

Texas History 7 Outline

2024-2025

The history and story of our home state of Texas will be the focus this year looking at the early history of Native Texans up until current/recent important events highlighting notable Texans, their government and its contributions.

Students will use Keynote/Adobe Spark and/or Google Slides for Group Presentations. Pages/Notability for assignments and work may be mirrored on the screen. A day trip to our state capitol in Austin will be planned and taken in April. This will include a visit to the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum.

Texas Salt Dough map projects, flags, maps and other projects will be included in our Texas History lessons this year, as well. Special guests may be invited (with prior approval) to visit and share where they've visited or lived and Skype (FaceTime) may be used for the same purpose throughout the year.

Special emphasis on Social Justice will be utilized throughout the year as well.

Special emphasis on the important role of African Americans, Women, Asian Americans and Native Texans will be implemented at various points throughout the year, highlighting the struggles that each have experienced throughout the history of our state and also progress that has been made.

Texas History by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt will be used with available online textbook and other resources. Connections to the Bob Bullock Museum are included in the new textbook. Maps and other activities will be included with our classroom's new dry erase table tops and with student iPads.

Other salt dough projects such as landform maps and a hallway timeline may be implemented this year too.

Grading Scale

• A	93%+
• A-	90-92%
• B+	87-89%
• B	83-86%
• B-	80-82%
• C+	77-79%
• C	73-76%
• C-	70-72%
• D+	67-69%
• D	63-66%
• D-	60-62%
• F	59% and lower

Categories

Daily Work (Classwork and Homework) - 60%

Tests/Quizzes - 40%

Google Classroom Code