

Advanced Placement U.S. History
Summer Assignment
2026-2027

In preparation for the upcoming 2025-2026 academic year, all Advanced Placement U.S. History must complete the assignment below. Should any questions and/or concerns regarding the summer assignment arise, please see either Mr. Doyle in Room A261 or at jeffrey.doyle@pembrokek12.org or Mrs. Almon in A265 or at caitlin.almon@pembrokek12.org **before the end of this school year (2025 - 2026)**

A full-course syllabus and content schedule will be disseminated to all Advanced Placement U.S. History students upon their return to school in the Fall.

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Assignment

1. Students will read Chapters 1 and 2 of the text *Making America: A History of the United States*
 - Students will take handwritten notes on pertinent material. A quiz on material from Chapters 1 & 2 will be given within the first week of school.
 - Students will be allowed to use their handwritten notes.
 - Please take notes in a notebook that you plan to use exclusively for AP US History.
2. Students will construct a response to the Long Essay Question (LEQ) prompt below. Submissions must be posted to **both** Google Classroom and Turnitin no later than Friday, **August 14, 2026**

Assignment Name: LEQ - English Colonies

Prompt:

Evaluate the extent to which Native American societies were significantly altered by European contact in the period from 1491 to 1607.

Google Classroom and [TurnItIn.com](https://www.turnitin.com) submission information will be distributed on the day of the summer work meeting. Please email jeffrey.doyle@pembrokek12.org or caitlin.almon@pembrokek12.org for further information.