization of the Americas.
  - Helpful Hints:
    - Causes: Trade With The East (Silk Road costs too much money)
    - Effects: Conquests of Indigenous Countries, Race to colonize Americas (aka "The New World").
- <u>Continuity and Change Over Time (CCOT) EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes in the Americas from 1491-1607.
  - Helpful Hints:
    - Continuities: Mistreatment of Indigenous, Colonization, Diseases
    - Changes: Loss of Indigenous Land/Countries, New Cultures (Mestizos)
- <u>Comparison EQ:</u> What are the main differences and similarities concerning European colonization methods from 1491-1676.
  - Helpful Hints:
    - Similarities: All European Countries brought diseases.
    - Differences: Some countries (France) were nicer to indigenous than others (Spanish/British).

• SFHS Lesson Number: 2.1

**EQ:** What are the most important continuities and changes for women and people of color from 1607-1754.

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Women:
  - Anne Hutchinson's Banishment
- People of Color:
  - Barbados Slave Codes
  - Connections to Encomienda System

# 2.3: Regions of British North America:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 2.1:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important similarities and differences between the 13 original colonies.

# **Helpful Hints:**

- New England:
  - Who Lived There? Why?
  - How Did They Make Money?
  - O How Did They Govern?

#### Mayflower Compact

- What was its purpose?
- Who did it represent (which group)?
- How did this region of the colonies self-govern? (Town Hall Meetings or House of Burgesses?)
  - What were the voting requirement(s) for this system?
- Chesapeake Bay:
  - How did they self govern?
    - Who could vote?
  - o Make money?
- South:
  - O How did they self-govern?
  - o How did they make money?

# 2.2: European Colonization:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 1.3, 1.4, 2.1:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most similarities and differences between the British and Spanish colonization methods:

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities:
  - Use of Chattel Slavery (Encomienda System)
- Differences:
  - Colonial Administration
  - Viceroys (Spanish) v. Salutary Neglect (British)

# 2.4: Transatlantic Trade

• SFHS Lesson Number: 2.1-2.2:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences in how mercantilism was applied to British North America.

- Similarities:
  - Navigation Acts
- Differences:
  - Products for Export
    - New England: Textiles (they didn't have advanced machines)
    - Chesapeake Bay: Grain/Tobacco
    - South: Cash Crops (Tobacco, Rice)

# 2.5: Interactions Between Indigenous and Europeans

• SFHS Lesson Number: 2.3, 2.5:

<u>**EQ:**</u> What are the most important causes and effects regarding conflicts between British colonizers and Indigenous Americans?

### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - Land Use/Expansion of British Territory (new colonies)
- Effects:
  - Indigenous Conflicts
    - <u>3</u> Anglo-Powhatan Wars
    - King Philip's War

## 2.6: Slavery In The British Colonies:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 2.7-8:

**EQ:** What are the most continuities and changes in colonial labor from 1607-1754.

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities:
  - Cheap Labor
    - Indentured Servants
    - Imported African Slaves
- Changes:
  - Bacon's Rebellion:
    - Before the Rebellion: Indentured Servants were used more.
    - After the Rebellion More slaves than Indentured Servants
  - Barbados Slave Codes:
    - Before Codes: Slavery was religious based and you could get out of it.
    - After Slave Codes: It was race based. Couldn't get out of it.

# 2.7: Colonial Culture And Society:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 2.9

**<u>EQ:</u>** How did the Enlightenment bring significant changes/continuities to colonial life?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities:
  - Efforts to keep religion relevant
    - First Great Awakening.
- Changes:
  - Political Changes.
    - Glorious Revolution
    - British Bill of Rights
    - Social Contract Theory.
  - Social Changes: Abolitionism.

#### 2.8: Historical Thinking Skills In Period 2:

- Possible LEQ/SAQ Questions:
- <u>Causation EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects of Bacon's Rebellion.
- <u>CCOT EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes regarding women and people of color from 1607-1754.
- <u>Causation EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences regarding trade between the 13 colonies and Britain from 1607-1754.

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.1

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the biggest changes and continuities in European colonization of North America.

## **Helpful Hints:**

Colonial Claims: Where were the following European colonial areas?

- British North America
- New France
- New Spain
  - Which European power is the "newcomer?"
  - Why is that a problem?

# 3.3: Taxation Without Representation

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.3:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of protests regarding taxation after the French and Indian War?

# **Helpful Hints:**

Kinds of Taxes:

- Stamp Act
- Tea Act
- Sugar Act

Theories on Representation:

• Virtual v. Actual Representation:

#### British Reactions to Colonial Protests:

- How were the following laws intended to punish the colonists?
  - Proclamation Line
  - Quartering Act
  - o Intolerable Acts

# 3.5: The American Revolution:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.3-4:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences between the Olive Branch Petition and Declaration of Independence? **Helpful Hints:** 

<u>Similarities:</u> Caused by controversial policies. <u>Differences:</u> Olive Branch wants to stay British. The Declaration wants to be free.

