

In Modern World History from 1600, students study the major turning points that shaped the modern world including the Enlightenment, industrialization, imperialism, nationalism, political revolutions, the world wars, the Cold War, decolonization, and globalization. By presenting content from multiple perspectives and through diverse primary and secondary source materials, this course provides students with a solid foundation in the history of the modern era and prepares students to be active and informed citizens of the world.

Through critical reading activities, feedback-rich instruction, and application-oriented assignments, students develop their capacity to conduct research, analyze sources, make arguments, and take informed action. In written assignments, students address critical questions about the history of the modern era. In discussion activities, students respond to diverse opinions, take positions, and defend their own claims. Formative and summative assessments provide students — and teachers — with ample opportunities to check in, review, and evaluate students' progress in the course.

This course is built to state standards.

Length: Two Semesters

## UNIT 1: WELCOME TO MODERN WORLD HISTORY

### LESSON 1: WORLD HISTORY IN THE MODERN ERA

#### Checkpoint: Active Reading Strategies

Learn eight important strategies for reading social studies texts.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Study: Introduction to Modern World History

Identify the common themes, periods, and regions studied in modern world history.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: Introduction to Modern World History

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Journal: Reflecting on the World

Reflect on the importance of studying modern world history and identify interesting questions about the history of the modern era.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

### LESSON 2: HISTORICAL THINKING SKILLS: HISTORIOGRAPHY AND CHRONOLOGY

#### Checkpoint: Think Like a Historian

Examine how historians use inquiry to understand the past.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Study: Understanding Historiography

Learn about historiography and the different methods historians use to study the past.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: Understanding Historiography

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Read: Historical Narratives

Read articles and answer questions about how historians construct narratives about the past.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Chronological Thinking**

Analyze the skills associated with chronological thinking, including periodization and recognizing patterns of continuity and change over time.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 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

### **Practice: Using Timelines to Reconstruct History**

Conduct research and create a timeline reflecting some of the major milestones in the women's suffrage movement.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 3: HISTORICAL THINKING SKILLS: WORKING WITH SOURCES**

### **Study: Primary and Secondary Sources**

Identify and differentiate between primary and secondary sources of historical evidence.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Primary and Secondary Sources**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Checkup: Find the Evidence**

Analyze a primary source document by identifying historical evidence including its date of creation, author, point of view, and main idea.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Reliability, Credibility, and Contextualization**

Learn about analyzing the accuracy, reliability, credibility, and historical context of historical sources.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Reliability, Credibility, and Contextualization**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: "Body Ritual among the Nacirema"**

Read the article "Body Ritual among the Nacirema" and answer questions about how context affects our understanding of history.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Discuss: What's So Important About Context?**

Debate the complexities and importance of contextualization.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

## **LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: WELCOME TO MODERN WORLD HISTORY**

### **Review: Welcome to Modern World History**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Test (CS): Welcome to Modern World History**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

### **Test (TS): Welcome to Modern World History**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

## UNIT 2: REVOLUTIONS IN SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY

### LESSON 1: THE SCIENTIFIC REVOLUTION AND THE ENLIGHTENMENT

#### Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Scientific Illustrations

Analyze scientific illustrations created in the 17th century.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Study: The Scientific Revolution

Investigate the major causes and worldwide impacts of the scientific revolution, as well as the contributions of specific scientists and inventors.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: The Scientific Revolution

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Study: The Age of Enlightenment

Investigate the major causes and worldwide impacts of the Enlightenment, as well as the contributions of specific thinkers.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: The Age of Enlightenment

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Read: *The Social Contract*

Read and demonstrate understanding of a passage from Jean-Jacques Rousseau's book *The Social Contract*.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Discuss: Science and the Enlightenment

Analyze the relationship between the scientific revolution and the Enlightenment.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

### LESSON 2: THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION

#### Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: *History of the Cotton Manufacture in Great Britain*

Read and demonstrate understanding of excerpts from Edward Baines's 1835 book *The History of the Cotton Manufacture in Great Britain*.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Study: Great Britain's Industrial Revolution

Examine the major causes and characteristics of the Industrial Revolution in Great Britain, including important agricultural and technological innovations.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: Great Britain's Industrial Revolution

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Study: Industrialization Spreads

