

Advanced Placement U.S. History Summer Assignments - 2026

For students who are taking Advanced Placement U.S. history (APUSH) at Garrison Forest School in the 2026-27 School Year, the following assignments are required to be completed PRIOR to the start of the school year. Please pay attention to due dates:

Assignments and Due Dates:

1. Tuesday, September 1st- [Historical Analysis](#) of a book of choice from [this list](#);
2. Thursday, Sept. 3rd - [Chapter One](#) and [Chapter Two](#) Videos for our text (Adam Norris videos). **OR** [Watch all Period 1 Videos here](#) (Heimler's History) - watch and take notes. We will have a **summative** test on these two chapters in the first full week of school.

Links for each document:

[Historical Book Analysis guidelines](#)

[Book Choice lists](#)

Textbook [Chapter One](#) - video

Textbook [Chapter Two](#) - video

Note: there are reading guides for each of these chapters [at this website](#). Note that it is for an earlier edition of the text but the content is the same.

[Heimler's History](#) (Period 1) - video

If you have any questions, please email: bethruekberg@gfs.org.