

U.S. History traces the nation's history from the pre-colonial period to the present. Students learn about the Native American, European, and African people who lived in America before it became the United States. They examine the beliefs and philosophies that informed the American Revolution and the subsequent formation of the government and political system. Students investigate the economic, cultural, and social motives for the nation's expansion, as well as the conflicting notions of liberty that eventually resulted in civil war. The course describes the emergence of the United States as an industrial nation and then focuses on its role in modern world affairs.

Moving into the 20th and 21st centuries, students probe the economic and diplomatic interactions between the United States and other world players while investigating how the world wars, the Cold War, and the "information revolution" affected the lives of ordinary Americans. Woven through this chronological sequence is a strong focus on the changing conditions of women, African Americans, and other minority groups.

The course emphasizes the development of historical analysis skills such as comparing and contrasting, differentiating between facts and interpretations, considering multiple perspectives, and analyzing cause-and-effect relationships. These skills are applied to text interpretation and in written assignments that guide learners step-by-step through problem-solving activities.

This course is built to state standards and informed by the National Council for History Education, the National Center for History in the Schools, and the National Council for Social Studies. **Note: Second semester outline coming soon.** 

Length: Two semesters

# **UNIT 1: PEOPLING NORTH AMERICA (PREHISTORY - 1763)**

## **LESSON 1: SKILLS FOR U.S. HISTORY**

# Checkup: Welcome to U.S. History

Learn eight important strategies for reading social studies texts.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Study: Reading Historical Evidence in U.S. History

Explore strategies for reading and interpreting historical evidence.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: Reading Historical Evidence in U.S. History

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# Study: Understanding Context and Bias in U.S. History

Examine how context and bias shape views on U.S. history.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Quiz: Understanding Context and Bias in U.S. History

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **LESSON 2: INDIGENOUS CIVILIZATIONS IN AMERICA**

# **Study: Indigenous Civilizations Develop the Continent**

Learn about the Indigenous groups that established civilizations in the Americas.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: Indigenous Civilizations Develop the Continent**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

#### Study: Civilizations in Eastern North America

Learn about Indigenous groups that built civilizations in eastern North America.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Quiz: Civilizations in Eastern North America

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Study: Civilizations in Western North America

Learn about Indigenous groups that built civilizations in western North America.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: Civilizations in Western North America**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Practice: Regional Indigenous Cultures**

Research an Indigenous civilization that developed in a region near you.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

#### **LESSON 3: EUROPEAN COLONIZATION**

#### Study: European Arrival and Colonization

Learn about how European civilizations began colonizing the Americas.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: European Arrival and Colonization**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Study: European and Indigenous Contacts and Conflicts

Examine the conflicts that arose between European colonizers and Indigenous groups.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: European and Indigenous Contacts and Conflicts**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Practice: Exploring European Colonization**

Map European claims to land in the Americas.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

#### **LESSON 4: BRITISH COLONIZATION OF NORTH AMERICA**

## Study: The New England, Middle, and Southern Colonies

Learn about the regional English colonies in North America.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Quiz: The New England, Middle, and Southern Colonies

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: Continuing Conflicts**

Examine the conflicts that continued to develop between English colonists and Indigenous groups.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: Continuing Conflicts**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# Study: The Beginning of the Slave Trade

Examine the development of the slave trade.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: The Beginning of the Slave Trade**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Journal: The Middle Passage

Study the experiences of people forced into slavery through the Middle Passage.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 5: WRAP-UP: PEOPLING NORTH AMERICA**

# Review: Wrap-Up: Peopling North America

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs Scoring: 0 points

## Test (CS): Wrap-Up: Peopling North America

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

## Test (TS): Wrap-Up: Peopling North America

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# UNIT 2: THE FOUNDING OF THE UNITED STATES (1763 - 1824)

## **LESSON 1: THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

#### Study: The Lead-Up to Independence

Examine conditions in the British colonies in North America that led to the American Revolution.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Quiz: The Lead-Up to Independence

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Discuss: The Declaration of Independence**

Discuss the major themes in the Declaration of Independence.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

## Study: The Revolutionary War

Explore the course and outcome of the Revolutionary War.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: The Revolutionary War**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **LESSON 2: CREATING A GOVERNMENT**

# **Study: Creating a Government**

Examine how the United States created a new plan of government under the Constitution.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Creating a Government**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Study: The Ratification Debate**

Learn about how the Constitution was accepted as the governing set of laws for the United States.