Examine the characteristics of the Industrial Revolution as it spread to the United States, Japan, and beyond.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### Quiz: Industrialization Spreads

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### Practice: Technology and Industrialization

Examine the advantages and disadvantages of three advances in technology, communication, and transportation from the Industrial Revolution.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 20 points

### LESSON 3: THE INDUSTRIALIZED WORLD

#### **Read: *The Wealth of Nations***

Read and demonstrate understanding of excerpts from Adam Smith's book *The Wealth of Nations*.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Study: Industrialization and the Economy**

Analyze the impact of the Industrial Revolution on the development of modern economic systems, including the origins and characteristics of capitalism.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: Industrialization and the Economy**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **Study: Social Changes**

Examine how the Industrial Revolution affected the lives of people in industrialized countries.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: Social Changes**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **Study: Responses to Industrialization**

Identify the responses of various groups to the problems of the Industrial Revolution, including those who sought social and labor reform, artists, and socialist and communist thinkers.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: Responses to Industrialization**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **Read: *The Communist Manifesto***

Read and demonstrate understanding of a passage from the *Communist Manifesto* by Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Discuss: Did Industrialization Improve Life?**

Use historical evidence to write a claim and debate whether industrialization had a positive or negative impact on people's lives.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

### LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: REVOLUTIONS IN SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY

#### **Review: Revolutions in Science and Industry**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Test (CS): Revolutions in Science and Industry**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

#### **Test (TS): Revolutions in Science and Industry**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

## UNIT 3: POLITICAL REVOLUTIONS AND THE EXPANSION OF RIGHTS

### LESSON 1: DEMOCRACY AND THE AMERICAN AND FRENCH REVOLUTIONS

#### **Checkup: Primary Source Analysis: The Declaration of Independence**

Analyze and synthesize the major ideas contained in the Declaration of Independence.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: The Emergence of Modern Democracy**

Synthesize and compare ideas from primary documents linked to the establishment of modern democracy.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: The Emergence of Modern Democracy**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Study: Revolution and Democracy in North America**

Evaluate the causes, characteristics, and consequences of the American Revolution.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Revolution and Democracy in North America**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Study: The French Revolution**

Evaluate the causes, characteristics, and consequences of the French Revolution.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: The French Revolution**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: The Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen**

Read and demonstrate understanding of the Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Practice: Comparing the American and French Revolutions**

Use the national anthems of the United States and France as a launching point for comparing the democratic characteristics of the French and American revolutions.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 2: INDEPENDENCE IN THE AMERICAS**

### **Study: The Haitian Revolution**

Analyze the causes, characteristics, and major effects of the Haitian Revolution.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: The Haitian Revolution**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Checkup: Primary Source Analysis: The Haitian Revolution**

Read and demonstrate understanding of documents written by Toussaint Louverture and Napoleon Bonaparte concerning the Haitian Revolution.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Independence Movements in Latin America**

Analyze the causes, characteristics, and effects of 19th-century Latin American independence movements.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Independence Movements in Latin America**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: Simón Bolívar's Letter from Jamaica**

Read and demonstrate understanding of Simón Bolívar's Jamaica Letter.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Discuss: Speaking of Revolution**

Write a speech from the perspective of a 19th-century revolutionary leader.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

## **LESSON 3: EXPANDING RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS**

### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Drawing Inspiration from the Haitian Revolution**

Analyze Dr. James McCune Smith's 1841 speech "Toussaint L'Ouverture and the Haytian Revolutions."

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: The Abolition Movement**

Examine the causes, characteristics, and effects of the movement to abolish slavery.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: The Abolition Movement**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: Declaration of the Rights of Woman and of the Female Citizen, 1791**

Read the Declaration of the Rights of Woman and of the Female Citizen by Olympe De Gouges and compare the document to the Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Women's Rights and the Suffrage Movement**

Examine the causes, characteristics, and effects of the 18th- and 19th-century fights for suffrage and women's rights.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Women's Rights and the Suffrage Movement**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Practice: Women's Rights Today**

Research and write about the continued struggles by women to achieve equal rights in one of three countries.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: POLITICAL REVOLUTIONS AND THE EXPANSION OF RIGHTS**

### **Review: Political Revolutions and the Expansion of Rights**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Test (CS): Political Revolutions and the Expansion of Rights**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

