

Southern Regional High School
Manahawkin, New Jersey
Course Syllabus

Department: Social Studies

Course: United States History II Advanced Placement

Marking Period 1

Topics/Units to be covered:

- Classroom Expectations/Grading
- Founding a New Nation (33,000 BC-1783 AD)
- Summer Assignment – New World Beginnings through the Duel for North America
- Pre-Revolutionary Era and the Revolution
- Building a New Nation (The Constitution through the Monroe Doctrine)
- Quarterly

Marking Period 2

Topics/Units to be covered:

- Jacksonian Era 1824-1840
- Forging the National Economy 1790-1860
- Reform and Culture 1790-1860
- Testing the New Nation (1820-1865)
 - Slavery and Manifest Destiny through the Civil War
- Quarterly

Marking Period 3

Topics/Units to be covered:

- Reconstruction 1865-1877
- Forging an Industrial Society (1869-1909)
 - Gilded Age Politics through the Empire and Expansion
- Struggling for Justice at Home and Abroad (1901- 1916)
 - Progressivism and Roosevelt and Wilsonian Progressivism
- Quarterly

Marking Period 4

Topics/Units to be covered:

- Struggling for Justice at Home and Abroad (1916-1945)
 - World War I through World War II
- Making Modern America (1945 to the Present)
 - Cold War through The American People Face a New Century
- AP Exam
- Final exam