Course Title – MD United States History 1

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Unit # 4, topic - Civil War & Reconstruction

Transfer Goal -

Students will be able to independently use their learning to make informed decisions about local, state, and national events in order to positively contribute to society.

Stage 1 - Desired Results

Established Goals

2009 NJCCC Standard(s), Strand(s)/CPI#

(http://www.nj.gov/education/cccs/2009/final.htm)

Common Core Curriculum Standards for Math and English (http://www.corestandards.org/)

- 6.1 U.S. History: America in the World: All students will acquire the knowledge and skills to think analytically about how past and present interactions of people, cultures, and the environment shape the American heritage. Such knowledge and skills enable students to make informed decisions that reflect fundamental rights and core democratic values as productive citizens in local, national, and global communities.
- 6.1.12.A.4.a Analyze the ways in which prevailing attitudes, socioeconomic factors, and government actions (i.e., the Fugitive Slave Act and Dred Scott Decision) in the North and South (i.e., Secession) led to the Civil War.

21st Century Themes

(www.21stcenturvskills.org)

- X Global Awareness
- _X_Financial, Economic, Business and Entrepreneurial Literacy
- X Civic Literacy
- __Health Literacy
- X Environmental Literacy

21st Century Skills

Learning and Innovation Skills:

- X Creativity and Innovation
- X Critical Thinking and Problem Solving
- X Communication and Collaboration

Information, Media and Technology Skills:

- X Information Literacy
- X Media Literacy

 6.1.12.A.4.c Judge the effectiveness of the 13th, 14th, and 15th Amendments in obtaining citizenship and equality for African Americans. 6.1.12.B.4.b Analyze the impact of population shifts and migration patterns during the Reconstruction period. 6.1.12.C.4.a Assess the role that economics played in enabling the North and South to wage war. 6.1.12.C.4.b Compare and contrast the immediate and long-term effects of the Civil War on the economies of the North and South. CCS.ELA-literacy.rh.11-12.7 Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem. 	_XICT (Information, Communications and Technology) Literacy Life and Career Skills: _X_Flexibility and Adaptability _X_Initiative and Self-Direction _X_Social and Cross-Cultural Skills _X_Productivity and Accountability _X_Leadership and Responsibility
Enduring Understandings: Students will understand that EU 1 Political, economic, and social change within a population can result in conflict. EU 2 The outcome of war is dependent upon many factors, including military techniques and strategies as well as political, economic and social influences.	 Essential Questions: EU 1 What was the biggest factor in the divide between the North and the South? Why did the South secede? Did Abraham Lincoln's election cause the Civil War? EU 2 Was war between the North and South necessary? Did the advantages and disadvantages affect the outcome of the Civil War?
EU 3 The consequences of war lead to economic, social, and political shifts in a society.	 Should the South have surrendered when they did? EU 3 Were the 13th, 14th, and 15th amendments effective? How do you reconstruct a nation when war has ended?

	Did Reconstruction have a negative or positive effect on American society?
Knowledge: Students will know	Skills: Students will be able to
 EU 1 The events that led to secession Key historical figures leading up to the Civil War Threats imposed against the Southern way of life 	 EU 1 Read a timeline Read and interpret historical documents Read and interpret a map
 EU 2 Beliefs of the North and South Advantages and disadvantages of the North and South Key historical figures involved in the Civil War Key battles of the Civil War 	 EU 2 Compare and contrast graphic organizers Read and interpret a map Interpret political cartoons Read and interpret historical documents
 EU 3 The 13th, 14th, and 15th amendments Ways in which Southerners resisted change Impact of the 13th, 14th, and 15th amendments Changes of African Americans way of life 	 EU 3 Read and interpret historical documents Interpret political cartoons Compare and contrast graphic organizers

Stage 2 - Assessment Evidence

Recommended Performance Tasks: Each unit must have at least 1 Performance Task. Consider the GRASPS form.

• The student is a mediator in an assigned location in which there is a conflict between two opposing factions. In looking at the potential effects of society, the mediator will help create a treaty. The treaty should be written using information including events leading up to the conflict, the stances that both sides are taking. In taking into account the effects that the war has had on both sides so far, the treaty will offer compromises and possible resolutions to end the conflict. (EU1, EU2, EU3)

Other Recommended Evidence: Tests, Quizzes, Prompts, Self-assessment, Observations, Dialogues, etc.

- Tests/Quizzes
- Timelines
- Observations
- Class Discussions
- Presentations
- Community Based Experience

Stage 3 – Learning Plan

Suggested Learning Activities to Include Differentiated Instruction and Interdisciplinary Connections: Consider the WHERETO elements. Each learning activity listed must be accompanied by a learning goal of A= Acquiring basic knowledge and skills, M= Making meaning and/or a T= Transfer.

- Define key vocabulary (A)
- Map the Confederate, Union, and Border States (A)
- Create a timeline of key events leading up to and including the Civil War (A)
- Chart the different ideologies, resources, and infrastructure between the North and South (A, M)
- Chart key battles and their outcomes (A)
- Venn Diagram comparing the results of the Civil War (A, M)
- Write short biographies on a chosen key figure that had a significant impact on the war (A, M)
- Write a diary as a soldier fighting in the Civil War (A, M, T)
- Role play viewpoints from each side (M, T)
- Compare and contrast life for African Americans before, during and after the Civil War (M)
- Read and dissect the Emancipation Proclamation and Gettysburg Address (M)
- Create a political cartoon illustrating views on one of the following: Lincoln, Scalawags, Carpetbaggers, and Current Events (M, T)
- Create a graphic organizer to show and summarize the reconstruction amendments (A, M)
- Choose Your Own Adventure book activity; students are given two choices for various situations a slave may encounter and make a decision to see how their story unfolds based on their choices (M)
- Summarize a current event on an oppressed population (M, T)