### **Test (TS): Political Revolutions and the Expansion of Rights**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

## **UNIT 4: IMPERIALISM, NATIONALISM, AND THE GREAT WAR**

### **LESSON 1: EMPIRES IN ASIA AND THE MIDDLE EAST**

#### **Checkpoint: Ibn Battuta's *Travels in Asia and Africa***

Analyze a passage about the travels of Ibn Battuta, a 14th-century Muslim explorer from Morocco.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Study: Islamic Land Empires**

Analyze the major causes and effects of the rise and decline of the Ottoman and Mughal empires.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Islamic Land Empires**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Study: External Pressures in China and Japan**

Identify and describe the causes and effects of European and American imperialism in Asia.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: External Pressures in China and Japan**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: A Letter to Queen Victoria**

Read and demonstrate understanding of Lin Zexu's 1839 letter to Queen Victoria opposing the trade of opium between England and China.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Practice: An Editorial Response to Imperialism**

Write an editorial article either in support of or in opposition to the British involvement in the trade of opium in China.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 2: COLONIAL EMPIRES**

### **Checkup: Primary Source Analysis: "The White Man's Burden"**

Read and demonstrate understanding of "The White Man's Burden" by British poet Rudyard Kipling.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Motivations for Imperialism**

Identify and describe the political, economic, and social motivations of imperialism.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Motivations for Imperialism**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: Three Responses to "The White Man's Burden"**

Analyze three responses to the imperialist poem "The White Man's Burden."

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Colonialism in India, Indochina, and the South Pacific**

Describe the motivations for and consequences of European imperialism in India, Indochina, and the South Pacific.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Colonialism in India, Indochina, and the South Pacific**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Study: The Scramble for Africa**

Analyze the causes and effects of European imperialism in Africa.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: The Scramble for Africa**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Journal: American Foreign Policy**

Describe the foreign policy and international actions of the United States following the American Revolution.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

### **Practice: Mapping Imperial Expansion**

Create maps showing the extent of global empires in 1600, 1750, and 1900.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 3: THE LEAD-UP TO WAR IN EUROPE**

### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Carving Up the World**

Analyze a satirical political cartoon representing British and French desires to "carve up" control of the world.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Consolidation of Nation-States**

Analyze the worldwide growth of nationalism following political revolutions in France, the United States, and Latin America.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Consolidation of Nation-States**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: Italian Nationalism**

Analyze the ideas of Giuseppe Garibaldi and Giuseppe Mazzini.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Lead-Up to War**

Analyze the roles that imperialism, nationalism, militarism, and the alliance system played in causing World War I.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Lead-Up to War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Discuss: Was War in Europe Inevitable?**

Debate with your peers the proposition that First World War was inevitable.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

## **LESSON 4: WORLD WAR I**

### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Propaganda Posters**

Analyze and answer questions about propaganda posters from World War I.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Key Events of the War**

Examine the major characteristics and key events of World War I.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Key Events of the War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: Perspectives from the Front Lines**

Read and demonstrate understanding of passages from letters and diaries written by soldiers on the front lines of World War I.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: The Russian Revolution**

Analyze the major causes and consequences of the Russian Revolution.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: The Russian Revolution**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points



**Study: The End of War**

Analyze and synthesize the regional and global impacts of World War I.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: The End of War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Practice: Shifting Balance of Power**

Explain the significance of the shifting balance of power resulting from World War I.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 20 points

**LESSON 5: WRAP-UP: IMPERIALISM, NATIONALISM, AND THE GREAT WAR****Review: Imperialism, Nationalism, and the Great War**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Test (CS): Imperialism, Nationalism, and the Great War**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

**Test (TS): Imperialism, Nationalism, and the Great War**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

**UNIT 5: SEMESTER WRAP-UP****LESSON 1: SEMESTER WRAP-UP****Review: Semester Review**

Prepare for the semester exam by reviewing key concepts covered in this semester.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 0 points

**Exam: Semester 1 Exam**

Take a computer-scored exam to demonstrate your mastery of concepts and skills covered in this semester.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 60 points

**Final Exam: Semester 1 Exam**

Take a teacher-scored exam to demonstrate your mastery of concepts and skills covered in this semester.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 60 points

