

U.S. History

Curriculum Plan- Semester 2

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Unit 3 – From the Turbulent Sixties to the Seventies Malaise

Day 1 – Review material, recap activity, handout study guide #5

Day 2 – Lecture w/powerpoint – “The 1960 Campaign”, examine artifacts

Day 3 – Discussion – “The Election of 1960”, view Kennedy/Nixon debate clips (GC), fill out matrix, use chromebooks

Day 4 – Group activity/Discussion – “Ask Not What Your Country Can Do...”, analyze JFK inaugural address, show clip, go over reactions

Day 5 – Assign article on JFK’s health/Qs

Day 6 – Collect Qs, Lecture/Discussion – “The New Frontier”, show DVD clip: “*JFK – Like No Other*”

Day 7 – Group work and discussion – “The Bay of Pigs”

Day 8 – Cuban Missile Crisis Webquest, use chromebooks, show trailer for “*Thirteen Days*”

Day 9 – In-class work with text, Ch.26, Discussion – “Camelot”, show video clip & LP, play song

Day 10 – Introduce assassination, show DVD: “*Parkland*”

Day 11 – Show Zapruder film, Group artifact analysis work with assassination newspapers, create Oswald character profile

Day 12 – DVD: “*Parkland*” (cont’d.)

Day 13 – Show Oswald ppt images, assign Warren Commission excerpt/wkst

Day 14 – Collect wkst, Discussion over investigation, analyze Zapruder film/ballistic evidence

Day 15 – Show artifacts, finish DVD: “*Parkland*”

COUNSELOR IN TO DISCUSS REGISTRATION

Day 16 – Show LBJ 1st speech, discuss “The Johnson Treatment”, read Great Society speech

Day 17 – Review material, Activity/Discussion: “LBJ and the Great Society”, read perspectives

Day 18 – Show Herblock cartoon, In-class work with Ch.26 sec.1/2, use text

Day 19 – Spot-check worksheets, Lecture/Discussion – “LBJ & Vietnam”

Day 20 – Collect wkst, Show DVD clip: “*The Vietnam War: This is What We Do*” (PBS)

Day 21 – Assign article on the counterculture/Qs

Day 22 – Collect article Qs, Vietnam Draft group activity, discuss counterculture

Day 23 – Show DVD: “*CNN – The Sixties: 1968*”

Day 24 – 1968 Artifact Activity, play music

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Day 26 – Show JFK Houston speech, In-class webquest on the moonlanding, use chromebooks

Day 27 – Begin ‘60s Scrapbook Project, collect study guide #5

Day 28 – Work on ‘60s Scrapbook Project

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Day 30 – Finish/Submit ‘60s Scrapbook Project, hand out study guide #6

Day 31 – In-class work over the feminist movement, use text Ch.27 sec.2 & ERA wkst

Day 32 – Lecture/Discussion – “The Feminist Movement”, collect wksts

Day 33 – Discussion – “Nixon’s Character”, show DVD clip: “*Nixon – A Presidency Revealed*”, handout/discuss reading on Nixon

Day 34 – Show DVD clip: “*Nixon – A Presidency Revealed*”, assign article – “Who Was to Blame for the Kent State Killings?”/Qs

Day 35 – Collect Qs, Lecture w/powerpoint – “Nixon & Vietnam”, go over lottery handout, show LIFE magazine

Day 36 – Watergate Lesson

Day 37 – Group activity/Discussion – “Watergate”, analyze documents

Day 38 – Show video: “*CNN – The Seventies: Crimes & Cults*”

Day 39 – Show Ford State of the Union '75 clip, In-class worksheets over Ch.28 sec.3 & “Trends of the 70s” wkst

Day 40 – Collect wksts, Lecture/Discussion – “Ford, Carter, & Malaise”, read “Crisis of Confidence” speech

Day 41 – DVD: “*Miracle*”, collect study guides

Day 42 – DVD: “*Miracle*”

Day 43 – DVD: “*Miracle*”

Day 44 – Kahoot! Review game, show “*Miracle*”

Day 45 – **QUARTER 3 CELEBRATION OF KNOWLEDGE**, finish “*Miracle*”

SPRING BREAK

Unit 4 – Misc. Topics in American History

Day 46 – Go over Quarter 4 schedule, Begin Presidential March Madness Research

Day 47 – March Madness Research (cont’d.)

