

APUSH –summer viewing guide

Previewing Content of Movies

This movie list is provided for optional entertainment and enrichment purposes only. These films are in no way required viewing for the course.

This summer pick a film from this list **your parents agree to let you watch**, and write a summary about the film for extra credit next year.

## Note to Parents

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If you decide to allow your child watch any of these films, please check the MPAA rating (G, PG, PG-13, R) of the film on the Internet Movie Database. For much more detailed reviews of possibly objectionable content (violence, profanity, nudity, etc.), you may also research the movie at the following websites:

*Kids in Mind*

*Common Sense Media*

*Parent Previews*

<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. <i>The New World</i></li><li>2. <i>The Last of the Mohicans</i></li><li>3. <i>The Madness of King George</i></li><li>4. <i>The Patriot</i></li><li>5. <i>Jefferson in Paris</i></li><li>6. <i>Amistad</i></li><li>7. <i>Gettysburg</i></li><li>8. <i>12 Years a Slave</i></li><li>9. <i>Glory</i></li><li>10. <i>Gods and Generals</i></li><li>11. <i>Jeremiah Johnson</i></li><li>12. <i>Lincoln</i></li><li>13. <i>Cold Mountain</i></li><li>14. <i>Tombstone</i></li><li>15. <i>The Molly Maguires</i></li><li>16. <i>The Grapes of Wrath</i></li><li>17. <i>All the King's Men</i></li><li>18. <i>Patton</i></li><li>19. <i>Saving Private Ryan</i></li><li>20. <i>Good Night and Good Luck</i></li><li>21. <i>Mississippi Burning</i></li><li>22. <i>A Raisin in the Sun</i></li><li>23. <i>Dr. Strangelove</i></li><li>24. <i>We Were Soldiers</i></li><li>25. <i>Thirteen Days</i></li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>26. <i>The Right Stuff</i></li><li>27. <i>Apollo 13</i></li><li>28. <i>Forrest Gump</i></li><li>29. <i>All the President's Men</i></li><li>30. <i>Frost/Nixon</i></li><li>31. <i>Spotlight</i></li><li>32. <i>Flags of Our Fathers</i></li><li>33. <i>American Graffiti</i></li><li>34. <i>Band of Brothers</i></li><li>35. <i>Inherit the Wind</i></li><li>36. <i>The Longest Day</i></li><li>37. <i>John Adams - HBO Miniseries</i></li><li>38. <i>Gangs of New York</i></li><li>39. <i>It's A Wonderful Life</i></li><li>40. <i>Apocalypse Now</i></li><li>41. <i>Manchurian Candidate - 1962 version only please!</i></li><li>42. <i>Black Hawk Down</i></li><li>43. <i>Westside Story</i></li><li>44. <i>October Sky</i></li><li>45. <i>Charlie Wilson's War</i></li><li>46. <i>Zero Dark Thirty</i></li><li>47. <i>Lone Survivor</i></li><li>48. <i>Flight 93</i></li><li>49. <i>Hunt for Red October</i></li><li>50. <i>Ragtime</i></li></ol>
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*These are not the only films based on United States History. Feel free to branch out and watch a US History based film of your choosing*