

7th Grade Texas History Honors

Course Description/Goals:

7th Grade TX History Honors is designed to meet the needs of the district's gifted and advanced students. Students will develop an understanding and appreciation of the history and geography of Texas as well as the state's cultural heritage from exploration and settlement to the present. This course assists in preparing students for the challenges offered by the Advanced Placement and Dual Credit programs through sustained habits necessary for success

Course TEKS/Objectives:

The Texas History TEKS (Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills) are organized into reporting categories, each focusing on a specific area of social studies. These categories include: History, Geography and Culture, Government and Citizenship, and Economics, Science, Technology and Society. Each category contains specific standards (TEKS) that students are expected to master.

[Middle School Social Studies TEKS](#)

Course Outline:

Semester 1	Semester 2
<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Geography of Texas-Native Texans-Explorers, Missions, & Anglo Colonization-Road to the TX Revolution-TX Revolution-Republic of TX-Mexican-American War DBQ-Causes of the Civil War-Sam Houston DBQ	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Civil War Battles-Reconstruction-Frontier Wars, Cotton, Cattle & Railroads-Galveston Hurricane-Oil Industry & Industrialization of TX-Progressive Era-WWI-Great Depression & Dust Bowl-WWII-Civil Rights, Culture & Modern TX-Government & Citizenship