

Pacing guide for US History 10 History

Unit	Weeks / Days	Priority Standard	Supporting Standards	Instructional Focus
Unit 1	Weeks 1–2 (Days 1–8)	PS 1: Roots of Independence	1.1 British policies 1.2 Colonial protests 1.3 Declaration of Independence	Causes of Revolution, protest, independence
Unit 2	Weeks 3–4 (Days 9–16)	PS 2: War for Independence	2.1 Leadership & strategy 2.2 Foreign aid 2.3 Contributions of groups	War strategy, alliances, impact on groups
Unit 3	Weeks 5–6 (Days 17–24)	PS 3: New Government	3.1 Articles weaknesses 3.2 Constitutional debates 3.3 Federalists vs Anti-Federalists	Constitution, compromise, government structure
Unit 4	Weeks 7–8 (Days 25–32)	PS 4: Early Republic	4.1 Political parties 4.2 Economic policy 4.3 Foreign relations	Washington–Monroe, policy development
Unit 5	Weeks 9–10 (Days 33–40)	PS 5: Expansion	5.1 Expansion policies 5.2 Indian Removal 5.3 Migration & impact	Manifest Destiny, Trail of Tears, migration
Unit 6	Weeks 11–12 (Days 41–48)	PS 6: Reform Movements	6.1 Jacksonian democracy 6.2 Cultural movements 6.3 Women’s rights	Reform, identity, expanding participation
Unit 7	Weeks 13–14 (Days 49–56)	PS 7: Sectionalism	7.1 Cotton economy 7.2 Slave system variations 7.3 Market Revolution & American System	North vs South, economy, policy conflict
Unit 8	Weeks 15–16 (Days 57–64)	PS 8: Abolition & Resistance	8.1 Resistance 8.2 Abolitionists 8.3 Underground Railroad & laws	Abolition strategies, resistance, tension
Unit 9	Week 17 (Days 65–70)	PS 9: Escalation to Civil War	9.1 Compromises & court cases 9.2 Expansion conflict 9.3 Political breakdown	Events leading to Civil War

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Unit 10	Week 18 (Days 71–80)	PS 10 & 11: Civil War + Industrialization	10.1 Military strategy 10.2 Emancipation 10.3 Reconstruction 11.1 Industrialization 11.2 Reform movements 11.3 Reform effectiveness	Civil War → Reconstruction → Industrial transformation

****The instructional days not accounted for will be spent reteaching and administering checkpoint exams at various times throughout the semester. ****