**UNIT 6: MODERN WORLD HISTORY SINCE 1917****LESSON 1: MODERN WORLD HISTORY SINCE 1917****Study: Understanding the Big Picture**

Understand major trends and turning points in world history from 1917 to the present.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Understanding the Big Picture**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Journal: Major Events in the Last Century**

Reflect on the ongoing relevance of themes used to organize world history from 1917 to the present.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

**LESSON 2: HISTORICAL THINKING SKILLS: CAUSATION AND INTERPRETATION****Checkup: Primary Source Analysis: The Space Race**

Analyze primary sources to identify and describe historical causation and contextualization.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Study: Identifying Causation**

Identify and employ the skills associated with causation, including identifying cause-and-effect relationships and differentiating between causation and correlation.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Identifying Causation**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Read: What Happened on Easter Island?**

Compare two different historical perspectives on the same event.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Study: Interpreting History**

Identify and describe the skills associated with historical interpretation including making generalizations, predictions, inferences, and conclusions.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Interpreting History**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Practice: What's in a Name?**

Read a passage from the preface of the book *The Origins of the Boxer Uprising* by Joseph Esherick. Analyze the author's approach to historical interpretation.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 20 points

**LESSON 3: HISTORICAL THINKING SKILLS: WRITING AND ARGUING ABOUT HISTORY****Study: Argumentation**

Address questions about the past by constructing clear evidence-based arguments.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Argumentation**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Study: Essay Writing in World History**

Identify and describe the parts of explanatory and argumentative essays, including the thesis, claim, use of evidence, counterclaim, and paragraph types.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Essay Writing in World History**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Read: Analyzing an Argumentative Essay**

Analyze the thesis and the author's use of evidence in a historical argumentative essay.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Practice: Write Your Own Argumentative Essay**

Respond to a historical question by drafting an argumentative statement that is supported by evidence from historical sources.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

**LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: MODERN WORLD HISTORY SINCE 1917****Review: Modern World History since 1917**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Test (CS): Modern World History since 1917**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

### **Test (TS): Modern World History since 1917**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

## **UNIT 7: FROM ONE WORLD WAR TO THE NEXT**

### **LESSON 1: LIFE BETWEEN WARS**

#### **Study: Postwar Years and the Global Depression**

Identify and describe the major causes and effects of the global depression.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: Postwar Years and the Global Depression**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Photographs from the Great Depression**

Analyze and compare political cartoons and photographs from the Great Depression.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Study: Art and Intellectual Life in the Age of Anxiety**

Analyze the influence of World War I on literature, art, and intellectual life during the period between the world wars.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: Art and Intellectual Life in the Age of Anxiety**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **Read: The Lost Generation**

Assess the extent to which these excerpts from *The Great Gatsby* reflect the ideals of the Lost Generation.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Practice: Comparing Responses to the Global Depression**

Compare American, German, and Japanese responses to the global depression.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

### **LESSON 2: THE RISE OF TOTALITARIANISM**

#### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: *Triumph of the Will***

Analyze clips from the Nazi propaganda film "Triumph of the Will."

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Study: Totalitarianism in Europe**

Analyze the emergence and characteristics of totalitarianism and fascism.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Quiz: Totalitarianism in Europe**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

#### **Read: Mussolini on Fascism**

Read and demonstrate understanding of Benito Mussolini's article "The Political and Social Doctrine of Fascism."

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Study: Russia after the Revolution**

Analyze the characteristics and actions of the Soviet Union under Vladimir Lenin and Josef Stalin.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Russia after the Revolution**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Study: Japan on the Rise**

Analyze the rise of totalitarianism in Japan and the role of Hideki Tojo between World War I and World War II.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Japan on the Rise**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Discuss: Why Didn't Anyone Stop Fascist Aggression?**

Examine the reactions of Britain, France, the United States, and the Soviet Union to fascist aggressions.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

## **LESSON 3: WORLD WAR II**

### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Wartime Headlines**

Analyze headlines from newspapers during and after World War II.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Origins of the War**

Identify and describe the major causes of World War II.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Origins of the War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Study: Key Events and Elements of the War**

Identify and describe the major characteristics events associated with World War II.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Key Events and Elements of the War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: Albert Einstein and the Atomic Bomb**

