

Department: Social Studies

Course Title: Pennsylvania Heritage

Course #:220E

DESCRIPTION OF COURSE: Students will learn Pennsylvania history, geography, government, and economics. The course will examine important influences of Pennsylvania on U.S. History with an emphasis on local contributions. Students will explore and analyze historical materials to develop rational conclusions. Historic topics will include Colonial Pennsylvania, the American Revolution and the Constitution, the Industrial Revolution, the Civil War, and the 20th Century. Other topics include Geography, State and Local Government, Economics (Corporations), and Entertainment. This course is designed to enhance students' awareness of Pennsylvania's importance within U.S. History. It will also develop a greater sense of citizenship and economic opportunity. Assessment will include exams, quizzes, written and oral reports based on research, and participation.

REQUIRED TOPICS OF STUDY	SUGGESTED INSTRUCTIONAL TIME	STANDARDS/ ASSESSMENT ANCHORS
<i>Colonial Pennsylvania</i>	<i>2 weeks</i>	<i>7.3.12 B,C; 8.1.12 A,B,C,D</i>
<i>Birth of a Nation</i>	<i>3 weeks</i>	<i>8.2.12 A,B,C,D; 8.2.3 A; 5.1.12 C,D,F,M</i>
<i>Industrial Growth & Conflict</i>	<i>2 weeks</i>	<i>8.3.12 A,B,C,D; 8.2.6 A,B,D</i>
<i>Political Leaders & the Impact of the Civil War</i>	<i>1 week</i>	<i>8.3.12 A,B,C,D; 8.2.6 A,B,D</i>
<i>The Homefront –The Great Depression & WWII</i>	<i>2 weeks</i>	<i>8.3.12 A,B,C,D; 8.2.6 A,B,D</i>
<i>Local Government</i>	<i>2 weeks</i>	<i>5.1.12 B,F,G</i>
<i>Corporations & the Modern Economy</i>	<i>3 weeks</i>	<i>6.5.12 B,C,F</i>

INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES:

Handouts, Web Access, Outside Reading TBA