# 3.2: The French and Indian War:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.1-2:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the French and Indian War.

# **Helpful Hints:**

Causes of French and Indian War:

- Why was Ohio River Territory Important?
- Who wanted it?

Effects of French and Indian War:

- Who won/gained power?
- What were the costs?

# 3.4: Philosophical Foundations for the American Revolution:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.3-4:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important similarities/differences regarding colonial protests?

# **Helpful Hints:**

Similarities:

### Locke's Social Contract Theory:

- Why does the government exist?
- What should the people do if the government isn't listening to their demands?
- If the government doesn't correct itself, what should the people do?

#### Differences:

#### Colonial Protests to British Law:

- Violent Protests (Tarring and Feathering, Boston Tea Party) v.s.
- **Diplomatic Reconciliation** (Olive Branch Petition)

# 3.6: The Influence of Revolutionary Ideals:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.3-5:

**EQ:** What are the most changes and continuities regarding colonial protests from 1763-1781.

#### **Helpful Hint:**

#### Common Sense:

• Why was this pamphlet vital for the Patriot's goals?

### 3.7: The Articles of Confederation:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.5

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important ideologies which caused the drafting of the Articles of Confederation -- and their after effects?

# **Helpful Hints:**

Causes: How Did The Articles of Confederation approach the following aspects of government?

- Power of authority (central or spread)
- Military to enforce laws/defend gov't.
- Money/Trade

#### Effects:

Shays' Rebellion

### 3.9: The Constitution:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.5

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences between the Articles of Confederation and the U.S. Constitution?

## **Helpful Hints:**

Explain the Constitution's following policies:

- Power of authority (central or spread)
- Military to enforce laws/defend gov't.
- Money/Trade

# 3.11: Developing an American Identity:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.7

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the causes and effects of the following early American innovations?

- Columbia (National Symbol)
- The key points of Washington's Farewell Address?

# 3.8: The Constitutional Convention and Debates About Ratification:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.5

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important causes of the Constitution Convention and how did its effects change American politics?

## **Helpful Hints:**

Causes: How Did The Following Events
Force the US to Change Its Government

- Shays' Rebellion
- State Debt from Revolution

#### Effects:

How did the U.S. Constitution solve these problems?

## 3.10: Shaping the New Republic:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.5-7:

**EQ:** What are the most important changes and continuities in political structures from 1789-1800?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Changes: How Did The Whiskey Rebellion Show The Constitution Worked?
- Continuities: Who could originally vote?

#### 3.12: Movement in the Early Republic

• SFHS Lesson Number: 3.5-7:

**EQ:** What are the causes and effects of American Migration from 1789 to 1800?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: The Northwest Ordinance which was carried over from the Articles of Confederation.
- Effects: Conflicts with Indigenous What was the impact of the Battle of Fallen Timbers?

# 3.13: Historical Thinking Skills for Period 3:

- Causation EQ: What are the main causes and effects of the French and Indian War?
- <u>CCOT EQ</u>: What are the main continuities and changes in economics from 1754-1800
- <u>Comparison EQ</u>: What are the main similarities and differences between the Articles of Confederation and the U.S. Constitution?

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.1:

**EQ:** What are the most important changes and continuities brought about by the election of 1800?

# Helpful Hints:

Changes:

 Democratic Republicans Win Presidency

### Continuity:

• The Federal System Holds.

# <u>4.2: The Rise of Political Parties and the Age of Jefferson</u>

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4,1

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of Jefferson's Policies as President?

## **Helpful Hints:**

Westward Expansion:

- Causes:
  - Rising birth rates caused a movement in which direction in the country?
- Effects:
  - What did Jefferson purchase to allow expansion?

# Judicial System:

- Causes:
  - What were the goals of Adams' Midnight Appointments?
- Effects:
  - How does Judicial Review change the powers of the federal government?

#### 4.3: Political and Regional Interests

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4,1

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of Sectionalism in the U.S.?

# Helpful Hints:

How was the American Plan received by the following regions?

- North
- South

How did Westward Expansion intensify Sectionalism?

#### 4.4: America on the World Stage

• <u>SFHS Lesson Number: 4.1:</u>
<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important causes/effects of the U.S.'s rise in early 1800s foreign policy?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - How did the War of 1812 bring the U.S. to the world stage?
- Effects:
  - What is the Monroe Doctrine?
  - How did it give the U.S. authority in world affairs?
  - Commodore Perry "opens" Japan:
  - How does imperialism play a role in this decision?

How is Imperialism Similar and Different to/from Manifest Destiny?

### 4.5: Market Revolution: Industrialization:

SFHS Lesson Number: 4.1, 4.6

<u>**EQ**</u>: What are the most important causes and effects of the Industrial Revolution:

# **Helpful Hints:**

#### Causes:

 How did Jefferson's Embargo Act cause the First Industrial Revolution?