#### **Quiz: The Ratification Debate**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Discuss: Arguments over Ratification**

Discuss the major arguments that developed during the ratification debate.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

## Read: The U.S. Constitution and the Bill of Rights

Examine the Constitution.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **LESSON 3: THE EMERGING NATION**

#### **Study: The Federalist Presidents**

Learn about the presidencies of George Washington and John Adams.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Federalist Presidents**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: Jeffersonian Democracy**

Learn about the presidency of Thomas Jefferson.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Jeffersonian Democracy**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# Study: The War of 1812 and the Era of Good Feelings

Examine events in the United States from the War of 1812 through the Era of Good Feelings.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: The War of 1812 and the Era of Good Feelings

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Practice: The Founding Leaders and Slavery**

Research the U.S. Founders' thoughts about and connections with the practice of slavery.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

## **LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: THE FOUNDING OF THE UNITED STATES**

## Review: Wrap-Up: The Founding of the United States

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs Scoring: 0 points

## Test (CS): Wrap-Up: The Founding of the United States

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

## Test (TS): Wrap-Up: The Founding of the United States

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# UNIT 3: GROWTH AND DIVISION OF THE UNITED STATES (1824 - 1860)

## **LESSON 1: THE AGE OF JACKSON**

# **Study: Jacksonian Democracy**

Learn about the rise of Andrew Jackson and examine his policies as president.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Jacksonian Democracy**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: Resisting Removal and the Trail of Tears**

Explore how Indigenous groups resisted the policy of removal.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Resisting Removal and the Trail of Tears**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **Journal: Arguments Around Removal**

Research the debates that occurred around the policy of Indigenous removal.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

#### Study: The Expansion of and Resistance to Slavery

Examine how the expansion of slavery became a major political issue.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Quiz: The Expansion of and Resistance to Slavery

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **LESSON 2: CONFLICTS AND CULTURAL GROWTH**

# Study: Political Conflicts and War

Learn about political divisions and the course of the Mexican-American War.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Political Conflicts and War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# Study: Cultural Growth and Public Life

Explore cultural developments and changes in public life in the United States prior to 1860.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Cultural Growth and Public Life**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Practice: The Seneca Falls Convention**

Examine the work of activists at the Seneca Falls Convention.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

# **LESSON 3: INCREASING DIVISIONS**

# **Study: Expansion and Compromise**

Learn about the political conflicts and compromises that developed around the practice and spread of slavery.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Expansion and Compromise**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Journal: The Lincoln-Douglas Debates

Research the arguments that were made between Abraham Lincoln and Stephen Douglas during their 1858 debates.

#### **Study: Working Against Slavery**

Learn about the work of abolitionists and other people who opposed slavery in the United States.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: Working Against Slavery**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: GROWTH AND DIVISION OF THE UNITED STATES**

## Review: Wrap-Up: Growth and Division of the United States

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs Scoring: 0 points

#### Test (CS): Wrap-Up: Growth and Division of the United States

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# Test (TS): Wrap-Up: Growth and Division of the United States

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# **UNIT 4: CIVIL WAR AND RECONSTRUCTION (1860 – 1877)**

#### **LESSON 1: THE CIVIL WAR BEGINS**

#### Study: Lincoln's Election and Southern Secession

Learn about the 1860 presidential election and the outbreak of the Civil War.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Lincoln's Election and Southern Secession**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: The Fighting Begins**

Learn about the course of the Civil War through 1862 and the issuing of the Emancipation Proclamation.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: The Fighting Begins**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **LESSON 2: RESTORING THE UNION**

## **Study: Fighting to End Slavery**

Examine the course of the Civil War through the Union victories at Gettysburg and Vicksburg.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Fighting to End Slavery**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Read: The Gettysburg Address**

Examine the themes of Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Study: Life During the Civil War

Learn about how the Civil War affected the lives of all Americans.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Quiz: Life During the Civil War

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: The Union Victory**

Examine the end of the Civil War and the Union victory.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Union Victory**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **LESSON 3: RECONSTRUCTION**

## **Study: Reconstruction Begins**

Examine how the United States looked to rebuild after the Civil War.