Analyze Albert Einstein's 1939 letter to U.S. president Franklin Delano Roosevelt about atomic bombs and nuclear reactions.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Discuss: The Morality of War**

Debate the moral implications of the use of military technologies in World War II.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

## **LESSON 4: THE IMPACT OF TOTAL WAR**

### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Images of Europe After the War**

Analyze photographs and answer questions about the level of destruction Europe experienced during World War II.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Postwar Aftershocks**

Evaluate the regional and global impacts of World War II.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Postwar Aftershocks**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Study: The Holocaust Revealed**

Identify and describe the causes, events, and effects of the Holocaust.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: The Holocaust Revealed**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Read: Remembering the Holocaust**

Read and analyze passages from speeches given by German chancellor Angela Merkel, U.S. president Barack Obama, and Holocaust survivor Elie Wiesel.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Practice: What's Next for Germany**

Looking back at the causes of the World Wars and the Great Depression, write an essay about whether the United States should help Germany recover from World War II.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

**LESSON 5: WRAP-UP: FROM ONE WORLD WAR TO THE NEXT****Review: From One World War to the Next**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Test (CS): From One World War to the Next**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

**Test (TS): From One World War to the Next**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

**UNIT 8: DECOLONIZATION, NATION BUILDING, AND THE COLD WAR****LESSON 1: DECOLONIZATION AND NEW STATES IN ASIA AND THE MIDDLE EAST****Checkup: Primary Source Analysis: *Indian Home Rule***

Read and analyze a passage from Mohandas Gandhi's 1919 pamphlet *Indian Home Rule*.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Study: Postwar Independence Movements in Asia**

Identify and describe the major causes and effects of post-World War II independence movements in Asia.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Postwar Independence Movements in Asia**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Read: The King-Crane Report**

Read an essay on the King-Crane Report and analyze how this important document may have changed the history of the Middle East.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Study: The Formation of Israel and the Arab-Israeli Conflict**

Identify and describe the major causes and effects of post-World War II independence movements in the Middle East, particularly the establishment of the state of Israel.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: The Formation of Israel and the Arab-Israeli Conflict**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Practice: Evaluating the Arab-Israeli Conflict**

Research and evaluate the historical significance of the establishment of Israel and ongoing conflicts in the Middle East.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

**LESSON 2: DECOLONIZATION AND NEW STATES IN AFRICA****Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: "I Speak of Freedom"**

Read and analyze an excerpt from a 1961 speech given by Kwame Nkrumah, the first prime minister of Ghana.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Study: Postwar Independence Movements in Africa**

Identify and describe the major causes and effects of post-World War II independence movements in Africa in the mid-20th century.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Postwar Independence Movements in Africa**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Read: Apartheid in the Words of Desmond Tutu**

Read and analyze a passage from Desmond Tutu's 1984 Nobel Prize Lecture, in which he discusses his perspective on apartheid in South Africa.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Study: Ending Apartheid in South Africa**

Examine the policy of apartheid in South Africa and the efforts of Nelson Mandela and other activists to bring it to an end.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Ending Apartheid in South Africa**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Practice: Legacies of Colonialism**

Compare and contrast postwar independence movements in Algeria and India.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

**LESSON 3: THE POLITICS OF THE COLD WAR****Study: Origins and Alliances of the Cold War**

Identify and describe the major causes, characteristics, and alliances of the Cold War.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Origins and Alliances of the Cold War**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Comparing NATO and the Warsaw Pact**

Analyze and compare the major ideas contained in the North Atlantic Treaty (1949) and the Warsaw Pact (1955).

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Study: Proxy Wars and the Arms Race**

Evaluate the major effects of the Cold War including proxy wars and the arms race.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: Proxy Wars and the Arms Race**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Read: Primary Source Analysis: Cold War Posturing**

Examine speeches by different political leaders from the Cold War era.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Practice: Mapping Cold War Alliances**

Create a map showing major Cold War alliances.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 20 points

## **LESSON 4: COMMUNISM AND THE END OF THE COLD WAR**

### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Chairman Mao's Cult of Personality**

Analyze primary sources, including examples of propaganda posters that created a cult of personality around Chairman Mao Tse-tung.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: The Rise of Communism in China**

Identify and describe the major causes and characteristics of the Chinese Civil War and Chinese Cultural Revolution.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: The Rise of Communism in China**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: Remembering Tiananmen Square**

