

AP United States History

Scope and Sequence 2024-2025

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	81	End Date
1 st Grading Period	43	10/20/2024
Supportive Learning Environment (SLE)	3	8/21/2024
Period 1: 1491 to 1607	10	9/05/2024
Period 2: 1607 to 1754	15	9/26/2024
Period 3: 1754 to 1800	15	10/18/2024
*2 nd Grading Period	38	12/20/2024
Period 4: 1800 to 1848	16	11/13/2024
Period 5: 1844 to 1877	22	12/20/2024

Instructional Units	Days**	
Second Semester	92	End Date
3 rd Grading Period	41	3/07/2025
Supportive Learning Environment (SLE)	1	1/07/2025
Period 6: 1865 to 1898	19	2/04/2025
Period 7: 1890 to 1945	19	3/05/2025
Period 8: 1945 to 1980	2	3/07/2025
*4 th Grading Period	51	5/29/2025
Period 8: 1945 to 1980	14	4/03/2025
Period 9: 1980 to Present	7	4/14/2025
Review for National Exam and STAAR EOC Test	1	4/15/2025
STAAR	1	4/16/2025
Review for National Exam	13	5/07/2025
AP Test	1	5/08/2025
Culminating Projects	14	5/29/2025

* 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.