#### Effects:

- Which early industry job did women work in?
- How did this movement cause a continental economy?
- How did Unions come from this revolution?

# 4.6: Market Revolution: Society and Culture:

• <u>SFHS Lesson Number: 4.1, 4.6</u> <u>EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes in American life brought about by the First Industrial Revolution?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Changes:
  - New Technologies (Cotton Gin keeps slavery alive)
  - New Labor Systems (Factory system/ "Wage Slavery.")
- Continuities:
- Mistreatment of Women and People of Color.
  - How is the Cult of Domesticity caused by the Market Revolution?
  - How did the Cult of Domesticity cause the (First Wave) Feminist Movement?

# 4.7: Expanding Democracy

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.2-3

**EQ:** What are the most important continuities and changes in American Political Systems from 1800-1828?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Changes: In what way(s), did voting rights requirements change from 1800 to 1828? What were the new parties?
- Continuities: In what way(s), did they stay the same? (Continuity)

## 4.8: Jackson and Federal Power:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.2-3:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of Jackson's Policies?

- Trail of Tears
  - Causes: Westward expansion of European Americans.
  - Effects: How does Worcester
     v. Georgia demonstrate a failure of checks and balances?
- Panic of 1837:
  - Causes: Pet Veto/Specie Circular
- Nullification Crisis:
  - Causes: Kentucky Virginia Resolutions/American Plan
  - Effects: How did the Nullification Crisis set the stage for Secession (Period 5)?

# 4.9: The Development of an American Culture:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.2-3:

**EQ:** What are the most important continuities and changes regarding attitudes towards immigration from 1800-1900?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities:
  - Nativism:
  - What three factors make up American dominant culture?
  - (Hint: WASP)
  - Political Policies (Know Nothing Party/Quota Laws)
- Changes:
  - How did discrimination against immigrants change over time? (Old Immigrants v. New)

# 4.11: Age of Reform:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.4, 4.7:

**EQ:** What are the most important causes and effects of mid-1800's Reform Movements?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: Connections to Second Great Awakening
  - Equality in God's Eyes
- Effects: Social Movements
  - Public Education
  - Suffragism
  - Abolitionism

# 4.10: The Second Great Awakening:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.4, 4.7:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences between the First and Second Great Awakenings?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities:
  - Religious movements caused by enlightenment (Deism for First, Rationalism for Second)
  - Created New Faiths (New Lights for First, Baptists, Methodists for Second)
- Differences:
  - The Second Great Awakening caused more social movements (Suffrage, Temperance, Abolitionism).

# 4.12: African Americans in the Early Republic:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.4, 4.7:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects of the Abolitionist Movement?

Helpful Hints:

- Causes: The Second Great Awakening (Equality in God's Eyes)
  - Theories of Abolitionism:
    - Gradual Emancipation
    - Radical Abolition
    - Violent Abolition
- Effects: Abolitionist Actions.
  - Formation of American Anti-Slavery Society
  - Nat Turner's Rebellion

# 4.13: The Society of the South in the Early Republic:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4,4, 4.8:

**EQ:** What are the most important continuities and changes in the South from 1800s-1850?

- Continuities: Slavery, Slave Codes, Using Religion to justify slavery.
- Changes: Cotton Gin, Nat Turner's Rebellion causing stricter slave codes.

#### 4.14: Causation in Period 4:

• <u>SFHS Lesson Number: 4.1, 4.4, 4.5</u> <u>Causation EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects of Westward Expansion?

<u>CCOT EQ:</u> What are the most important changes and continuities in the American political system from 1800 to 1850?

<u>Comparison EQ:</u> Compare and contrast the First and Second Great Awakenings.

• SFHS Lesson Number: 5.1:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the Republican Party's Formation?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - Which chamber of Congress benefited the South/Slave States more: Senate or House of Reps? Why?
  - Why did the Whig Party collapse?
- Effects:
  - What was the Republican Party's connection to the Free Soil Movement?
  - How did its creation intensify Sectionalism?

## 5.2: Manifest Destiny

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.5:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of Manifest Destiny?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - How did spiking birthrates push movement --and in what direction?
  - How did the Louisiana Purchase help spur Manifest Destiny?
- Effects:
  - What is the connection between Manifest Destiny and the Mexican American War?
  - What rules regarding states being added to the Union did the Missouri Compromise establish?

### 5.3: Mexican American War:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.5

**EQ:** What are the most important causes and effects of the Mexican American War?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - Why did Texas seek independence from México?
  - Why did disputes about Texas' Admission cause the War?
- Effects:
  - Why were abolitionists' like Lincoln against the war?