Duration: 0 hrs Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: Reconstruction Begins**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Practice: Women's Rights and Reconstruction**

Explore the debate around women's rights that developed during Reconstruction.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

## Study: Black American Enfranchisement

Examine the work and influence of Black Americans during Reconstruction.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Black American Enfranchisement**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: The End of Reconstruction**

Learn about how the period of Reconstruction came to an end in 1877.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The End of Reconstruction**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: CIVIL WAR AND RECONSTRUCTION**

# Review: Wrap-Up: Civil War and Reconstruction

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs Scoring: 0 points

# Test (CS): Wrap-Up: Civil War and Reconstruction

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# Test (TS): Wrap-Up: Civil War and Reconstruction

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# **UNIT 5: THE GILDED AGE (1877 - 1900)**

# **LESSON 1: CONFLICTS AFTER RECONSTRUCTION**

# **Study: The Erosion of Civil Rights**

Examine how Black Americans lost their hard-fought civil rights after Reconstruction.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: The Erosion of Civil Rights**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: Closing the Frontier**

Learn about how Indigenous groups were affected by continuing U.S. developments.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Closing the Frontier**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **LESSON 2: IMMIGRATION AND DOMESTIC DEVELOPMENTS**

# **Study: Immigration**

Learn about the wave of immigration that occurred in the United States during the Gilded Age.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Immigration**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **Read: Protesting Chinese Exclusion**

Read a letter by Saum Song Bo that protested the U.S. policy of Chinese exclusion.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Study: Domestic Developments**

Examine the industrial and political developments that occurred during the Gilded Age.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Domestic Developments**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **LESSON 3: A GROWING EMPIRE**

## Study: U.S. Imperialism

Examine how the United States developed into an imperial power.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Quiz: U.S. Imperialism

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Practice: The Debate over Imperialism**

Examine arguments that imperialists and anti-imperialists posed during the Gilded Age.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

# **LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: THE GILDED AGE**

# Review: Wrap-Up: The Gilded Age

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs Scoring: 0 points

# Test (CS): Wrap-Up: The Gilded Age

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# Test (TS): Wrap-Up: The Gilded Age

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# **UNIT 6: SEMESTER 1 REVIEW AND EXAM**

#### **LESSON 1: SEMESTER 1 REVIEW AND EXAM**

#### **Review: Semester 1 Review**

Prepare for the final exam by reviewing key concepts and skills you have learned in this course.

Duration: 0 hrs Scoring: 0 points

#### **Exam: Semester 1 Exam**

Take a computer-scored exam to assess what you have learned in this course.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 100 points

#### Final Exam: Semester 1 Exam

Take a teacher-scored exam to assess what you have learned in this course.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 100 points

# UNIT 7: THE PROGRESSIVE ERA THROUGH THE ROARING '20S (1900 - 1929)

#### **LESSON 1: SKILLS FOR U.S. HISTORY II**

## Checkup: Skills for U.S. History

Learn skills for studying U.S. History.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Study: Understanding Causation and Argumentation in U.S. History

Learn how historians use the skills of causation and argumentation to better understand the past.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Quiz: Understanding Causation and Argumentation in U.S. History

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: Chronological Thinking**

Learn how and why historians put historical events in chronological order.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Chronological Thinking**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **LESSON 2: THE PROGRESSIVE AGE**

#### Study: The Push for Reform

Learn about challenges and efforts to improve social conditions during the Progressive Era.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Push for Reform**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: Progressive Developments**

Learn about the efforts of Progressive Era reformers.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: Progressive Developments**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Study: Continuing Inequality and the Great Migration

Learn about the work of Black leaders to address civil rights issues doing the Progressive Era. Learn about the effect of the Great Migration on the United States.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: Continuing Inequality and the Great Migration**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Discuss: Booker T. Washington and W. E. B. Du Bois

Discuss the civil rights strategies of Booker T. Washington and W. E. B. Du Bois.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

#### **LESSON 3: WORLD WAR I**

#### Study: World War I and Its Aftermath

Learn about World War I, including its causes, lasting impacts, and U.S. involvement in the war.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Quiz: World War I and Its Aftermath

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Read: Propaganda of the Great War

Examine examples of World War I propaganda.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Practice: Woodrow Wilson's Fourteen Points

Analyze Woodrow Wilson's Fourteen Points.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

## **LESSON 4: THE ROARING '20S**

## Study: Political and Economic Developments of the 1920s

Learn about the political and economic developments in the United States during the 1920s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Quiz: Political and Economic Developments of the 1920s

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Study: Cultural Developments of the 1920s

Learn about the cultural developments in the United States during the 1920s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Quiz: Cultural Developments of the 1920s

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Read: The Harlem Renaissance

