

Mr. Heaps - History 103, Spring, 2010

Section 23714 T 7:10-9:55 Pm Main Campus Bldg. CL13

January 19-May 11, Textbook "Liberty and Justice for all", Vol. 1 by James Davidson and others

ASSIGNMENTS

January 19

Explain the basics of history; cover Exploration Period with primary source materials and work with groups dealing with an article to reinforce historical terms. Assignment: Chapters 1&2

January 26

Start Colonization Period. Assignment: Chapters 3,4,5 pages 82-94, short video on Jamestown

February 2

Conclude Colonization period. Assignment for next week will be test on Chapters 1-4 and materials covered in class. Also Chapter 5 pages 82-94.

February 9

Start background to the American Revolution. Show last half of video 1776. Assignment: Chapter 5,6,7, Receive tests on Chapters 1-4. Also Chapter 5 pages 82-94.

February 16

Conclude the background to the American Revolution and start the Revolution.

February 23

Cover Critical Period, Constitutional Period.
Assignment: Chapter 8, Test on Chapters 5-7 following week. Washington, Jefferson and Nationalism, i.e., War 1812, Monroe Doctrine, American System, Decisions of the Marshall Court. Hand out tests on Chapters 5-7

March 2

Washington, Jefferson and Nationalism, i.e., War 1812, Monroe Doctrine, American System, Decisions of the Marshall Court. Assignment: Chapter 8 & 9

March 9

Jacksonian Democracy and the PreCivil War Reform Era. Assignment: Chapters 10,11&12 Test on Chapters 8 and 9.

Spring Break March 15-21

March 23

Manifest Destiny, selection from the Alamo
Assignment: Chapter 14

March 30

Slavery and Sectionalism, Assignment: Chapter 13, Tests Chapters 11-12.

April 6

Begin background to the Civil War:
Assignment: Chapter 15

April 13

Civil War and the video Gettysburg.
Assignment: Chapter 16

April 20

Reconstruction
Assignment Chapter 17

April 27

Begin slides on Lincoln
Future test on Lincoln will be in class – No notes

May 4

Conclude slides on Lincoln
In class we will analyze various theories on Lincoln's assassination Read "War Prayer"
by Mark Twain and short test on Lincoln slides

May 11

Final Exam will be Chapters 15, 16, 17

EXTRA CREDIT

- Format:
1. The paper is to be typed (word processed) or in ink if written long hand.
 2. Minimum of two pages
 3. Minimum of two sources, which may include the internet. **No sources no Credit**
 4. Worth up to 20 points depending on the quality of the report
 5. Only two extra credit reports

Paper: You may select any topic or area from the Exploration Period through Reconstruction. Select a topic you know little about or one that has interested you for some time and wanted to know more about. If the topic warrants an evaluation, please do so. Example: Did the United States enter the Mexican War because of false or misleading information? Also you may watch the following videos and write a two page summary including your evaluation. Amazing Grace, The Patriot, The Alamo (2004 version), Glory, Amistad, October Sky

BOOKS: "Team of Rivals" by Doris Goodwin, "John Adams" by David McCullough, "His Excellency, George Washington" by Joseph Ellis, "Mayflower" by Nathaniel Philbrick, "under God" by Toby Mac, "The President's Wife, Mary Todd Lincoln" by Ishbel Ross