



<u>Course</u> AP US History

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Description

Over the course of the summer we would like you to begin your study of United States History. Specifically, the colonial period of US history through the reading of the first four chapters of our textbook, *American Pageant*.

In addition to this reading there are two multiple choice AP style quizzes that you will need to complete on the college board website in our AP classroom

The final assignment of the summer will require the reading of Colin Woodard's American Nations. This provides a fascinating look into how the past still influences our lives today. The summer assignment is the completion of an essay. The evidence and claims of the book will be referred to and dissected throughout our year together as different themes appear through history.

All work should be submitted via the google or AP classroom by the dates indicated below. If this is not possible it is expected that you will proactively communicate with me with an alternative plan of action to complete all this work in a timely manner.

Timeline of Assignments:	Due Date:
Read Chapter 1 and 2 of <i>American Pageant</i> , complete quiz on College Board's AP Classroom page	Sunday, July 31st
Read Chapter 3 and 4 of <i>American Pageant</i> , complete quiz on College Board's AP Classroom page	Sunday, August 21st
Read Colin Woodard's American Nations	
Complete the American Nations Essay Assignment found on the google classroom	Wednesday, September 7th

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Required Texts

Author	Title	ISBN
Kennedy	American Pageant, Vol 1, 15 ed.	9781111831424
Kennedy	American Pageant, Vol 2, 15 ed.	9781111831431
	American Nations: A History of the Eleven Rival Regional Cultures of North America	