Examine works produced during the Harlem Renaissance and their impact on American culture.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# LESSON 5: WRAP-UP: THE PROGRESSIVE ERA THROUGH THE ROARING '20S

# Review: Wrap-Up: The Progressive Era Through the Roaring '20s

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Test (CS): Wrap-Up: The Progressive Era Through the Roaring '20s

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# Test (TS): Wrap-Up: The Progressive Era Through the Roaring '20s

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# UNIT 8: THE GREAT DEPRESSION AND WORLD WAR II (1929 - 1945)

#### **LESSON 1: THE GREAT DEPRESSION**

## **Study: The Depression Begins**

Learn about the causes and effects of the Great Depression on the United States.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Depression Begins**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Read: Experiences of the Great Depression**

Examine sources revealing the personal experiences of Americans who lived through the Great Depression.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Study: The New Deal

Learn about the elements of the New Deal, as well as its impact and legacy.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Ouiz: The New Deal**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Discuss: The Role of the Government**

Discuss the role of the federal government during an economic crisis.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 2: WORLD WAR II**

## Study: World War II Begins

Learn about the causes and early events of World War II, up to U.S. involvement in the war.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: World War II Begins**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Study: The War at Home

Learn about the impact of World War II in the United States, including the contributions of women and people of color.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: The War at Home

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Practice: Women and the War Effort**

Analyze the contributions of women during World War II.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

# **LESSON 3: DEFEATING THE AXIS POWERS**

# Study: Allied Victory

Learn about events in World War II from U.S. involved through the end of the war in both Europe and the Pacific Theater.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: Allied Victory**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# Study: The Human Cost of World War II

Learn about the human and environmental costs of World War II, including the Holocaust and other human rights

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: The Human Cost of World War II

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Journal: How Did the Holocaust Occur?

Reflect on the events and policies of the Holocaust.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

#### **LESSON 4: THE GREAT DEPRESSION AND WORLD WAR II**

## **Review: The Great Depression and World War II**

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Test (CS): The Great Depression and World War II

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

## Test (TS): The Great Depression and World War II

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# UNIT 9: THE POSTWAR YEARS TO THE COLD WAR (1945 - 1969)

## **LESSON 1: THE POSTWAR YEARS**

## Study: The Beginning of the Cold War

Learn about developments in the Cold War from the late 1940s through the early 1960s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Beginning of the Cold War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Practice: Cold War Propaganda**

Analyze examples of U.S. propaganda created during the Cold War.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

# Study: Postwar Life in America

Learn about life in the United States after the end of World War II and through the early years of the Cold War.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Quiz: Postwar Life in America

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **LESSON 2: FIGHTING FOR EQUALITY**

# **Study: The Civil Rights Movement**

Learn about the civil rights movement during the 1960s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: The Civil Rights Movement**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Read: Speeches of the Civil Rights Movements**

Examine writings by Martin Luther King, Jr., including Letter from a Birmingham Jail and his "I Have a Dream" speech.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Study: Expanding the Fight for Civil Rights

Learn about several groups' fight for civil rights, including Mexican Americans, Asian Americans, Indigenous peoples, and the LGBTQIA+ community.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Expanding the Fight for Civil Rights**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Study: The Women's Rights Movement

Learn about the women's rights movement that began in the early 1960s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Women's Rights Movement**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **LESSON 3: THE COLD WAR AND SOCIETAL DEVELOPMENTS**

## Study: The Deepening Cold War

Learn about Cold War events and policies during the 1960s, including those that led to U.S. involvement in the Vietnam war.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: The Deepening Cold War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Study: The Great Society**

Learn about social programs that were created under President Lyndon B. Johnson's Great Society.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Great Society**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Study: Social Developments**

Learn about cultural developments in the United States during the 1960s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Social Developments**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Practice: The Counterculture**

Analyze the influence of counterculture beliefs on U.S. culture and politics during the 1960s.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

## LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: THE POSTWAR YEARS TO THE COLD WAR

## Review: Wrap-Up: The Postwar Years to the Cold War

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Test (CS): Wrap-Up: The Postwar Years to the Cold War

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# Test (TS): Wrap-Up: The Postwar Years to the Cold War

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# **UNIT 10: THE END OF THE COLD WAR (1969 - 1991)**

#### LESSON 1: U.S. POLITICS AND CHANGES IN THE COLD WAR

# Study: Political Developments of the 1970s

Learn about political developments of the 1970s, including the presidency of Richard Nixon and the conclusion of the Vietnam War.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins

