

United States History to the Civil War and the Modern Civil Rights Movement					Grade
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Timeframe	Topic	Content	Resources	Standards	Assessments
September-October	Early colonization and growth of the colonies	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Relationship between Native Americans and English settlers</li> <li>2. Founding of the 13 colonies</li> <li>3. Influence of English colonists</li> <li>4. Colonial regions</li> <li>5. Slavery: origins, legal status, slave ownership</li> <li>6. Slavery: Triangular Trade, inhumane conditions of the Middle Passage</li> <li>7. Enslaved and free Africans in the 18<sup>th</sup> century</li> </ol>	Various articles & online resources	5.T1.1 5.T1.2 5.T1.3 5.T1.4 5.T1.5 5.T1.6 5.T1.7	Formative & summative
November-December	Reasons for revolution, the Revolutionary War, and the formation of the government	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Causes and effects of the French and Indian War; acts and taxes</li> <li>2. Important sites in Boston; role of significant people in Massachusetts</li> <li>3. Colonial governments</li> <li>4. Declaration of Independence</li> <li>5. Impact of events as the war continued; factors leading to American victory</li> <li>6. Those who remained loyal to the British Crown or neutral; natives and enslaved Africans fought on both sides</li> <li>7. The impact of important leaders during the war and early years of the United States Republic</li> <li>8. Articles of Confederation</li> <li>9. Causes and effects of Shays' Rebellion</li> </ol>	Various articles & online resources	5.T2.1 5.T2.2 5.T2.3 5.T2.4 5.T2.5 5.T2.6 5.T2.7 5.T2.8 5.T2.9	Formative & summative
January-February	Principles of the United States Government	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The Constitution</li> <li>2. Separation of powers, functions of the branches of government, and checks and balances</li> <li>3. Government responsibilities at the federal,</li> </ol>	Various articles & online resources	5.T3.1 5.T3.2 5.T3.3 5.T3.4 5.T3.5	Formative & summative

		<p>state, and local levels</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Major issues debated at the Constitutional Convention; ¾ Compromise and its effects</li> <li>Constitution denied women voting and property rights</li> <li>Freedoms guaranteed by the Bill of Rights</li> </ol>		5.T3.6	
March-April	Growth of the Republic	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First three presidents of the United States and key developments during their time</li> <li>Significance of the Louisiana Purchase; expedition of Lewis and Clark with Sacagawea</li> <li>Causes and effects of the War of 1812</li> <li>Benefits and costs of textile and machinery industries, whaling, shipping, and the China trade in the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> centuries</li> <li>19<sup>th</sup> century conflicts with Native Americans</li> </ol>	Various articles & online resources	5.T4.1 5.T4.2 5.T4.3 5.T4.4 5.T4.5	Formative & summative
May-June	Slavery, the legacy of the Civil War, and the struggle for civil rights for all	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Abolition of slavery in the north and expansion of slavery in the west</li> <li>Causes and effects of the Civil War</li> <li>Abolition: ideas, important people</li> <li>Major military leaders and battles of the Civil War</li> <li>Abraham Lincoln: role in development of Republic Party, actions as President during Civil War</li> <li>Consequences of the Emancipation Proclamation and the 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, and 15<sup>th</sup> amendments for African Americans; advocacy for women's rights</li> <li>Living conditions of African Americans post-Civil War and during the Jim Crow era; perpetuation of White supremacy; unification of African American communities</li> <li>20<sup>th</sup> century people, organizations, events, and acts that contributed to the expanding civil rights of African Americans, women, and others in the United States</li> </ol>	Various articles & online resources	5.T5.1 5.T5.2 5.T5.3 5.T5.4 5.T5.5 5.T5.6 5.T5.7 5.T5.8 5.T5.9	Formative & summative

		9. 20 <sup>th</sup> century African American Civil Rights movement as a model for other civil rights movements			
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