# 5.4: The Compromise of 1850:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.8

**EQ:** What are the most important causes and effects of the Compromise of 1850?

- Causes:
  - What caused the Compromise of 1850?
  - What state being added ended the Missouri Compromise?
- Effects:
  - How did the following laws benefit the South?
  - Popular Sovereignty
  - Fugitive Slave Act
    - Slave catchers

# 5.5:Sectional Conflicts, Regional Differences:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.8. 5.1:

<u>**EQ:**</u> What are the most important changes and continuities regarding sectional compromises?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities: Further Attempts to Compromise.
  - Compromise of 1850
  - Popular Sovereignty
- Changes: Violent Breakdowns of Policies.
  - Free Soil Movement leads to...
  - John Brown's Raid
  - Kansas Nebraska Act:
    - How was this a test of popular sovereignty?
    - Was it a successful test? Why?

### 5.6: Failures of Compromise:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 4.8, 5.1:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the Dred Scott Decision?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes
  - How did Missouri Compromise establish guidelines for slavery.
  - How did taking Dred Scott to "free territory" give him a case for freedom?

#### Effects

- How did it legalize slavery everywhere?
- How did the 14th Amendment overturn this decision?

# 5.7: The Election of 1860 and Secession:

SFHS Lesson Number: 5.1-5.2:

**EQ:** What are the most important causes and effects of the Election of 1860?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - <u>Sectional Crisis</u> splits the traditional two-party system into four parties with each pair along North/South lines.
- Effects:
  - How does Lincoln's election start Secession of the Southern/Slave States?

# 5.8: Military Conflict in the Civil War:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 5.1-5.2:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences in Civil War tactics between Union (North) and Confederacy (South)?

- Similarities:
  - Each fought to protect their economic system.
- Differences:
  - The South had more experienced Generals.
  - The North had more population and better technology.
  - South's population had more support at the beginning.
  - North had riots to protest policies.

# **5.9: Government Policies During the Civil** War:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 5.1-5.2:

<u>**EQ:**</u> What are the most important continuities and changes regarding Union government policies?

### **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities: From day 1, Lincoln argues that the war is about keeping the Union together.
- Changes: After Battle of Antietam, African Americans can serve in Union Army (they couldn't before) and Lincoln says the war is about slavery.
  - Lincoln also suspends Habeas Corpus to keep border states --specifically Maryland--part of the Union.
    - This is why the Emancipation Proclamation only outlaws slavery in the South.

#### 5.10: Reconstruction

• SFHS Lesson Number: 5,4

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences regarding Presidential and Congressional Reconstruction.

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: Each events' goal was to transition the South out of a slave-based economy so it could be added to the Union.
- Differences: Presidential Reconstruction (both Lincoln and Johnson) were more relaxed compared to Congressional (Republican led) Reconstruction.

#### 5.11: Failure of Reconstruction:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 5.4:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes regarding African Americans in the South during and after Reconstruction.

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities: Economically/Socially disenfranchised with sharecropping and black codes.
- Changes: New Constitutional Amendments (13th-15th) created to give African Americans new rights

#### 5.12: Historical Thinking Skills In Period 5

• SFHS Lesson Number: 5.4

<u>Causation EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects of the Election of 1860?

<u>CCOT EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes regarding African Americans in the South during and after Reconstruction.

<u>Comparison EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences regarding Presidential and Congressional Reconstruction?

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.1:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the Gilded Age (1865-1898)?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - Lack of intensive policies/laws after the Civil War.
  - Massive technological growth resulting in booming industries

#### Effects:

- Massive political corruption/scandals (Credit Mobiliere, Whiskey Ring, Tammany Hall)
- Massive growth of super wealthy (Robber Barons/ Captains of Industry)

# 6.3: Westward Expansion: Social and Cultural Development:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.2:

**EQ:** What are the most important comparisons between conflicts with indigenous during the Plains Wars (late-1800s) and the Colonial Period (1607-1754)?

- Similarities:
  - Wars were fought over land use caused by expanding Europeans into Indigenous lands.
  - Indigenous eventually pushed off lands.
- Differences:
  - After Plains Wars, indigenous put on reservations through Dawes Act to "civilize" them.

# 6.2: Westward Expansion: Economic Development

SFHS Lesson Number: 6.2
 EQ: What role did economics play in the causes and effects of Westward Expansion?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - How does the Homestead Act encourage westward expansion?
  - Technological/business advancements (railroads)
  - Mineral Rushes (Nevada, Colorado, Montana)

#### • Effects:

- Conflicts with indigenous.
- How did Farmers in the West bind together against Big Ag Businesses?

# 6.4: The "New" South:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.1:

**EQ:** What are the most important causes and effects behind the "New South" **MYTH?** 

- Causes: The need to fool the North into thinking Reconstruction worked (Compromise of 1877 ended it).
- Effects: By emphasizing new industries in the South (steel, timber industries), Northerners overlook oppressive systems like sharecropping and segregation (Plessy v. Ferguson) because they can make money with these new industries.