Read and analyze interviews with individuals who experienced the Tiananmen Square uprising in person.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: The End of the Cold War and the Collapse of the Soviet Union**

Evaluate the events that led to the end of the Cold War including the decline of communism and the fall of the Soviet Union.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: The End of the Cold War and the Collapse of the Soviet Union**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Discuss: Who Ended the Cold War?**

Discuss and debate the factors that ended the Cold War, including changes in the global economy and the policies of the United States, the Soviet Union, and their allied nations.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

## **LESSON 5: WRAP-UP: DECOLONIZATION, NATION BUILDING, AND THE COLD WAR**

### **Review: Decolonization, Nation Building, and the Cold War**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Test (CS): Decolonization, Nation Building, and the Cold War**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

### **Test (TS): Decolonization, Nation Building, and the Cold War**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

## **UNIT 9: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES**

### **LESSON 1: GLOBALIZATION AND THE WORLD ECONOMY**

#### **Checkpoint: Primary Source Analysis: Population Growth**

Read and analyze data about global population growth.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 0 points

#### **Study: Globalization and its Challenges**

Learn about challenges associated with globalization, including population growth, mass migration, living standards, urbanization, and environmental strains. Explore the role of technology in increasing globalization and helping to solve problems.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Globalization and its Challenges**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Practice: Understanding the Kyoto Protocol**

Conduct research on the Kyoto Protocol and analyze the challenges and controversies surrounding it.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: Challenges with Global Governance**

Read and demonstrate understanding of the article "Governance Falls Behind Globalization."

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Study: Global Trade and Interdependence**

Understand how globalization has affected the global economy.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Global Trade and Interdependence**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Discuss: A Food Revolution?**

Discuss the pros and cons of eating foods produced locally and food produced and shipped from other parts of the world.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

## **LESSON 2: CONTEMPORARY CULTURE: BALANCING TRADITION AND MODERNIZATION**

### **Journal: Technology and Cultural Diffusion**

Reflect on how technological innovations in communication affect the exchange of culture and ideas.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

### **Study: Culture and Communication**

Learn how technology and communication have affected people and culture worldwide.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Culture and Communication**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Study: Religion and Family in the Contemporary World**

Analyze how modernization has affected traditional families and religions.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Quiz: Religion and Family in the Contemporary World**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

### **Read: The World's Muslims: Unity and Diversity**

Analyze data illustrating the diversity, characteristics, and practices of global Muslim communities today.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

### **Practice: Tradition versus Modernization in Turkey and Iran**

Write a synthesis essay about the tensions between traditional and modern cultures in Turkey and Iran.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

## **LESSON 3: INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND CONFLICT**



**Read: Rights for All Humans**

Analyze the Universal Declaration of Human Rights established by the United Nations General Assembly in 1948.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Study: International Cooperation**

Learn about the formation and goals of organizations between governments and other groups.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: International Cooperation**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Journal: Nuclear Proliferation and the United Nations**

Compare and analyze perspectives of different countries on real-life issues addressed by the United Nations.

Duration: 0 hrs 30 mins Scoring: 10 points

**Study: International Conflict**

Learn about recent global conflicts over resources and ideologies.

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Quiz: International Conflict**

Take a quiz to assess your understanding of the material.

Duration: 0 hrs 20 mins Scoring: 20 points

**Practice: Champions of Human Rights**

Research and write an essay about an individual who has worked to protect human rights.

Duration: 2 hrs Scoring: 30 points

**LESSON 4: WRAP-UP: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES****Review: Contemporary Issues**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 0 points

**Test (CS): Contemporary Issues**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

**Test (TS): Contemporary Issues**

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

Duration: 0 hrs 40 mins Scoring: 40 points

**UNIT 10: SEMESTER WRAP-UP****LESSON 1: SEMESTER WRAP-UP****Review: Semester Review**

Prepare for the semester exam by reviewing key concepts covered in this semester.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 0 points

**Exam: Semester Exam**

Take a computer-scored exam to demonstrate your mastery of concepts and skills covered in this semester.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 60 points

**Final Exam: Semester Exam**

Take a teacher-scored exam to demonstrate your mastery of concepts and skills covered in this semester.

Duration: 1 hr Scoring: 60 points