

AP United States History

Scope and Sequence 2023-2024

Course Description: The United States History AP course is designed to provide students with the analytical skills and factual knowledge necessary to deal critically with the problems and historical resources of U.S. history. Students will learn to assess historical materials to determine the relevance of those materials to a given problem, and to evaluate the reliability and importance of selected materials. Students will develop skills necessary to make informed judgments and to present reasons and evidence clearly and persuasively in essay format. This course of study is the equivalent of a college introductory course and is available to juniors or seniors interested in taking the AP examination in American History.

Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills: AP United States History

Instructional Units	Days**	
First Semester	74	End Date
1 st Grading Period	37	10/20/2023
Supportive Learning Environment (SLE)	3	8/30/2023
Period 1: 1491 to 1607	7	9/11/2023
Period 2: 1607 to 1754	13	9/29/2023
Period 3: 1754 to 1800	14	10/20/2023
*2 nd Grading Period	37	12/21/2023
Period 4: 1800 to 1848	15	11/15/2023
Period 5: 1844 to 1877	22	12/21/2023

Instructional Units	Days**	
Second Semester	94	End Date
3 rd Grading Period	42	3/08/2024
Supportive Learning Environment (SLE)	1	1/8/2024
Period 6: 1865 to 1898	19	2/6/2024
Period 7: 1890 to 1945	20	3/7/2024
Period 8: 1945 to 1980	1	3/8/2024
*4 th Grading Period	52	5/31/2024
Period 8: 1945 to 1980	17	4/10/2024
Period 9: 1980 to Present	7	4/22/2024
Review for National Exam and STAAR EOC Test	1	4/23/2024
STAAR	1	4/24/2024
Review for National Exam and STAAR EOC Test	11	5/9/2024
AP Test	1	5/10/2024
Culminating Projects	14	5/31/2024

* Includes time for Final Exams.

***The length of each unit is a specific number of days, but it is understood that there is a range of +/- a day. The purpose of the flexibility is meant to allow teachers the opportunity to plan for the needs of their students and to accommodate re-teaching or review when necessary. If pre-assessment indicates student mastery could be obtained in a fewer number of days, the additional time could be used for extension or carried into the next unit.

Instructional Material(s):

Give Me Liberty, 6th Advanced Placement Edition. (Eric Foner) 2020.