# 6.5: Technological Innovation:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.3:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the Second Industrial Revolution?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: New Continental Economy (resources in East, West, South) connected to new technologies in North.
- Effects: Creation of Big Industries (railroad) where smaller industries (timber, steel, oil) join resources to prop up a bigger industry.

### 6.6: The Rise of Industrial Capitalism:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 5.3:

<u>**EQ:**</u> What are the most important similarities and differences between Robber Barons and Captains of Industry?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: <u>Both terms</u> describe the <u>same kind of person</u> (a super wealthy person at the top of an industry)
- Differences: Robber Baron is an insult and emphasizes unfair business practices (making millions while workers get paid a dollar for 18 hour work day/Social Darwinism)
   Captain of Industry is a compliment and emphasizes the good contributions these people make (Gospel of Wealth, donations of libraries, colleges, music halls).

# 6.7:Labor in the Gilded Age:

SFHS Lesson Number: 6,4-6,5:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the formation of labor unions?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: Wage Slavery (working extremely long hours for little pay) causes collective bargaining.
- Effects: Business owners crack down on Unions through blacklists, yellow dog contracts and calling in the state militia to break up strikes (Homestead Strike).

# 6.8: Immigration and Migration in the Gilded Age:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6,4-6,6:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes regarding immigration to the United States?

- Continuities: Push-Pull Theory remains constant --things that encourage people to leave their country to come to opportunities in US
- Changes: The groups of people changes (Old Immigrants v. New Immigrants)

# 6:9: Responses to Immigration in the Gilded Age

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.6:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important continuities and changes regarding the attitude of immigrants moving to the U.S.?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities:
  - Nativism (preference to U.S. born Americans) is constant.
  - Attempts to keep WASP culture as the dominant one.
- Changes:
  - Laws developed to limit "unfit" immigrants into U.S.
    - Chinese Exclusion Act
    - Quota Acts

### **6.10: Formation of the Middle Class:**

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.4

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects of the Second Industrial Revolution on the Middle Class?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: Better accessibility to higher education (Morrill Act) and new positions in management (white collar jobs) result in higher paying jobs.
- Effects: Middle class forms with disposable income (ability to pay money for fun things like sports games and movies) and the ability to buy status symbols for conspicuous consumption.

## 6:11: Reform in the Gilded Age:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.8:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes regarding attempts to reform the federal government during the Gilded Age?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Changes: New laws (Sherman Antitrust Act) and new parties (Populist Party) form to bring about change in business.
- Continuities: Laissez-faire capitalism remains mostly in place limiting impact of laws. Traditional two party system (Dems/GOP) remains intact.

# 6.12: Controversies over the Role of Government In The Gilded Age

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.4, 6.8:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects which sparked the Progressive Era?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: Political assassinations (Garfield, McKinley).
- Effects: New laws (Pendleton Act) and Presidents (<u>Teddy</u>) Roosevelt to reform (change) the system without revolution.

#### 6:13: Politics in the Gilded Age:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.4, 6.8:

**EQ:** What are the most important causes and effects of Party Patronage:

- Causes: Spoils System (going back to Jackson)
- Effects: Bribing voters, scandals, assassinations (Garfield/McKinley)

# 6.14: Historical Thinking Skills in Period 6

<u>Causation EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects of the Gilded Age? <u>CCOT EQ:</u> What are the most important changes and continuities regarding immigration to the U.S.? <u>Comparison EQ:</u> What are the biggest differences/similarities between Robber Baron and Captain of Industry?

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.1

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important continuities and changes regarding late 1800s immigration?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities: Push-Pull Theory (what pushed people out of their homelands and pulled them to the U.S.?)
- Changes: Immigration Laws: Who Was Discouraged From Entering?
  - Chinese Exclusion Act (Asians)
  - Quota Acts of the 1920s (Eastern, Southern Europe)

#### 7.2: Imperialism Debates:

• <u>SFHS Lesson Number: 6.6, 6.7</u> <u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences between Manifest Destiny and Imperialism?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: Both ideologies push for the U.S. to gain more control <u>beyond</u> their current territories.
- Differences: Imperialism talks about influencing other countries for U.S.'s benefits. Manifest Destiny is just inside the North American continent.
  - Filipino American War
    - Causes
    - Effects/Perspectives

#### 7.3: The Spanish American War.

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6.6:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects about the Spanish American War?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- <u>Causes:</u> Unknown attack on U.S.S. Maine --intensified by yellow journalism (fake news)-- causes U.S. to fight Spain.
- <u>Effects:</u> U.S. gains more territory from Spain (Guam, Philippines, Puerto Rico).
  - Sets up Filipino American War

# 7.4: The Progressives:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 6,8:

<u>**EQ**</u>: What are the most important causes and effects of Progressive Era?