# Quiz: Political Developments of the 1970s

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Practice: The Nixon Resignation**

Identify factors that led to the resignation of President Richard Nixon in 1972.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

# **Study: Changes in World Affairs**

Learn about the domestic and foreign policies of President Jimmy Carter.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Changes in World Affairs**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **LESSON 2: THE UNITED STATES IN THE 1980S**

## **Study: The Reagan Years**

Learn about the presidency of Ronald Reagan.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Reagan Years**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **Practice: The Changing Role of the Government**

Compare the policies of Presidents Lyndon B. Johnson and Ronald Reagan.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

## Study: Expanding the Battle for Civil Rights

Learn about the challenges many communities faced during the 1980s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Quiz: Expanding the Battle for Civil Rights

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **LESSON 3: ENDING THE COLD WAR**

# Study: The Cold War in the 1980s

Learn about the effect of President Ronald Reagan's Cold War policies during the 1980s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Quiz: The Cold War in the 1980s

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# Study: The End of the Cold War

Learn about events that led to the end of the Cold War, including the collapse of the Soviet Union.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Quiz: The End of the Cold War

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: THE END OF THE COLD WAR**

## Review: Wrap-Up: The End of the Cold War

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

## Test (CS): Wrap-Up: The End of the Cold War

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

#### Test (TS): Wrap-Up: The End of the Cold War

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# UNIT 11: THE UNITED STATES IN THE CONTEMPORARY AGE (1991 - PRESENT)

## **LESSON 1: THE UNITED STATES AFTER THE COLD WAR**

## Study: The U.S. and Global Changes

Learn about U.S. foreign policy during the 1990s, including the role of the United States in global conflicts.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: The U.S. and Global Changes

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# Study: Domestic Policy of the 1990s

Learn about the domestic policies of the George H.W. Bush and Bill Clinton administrations during the 1990s.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: Domestic Policy of the 1990s

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Journal: The Birth of the Internet

Reflect on the internet, including its impact on technology and culture in the United States.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 2: THE UNITED STATES ENTERS THE NEW MILLENNIUM**

# **Study: The War on Terror Begins**

Learn about events of the first decade of the 21st century, including the 2000 presidential elections and the September 11 attacks.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The War on Terror Begins**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# Study: Domestic Challenges and the Great Recession

Learn about the domestic policies and events of the George W. Bush administration, including the Great Recession of 2008.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: Domestic Challenges and the Great Recession**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

# **Practice: The United States and Globalization**

Analyze the effects of globalization on the United States.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 40 points

# Study: Developments in the New Millennium

Learn about scientific and technological developments of the late 1990s and early 2000s, and their influence on U.S. society and culture.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Quiz: Developments in the New Millennium

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## **LESSON 3: THE CONTEMPORARY UNITED STATES**

# **Study: The Obama Years**

Learn about the foreign and domestic policies of President Barack Obama.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: The Obama Years**

Take a guiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Study: Contemporary U.S. Developments

Learn about events surrounding the 2016 and 2020 presidential elections, as well as Presidents Donald Trump's and Joseph Biden's foreign and domestic policies.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

## **Quiz: Contemporary U.S. Developments**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

## Study: Continuing the Fight for Equality

Learn about the continued fight for equality during the Donald Trump and Joseph Biden administrations.

Duration: 0 hrs 45 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Quiz: Continuing the Fight for Equality**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Journal: The Future of the United States

Reflect on themes that have characterized the United States since the 1900s,

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: THE UNITED STATES IN THE CONTEMPORARY AGE**

# Review: Wrap-Up: The United States in the Contemporary Age

Prepare for the unit test by reviewing key concepts and skills.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

# Test (CS): Wrap-Up: The United States in the Contemporary Age

Take a computer-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

# Test (TS): Wrap-Up: The United States in the Contemporary Age

Take a teacher-scored test to assess what you have learned in this unit.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 60 points

## **UNIT 12: SEMESTER 2 REVIEW AND EXAM**

# **LESSON 1: SEMESTER 2 REVIEW AND EXAM**

**Review: Semester 2 Review** 

Prepare for the final exam by reviewing key concepts and skills you have learned in this course.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

# **Exam: Semester 2 Exam**

Take a computer-scored exam to assess what you have learned in this course.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 100 points

# Final Exam: Semester 2 Exam

Take a teacher-scored exam to assess what you have learned in this course.

Duration: 0 hrs 50 mins Scoring: 100 points