Day 48 – March Madness Round #1

Day 49 – March Madness Round #1 (cont’d.), assign president for Round #2, research

Day 50 – March Madness Research (cont’d.)

Day 51 – March Madness Round #2

Day 52 – March Madness Round #2 (cont’d.)

Day 53 – March Madness Round #2 (cont’d.), assign research for Sweet Sixteen

Day 54 – March Madness Sweet Sixteen, assign research for Elite Eight

Day 55 – March Madness Elite Eight, competition, prep for Final Four & Championship Round

Day 56 – March Madness Final Four & Championship Round, watch videos

Day 57 – Disaster Week Topic #1 – “The Blizzard of 1888”, assign Laskin article/Qs

Day 58 – Collect Qs, Disaster Week Topic #2 – “The Triangle Shirtwaist Co. Fire”, use webquest on chromebooks

Day 59 – Collect wkst, Disaster Week Topic #3 – “The Spanish Flu of 1918”, show clip: “*Influenza 1918*” (*American Experience*)

Day 60 – Disaster Week Topic #4 – “The 1925 Tri-State Tornado”, students create news stories based on research

Day 61 – Disaster Week Topic #5 – “The Dust Bowl”, read accounts, show video clip: “*Black Blizzard*”

Day 62 – Video: “*The Foods That Built America*” (Krispy Kreme v. Dunkin’)

SAT TESTING

Day 63 – Begin Symbolic Portrait Activity (research)

Day 64 – Work on Symbolic Portrait Activity (work on poster)

Day 65 – Work on Symbolic Portrait Activity (work on poster)

Day 66 – Symbolic Portrait Presentations

Day 67 – Native American Week Topic #1 – Document Activity/Discussion – “Early Encounters Between Native Americans & Europeans”, show youtube clips on banning school mascots and the first Thanksgiving

Day 68 – Native American Week Topic #2 – “Trail of Tears”, assign webquest Qs, use Chromebooks, show peace medals

Day 69 – Collect webquest, Native American Week Topic #3 – “Battle of Wounded Knee”

Day 70 – Native American Week Topic #4 – “The Osage Murders”, watch video clip

Day 71 – Native American Week Topic #5 – Group activity/discussion – “Place Names”, play music

Day 72 – Introduce Local History, show clip about IL from *The States* (*History Channel*)

Day 73 – Show video clip/flag about Chicago, assign 1893 World’s Fair webquest, use chromebooks

Day 74 – Collect webquest, show video clip – “*Stealing Lincoln’s Body*”

Day 75 – Show youtube clip on lynching (EJI), assign article/Qs over the Illinois Lynchings/Qs

Day 76 – Video clip/Discussion – “Robert Wadlow, the Alton Giant”, show ppt images, give out crossword puzzle

Day 77 – Collect Qs, Discussion – Decatur History, give out Decatur trivia quiz, show ppt images

Day 78 – Lecture over Mt. Zion History, show ppt images, Discussion – “The Slover Murder Case”, show video: “*Dead in the Water*”

Day 79 – Mt. Zion artifacts

Day 80 – Cemetery Walk uptown

Day 81 – Lecture – “MTZHS – A Snapshot History”, take walking tour

Day 82 – “*Forrest Gump*”

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Day 86 – Kahoot! Review game for Quarter 4 Celebration

Day 87 – Study day for semester exams

Day 88 – QUARTER 4 CELEBRATION/EVALUATION