- Causes: Massive corruption of Gilded Age (pick your favorite Gilded Age scandal from 6.1).
- Effects: Movements to push *Reform Over Revolution.* 
  - Direct Democracy Movements
  - Tenement Houses
  - Suffrage Movement
    - Cult of Domesticity (Women are "more moral")
  - Environmentalist Movements
    - Conservation v.Preservation

### 7.5: World War I: Military and Diplomacy:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.1-7.2:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the U.S. entry into World War I?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: The U.S. enters the war because of <u>UNRESTRICTED</u> <u>SUBMARINE WARFARE.</u>
- Effects: The U.S. enters total war, joins Allies. Allies win war.
  - BUT U.S. doesn't ratify Treaty of Versailles because it violates Washington's Farewell address.

#### 7.6: World War I: Home Front

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.1

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities/differences between the U.S.'s wartime mobilization in both World Wars?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities:
  - Both times the U.S. used total war (every resource going to the war effort).
  - Both times women and people of color tried to use it to advance (WWI: 100 Percent Americanism, WWII: Double Victory)

#### • Differences:

 WWII: Federal expansion is further than WWI. In WWII, federal government expands into private sector further (Manhattan Project).

# 7.7: The 1920s: Innovations In Communication and Technology:

SFHS Lesson Number: 7.3:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the Great Migration?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

#### Push-Pull Theory To North Urban Cities:

- Pushes: Unstable Jobs, Oppression of African Americans
- **Pulls:** Good paying industrial jobs, less oppression.

# 7.8: The 1920s: Cultural and Political Controversies:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.3:

**EQ:** What are the most important similarities and differences between Coolidge Prosperity and Gilded Age Politics?

- <u>Similarities:</u> Both policies pushed for federal government <u>NOT</u> to regulate private businesses --<u>as Ronald</u> Reagan would in the 1980's.
- <u>Differences:</u> During the Coolidge era, federal regulatory agencies existed --they didn't in the Gilded Age--Coolidge just decided not to use them just like Reagan in the 1980's.

### 7.9: The Great Depression:

• SFHS Lesson Number:7.4-5:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the Great Depression?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: Deregulation (lack of government authority in business) causes overproduction, underconsumption, and irresponsible speculation.
- Effects: Massive unemployment, bank failures, Republican party takes the blame (Hoovervilles).

## 7.10: The New Deal:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.4-5

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities/differences between the Progressive Era and New Deal?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities:
  - Both times the goal was to fix economic instability/political corruption through the creation of new government agencies.

#### Differences:

 The Progressive Era was mostly white, upper class (\*ahem\*) Northern individuals, the New Deal Coalition was more inclusive (big city party machines, farmers, Southern whites, African Americans)

# 7.11: Interwar Foreign Policy:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.6

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities/differences between preparedness and isolationism?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities:
  - Both argue that their philosophy is the best course of action to protect the U.S.
- Differences:
  - Preparedness: U.S. should build up resources and make plans to enter the war.
  - Isolationism: U.S. should stay out of the war as long as possible.

## 7.12: World War II: Mobilization:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.6:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important causes and effects of the U.S.'s entry into World War II

- Causes: U.S. enters the war due to Pearl Harbor Attack (caused by oil embargo on Japan).
- Effects: Total War and explosion of new government policies/programs (Internment, Bracero Program, full use of Selective Services Act).

# 7.13: World War II: Military

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.6-7

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities/differences regarding military recruitment in both WWI and WWII?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: Total War in both wars allowed for women, African Americans, Latinos to join to advance their rights through service.
- Differences: In WWII, racial/ethnic groups --namely the Japanese-- were originally excluded from service (put in Internment camps instead), then limited in their service (only able to fight in Europe).

# 7.14: Postwar Diplomacy:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 7.8:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of the decision to use the Atomic Bomb on Hiroshima and Nagasaki?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes:
  - Total War (all resources including A-Bomb must be used).
  - A conventional invasion would result in more casualties.
  - Atomic Diplomacy: Using the A-Bomb --which only the U.S. has-- will cause angry Soviets to back off and play nice.

#### Effects:

- o Japan surrenders. WWII over.
- Atomic Diplomacy keeps communists under control until they get the bomb in 1949.

# 7.15: Historical Thinking Skills in Period 7:

Causation EQ: What are the most important causes and effects of the Great Depression?

<u>CCOT EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes regarding late 1800s immigration?

<u>Comparison EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities and differences between Coolidge Prosperity and Gilded Age Politics?

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.1:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes and effects of postwar migration?

# Helpful Hints:

- Causes: Booming Postwar Economy, Affordable Housing (Levittowns), Opportunities for Upward Mobility (GI Bill, Fair Deal)
- <u>Effects:</u> Moving to Suburbs After WWII.
- Moving to the Sun Belt: (West and South)
- Push Pull Theory:
  - Push: Cold Weather
  - Pull: Sun Belt Has Warm Weather, Good Paying Jobs.

