

Course Outline – U.S. History

Unit 1: Settlement and Expansion of Colonial America, 1450-1763

Early September

Unit 2: Revolution and the Growth of Nationalism, 1763-1823

Late September-Early October

Unit 3: Jacksonian Democracy and the Reform Era, 1823-1850

Mid-October – Late October

Unit 4: Growing Sectionalism, Civil War, and Reconstruction, 1820-1877

Early November – Late November

Unit 5: Westward Expansion, the Gilded Age and the Progressive Era, 1865-1920

Early December – Late December

Unit 6: America as an Emerging World Power and World War I, 1877-1920

Early January – Mid-February

Unit 7: The Roaring 20's, The Great Depression, and the New Deal, 1920-1941

Late February – Mid-March

Unit 8: World at War and the Cold War, 1939-1961

Late March – Late April

Unit 9: Challenges to the Status Quo – The Civil Rights Era, Vietnam, and Watergate, 1945-1980

Early May

Unit 10: Post Cold War America and New Global Challenges, 1980-present

Late May

Review

Late May – Early June

Other Important Dates:

Research Paper

May-June

AP Exam

Early May

Regents Exam

Mid-June