# 8.2: The Cold War: From 1945 to 1980:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.1, 8.5 (ABC)

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important continuities and changes regarding Cold War foreign policy?

## **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities: The need to keep communism under control and not gain an advantage over the U.S..
- Changes:
  - Truman v. Eisenhower's Strategies:
  - Containment v. Brinkmanship
  - Arms Races:
    - Causes
    - Possible Effects
  - Concerns About Military Industrial Complex

#### 8.3: The Red Scare

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.1:

**EQ:** What are the most important similarities/differences between the First Red Scare (1917-1924) and Second Red Scare (1949-1955)?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: Both were anticommunist movements which happened after a World War to keep communism under control. Both had controversial expansions of government policies (Palmer Raids and HUAC).
- Differences: Second Red Scare was more publicized in mass media, showing shortcomings of communist paranoia (Army-McCarthy Hearings).

#### 8.4: Economy After 1945:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.1

**EQ:** What are the most important causes/effects of the 1950's economy?

- Causes: Transition from the wartime economy (Liberty Bonds, Marshall Plan) and Modern Republicanism causes the economy to boom to one of the best in human history.
- Effects: Exploding Middle Class.
   Massive upward mobility. One income household. Disposable income explodes. Vacation industry forms.

#### 8.5: Culture After 1945

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.1

**EQ:** What are the most important causes/effects of Teenage Culture in the 1950's?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: Booming 1950's economy makes teenagers a profitable demographic.
- Effects: Industries such as music (Rock and Roll), Hollywood (Rebel Without a Cause), and restaurants (McDonalds) begin marketing to teenagers instead of adults.
  - Conservative America makes training films to "control" teenage behavior.

#### 8.7: America As A World Power

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.1, 8,5 (ABC)

**EQ:** What are the most important similarities/differences between Hard Power and Soft Power?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: Both methods deal with forcing other countries to do what the U.S. wants.
- Differences:
  - Hard Power deals with military might (Korean War, Vietnam War) to make countries comply.
  - Soft Power deals with non-violent persuasion such as...
    - Moral superiority (Peace Corps),
    - Economic opportunities (Alliance for Progress),
    - Technological wonders (Space Program).

# 8.6: Early Steps in the Civil Rights Movement (1940s to 1950s)

SFHS Lesson Number: 8,1-2:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes/effects of Brown v. Board of Education (1954) on Civil Rights?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: African American family denied the right to go to a "whites only" school due to segregation.
- Effects: Brown case overturns Plessy
  v. Ferguson. Segregation is now
  unconstitutional <u>but</u> the Supreme
  Court can't enforce their ruling. That's
  the President's job. Also, Congress
  needs to make a law to protect the
  ruling.

#### 8.8: The Vietnam War:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.4, 8.5 (B)

**EQ:** What are the most important similarities/ differences between the Korean War and the Vietnam War?

- Similarities: Both wars were about preventing the spread of communism (from North to South).
- Differences:
  - The Korean War had UN support/help <u>and</u> the support of the American people.
  - The Vietnam War did not have either. The American public violently disapproved of the Vietnam War.

### 8.9: Johnson's Great Society:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.3

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities/ differences between Johnson's Great Society and <u>Franklin</u> Roosevelt's New Deal?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: Both were expansions of the federal government's authority to benefit American lives.
- Differences: Johnson's Great Society was targeted to demographics that the New Deal overlooked (i.e. Children, Young Adults, <u>more</u> elder care).

# 8.10: The African American Civil Rights Movement (1960s)

SFHS Lesson Number: 8.1-2:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities/ differences between Direct Action and Decisive Action?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: Both are efforts to get rid of oppressive laws.
- Differences:
  - Direct Action focuses on peaceful protest/civil disobedience. (Supported by Dr. MLK)
  - Decisive Action is more aggressive and emphasizes being apart and providing their own services (Supported by Stokely Carmichael and the Nation of Islam)

# **8.11: The Civil Rights Movement Expands**

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.2

**EQ:** What are the most important causes/ effects of the Civil (1964) and Voting (1965) RIghts Acts?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: Brown v. Board of Education Decision states that segregation is unconstitutional. Needing a law to protect that ruling.
- Effects:
  - Nixon's Southern Strategy
  - While political rights are expanded there are *limits on* economic abilities.
    - Allowing for "socioeconomic segregation" (Milliken v. Bradley)

### 8.12: The Youth Culture of the 1960s:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.2-4:

**EQ:** What are the most important causes/ effects of the New Left on Democratic Party Politics:

- Causes: The Civil Rights movement destroys the New Deal Coalition as young American Democrats say the Democratic Party should do more for civil rights/intersectional issues.
- Effects: Democratic Party is fractured during Election of 1968 causing a lack of cohesion on a candidate. This disorganization in votes allows Nixon --a Republican-- to be elected President.

# 8.13: The Environment and Natural Resources from 1968 to 1980.

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.2, 8.6

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes/ effects of the Environmentalist Movement?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: The pesticide chemical DDT causes massive ecological collapses in areas where it is used, causing Rachel Carson to write the book Silent Spring to protest its use.
- Effects: Massive environmental movement resulting in the creation of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under the Nixon Administration.

## 8.14: Society in Transition

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.6:

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important causes/ effects of Detente on Cold War foreign policy?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Causes: Massive destruction causing escalation of Mutually Assured Destruction. Peace efforts on both sides try to calm tensions.
- Effects: Nixon Visits China to make Peace.
  - Advocates for the U.S. leading the World in Free Enterprise:
  - Getting China on the U.S.'s side keeps the Soviet Union cornered.
  - Example of Globalization: U.S. jobs go to China to produce products more cheaply.

#### 8.15: Continuity and Change in Period 8:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 8.1-7

<u>Causation EQ:</u> What are the most important causes/effects of Brown v. Board of Education (1954) on Civil Rights?

<u>CCOT EQ:</u> What are the most important continuities and changes regarding Cold War foreign policy?

<u>Comparison EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities/ differences between Johnson's Great Society and <u>Franklin</u> Roosevelt's New Deal?

• SFHS Lesson Number: 9.1

**EQ:** What are the most important changes/continuities regarding attitudes towards the federal government from 1968-1980?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Changes: Rise of Religious Conservatives (aka the Religious Right).
  - Conservative Economic
     Distaste of Johnson's Great

     Society.
- Continuities:
  - Malaise runs rampant in the U.S.
    - Distrust of federal government regarding:
      - Watergate Scandal
      - Vietnam War
      - Operation Condor

### 9.2: Reagan and Conservatism

• SFHS Lesson Number: 9.1

**<u>EQ:</u>** What are the most important similarities/ differences between Ronald Reagan's rise to power and Richard Nixon's rise?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Similarities: Both were supported by conservative organizations who pushed for a return to traditional norms:
  - Silent Majority (Nixon)
  - Moral Majority (Reagan)
- Differences: Both the Silent and Moral Majority had different ideologies pushing them.
  - Silent Majority: More Social/Less Religious.
  - Moral Majority: More Religious/Less Social.

# 9.3: The End of the Cold War

SFHS Lesson Number: 8.4-C, 9.1:

<u>EQ:</u> What are the most important changes/ continuities regarding Cold War policies from 1980 to 1992?

#### **Helpful Hints:**

- Changes:
  - Reagan goes from aggressive brinkmanship in his first term (arms race/SDI) to diplomacy (glasnost/perestroika) in his second term.
  - Glasnost continues until the end of the Cold War.
- Continuities: The need to keep Western/U.S. democracy above Soviet communism remains the main goal.

# 9.4: A Changing Economy:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 9.1:

**EQ:** What are the most important causes/ effects of President Clinton's economic policies in the 1990s?

- Causes: Reagan's Trickle Down Economics (Like Coolidge Prosperity in the 1920's) causes several recessions.
- Effects: Clinton and Democrats raise taxes, balance the budget, and encourage new business practices such as...
  - NAFTA (Free trade with Canada/Mexico)
  - Booming Internet Economies
    - (Aka the Internet Bubble)

# 9.5: Migration and Immigration in the 1990s and 2000's:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 9.1-2

**EQ:** What are the most important continuities/ changes regarding immigration/migration to the United States?

### **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities: Immigration to the U.S. from Latin American countries remains constant due to political/ economic instability (the push) in their own country and the promise of upward mobility (the pull) in the United States.
- Changes: Movement of both immigrants and U.S. citizens to coastal states/cities occurs due to the birth of technology companies and booming economies.

# 9.6: Challenges of the 21st Century:

• SFHS Lesson Number: 9.2:

**EQ:** What are the most important continuities/ changes regarding threats to the United States in the early 21st Century?

# **Helpful Hints:**

- Continuities:
  - o Economic Instability
    - The Great Recession of 2008 is a continuation of previous threats during American History like...
      - Reaganomics Recessions (1980s)
      - Great Depression (1929-1939)
      - Panic of 1893
      - Panic of 1837
  - Changes:
    - Terrorism:
      - Terrorism is a new threat to American security in two ways.
        - Non-State Actors (Foreign)
          - Al-Qaeda
          - ISIS
        - Domestic Terrorism

#### 9.7: Historical Thinking Skills For Period 9.

<u>Causation EQ:</u> What are the most important causes/ effects of President Clinton's economic policies in the 1990s?

<u>CCOT EQ:</u> What are the most important changes/ continuities regarding Cold War policies from 1980 to 1992?

<u>Comparison EQ:</u> What are the most important similarities/differences regarding supporters for the modern Republican Party and the modern Democratic Party?