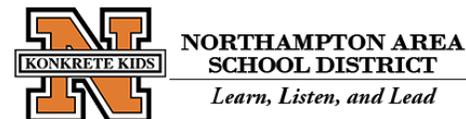


## Northampton Area High School General Social Studies Rotation #1:



## Focus: US History III

## “Year at a Glance”

*\*General Social Studies A course teacher will choose most appropriate big ideas within the units and make modifications.*

Textbook: Prentice Hall-United States History (2010)

Common Units of Study with Sample Lesson Topics	Textbook Chapter(s)	Estimated Time	Big Idea (s)	PA Academic Standard(s)
Chapter 18: An Emerging World Power The Roots of Imperialism The Spanish-American War The United States and East Asia The United States and Latin America	Chapter 18: An Emerging World Power 1890-1917	2 weeks	Identify the key factors that prodded American to expand. Explain how the United States took its first steps toward increased global power. Summarize the chain of events leading up to the U.S. annexation of Hawaii. Explain the causes of the Spanish-American war. Identify the major battles of the war. Describe the consequences of the war, including the debate over imperialism. Examine the causes and consequences of the Philippine insurrections. Analyze the effects of the Open Door Policy. Describe how the United States dealt with the rising power of Japan. Examine what happened to Puerto Rico and Cuba after the Spanish-American War. Analyze the effects of Roosevelt’s “big stick” diplomacy. Compare Wilson’s “moral diplomacy” with the foreign policies	8.3.9A 8.3.9B 8.3.9C 8.3.9D 8.1.9A 8.1.9B 8.1.9C 8.1.9D 8.2.9A 8.2.9B 8.2.9C 8.2.9D 7.1.9B 7.3.9A 7.3.9B 7.3.9C 7.3.9D 7.3.9E 7.4.9A 4.8.9A 4.4.9A

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<p>Chapter 19: World War 1 and Beyond From Neutrality and Beyond The Home Front Wilson, War, and Peace Effect of the War</p>	<p>Chapter 19: World War 1 and Beyond 1914-1920</p>	4 weeks	<p>Identify the Causes of WW1 Describe the course and character of the war. Explain why the United States entered the conflict on the side of the Allies. Analyze how the American government mobilized the public to support the war effort. Describe opposition to the war. Outline significant social changes that occurred during the war. Understand how the United States military contributed to the Allied victory in the war. Describe the aims of the Fourteen Points. Analyze the decisions made the Paris Peace Conference. Explain why the Unites States Senate refused to ratify the treaty ending World War 1. Describe the problems Americans faced immediately after the war. Analyze how these problems contributed to the Red Scare. Understand how the war changed America's role in world affairs.</p>	
<p>Chapter 20: The Twenties A Booming Economy The Business of Government Social and Cultural Differences A New Mass Culture</p>	<p>Chapter 20: The Twenties 1919-1929</p>	2 weeks	<p>Explain the impact of Henry Ford and the automobile. Analyze the consumer revolution and the bull market of the 1920's. Compare the different effects of the economic boom on urban and rural America. Analyze how the policies of Presidents Harding and Coolidge favored business growth. Discuss the most significant scandals during Harding's presidency.</p>	

<p><b>The Harlem Renaissance</b></p>			<p>Explain the role that the United States played in the world during the 1920s.</p> <p>Compare economic and cultural life in rural America to that in urban America.</p> <p>Discuss the changes in U.S. immigration policy in the 1920s.</p> <p>Analyze the goals and motives of the Ku Klux Klan in the 1920s.</p> <p>Discuss the successes and failures of the Eighteenth Amendment.</p> <p>Trace the reasons that leisure time increased during the 1920s.</p> <p>Analyze how the development of popular culture united Americans and created new activities and heroes.</p> <p>Discuss the advancements of women in the 1920s.</p> <p>Analyze the concept of modernism and its impact on writers and painters in the 1920s.</p> <p>Analyze the racial and economic philosophies of Marcus Garvey.</p> <p>Trace the development and impact of jazz.</p> <p>Discuss the themes explored by writers of the Harlem Renaissance.</p>	
<p><b>Chapter 21: The Great Depression</b>  <b>Causes of the Depression</b>  <b>Americans Face Hard Times</b>  <b>Hoover's Response Fails</b></p>	<p><b>Chapter 21: The Great Depression</b>  <b>1928-1932</b></p>	<p>2 weeks</p>	<p>Discuss the weaknesses in the economy of the 1920s.</p> <p>Explain how the stock market crash contributed to the coming of the Great Depression.</p> <p>Describe how the Depression spread overseas.</p> <p>Examine the spread of unemployment in America's cities.</p> <p>Discuss the impact of the Great Depression on rural America.</p> <p>Explain the human and geographical factors that created the Dust Bowl.</p>	

			<p>Discuss how Hoover's initial conservative response to the depression failed.</p> <p>Explain the changes in the President's policies as the crisis continued.</p> <p>Describe how American's reacted to Hoover's relief programs.</p>	
<p>Chapter 22: The New Deal FDR Offers Relief and Recovery The Second New Deal Effects of the New Deal Culture of the 1930's</p>	<p>Chapter 22: The New Deal 1932-1941</p>	<p>2 weeks</p>	<p>Analyze the impact Franklin D. Roosevelt had on the American people after becoming president.</p> <p>Describe the programs that were part of the first New Deal and their immediate impact.</p> <p>Identify critical responses to the New Deal.</p> <p>Discuss the programs of social and economic reform in the second New Deal.</p> <p>Explain how the New Deal legislation affected the growth of organized labor.</p> <p>Describe the impact of Roosevelt's court-packing plan on the course of the New Deal.</p> <p>Describe how the New Deal affected different groups in American society.</p> <p>Analyze how the New Deal changed the shape of American politics.</p> <p>Discuss the impact of Franklin D. Roosevelt on the presidency.</p> <p>Trace the growth of radio and the movies in the 1930s and the changes in popular culture.</p> <p>Describe the major themes of literature in the New Deal era.</p>	
<p>Chapter 23: The Coming of War Dictators and War From Isolation to Involvement America Enters the War</p>		<p>2 weeks</p>	<p>Explain how dictators and militarist regimes arose in several countries in the 1930s.</p> <p>Summarize the actions taken by aggressive regimes in Europe and Asia.</p>	

			<p>Analyze the response of Britain, France, and the United States to the aggressive regimes.</p> <p>Understand the course of the early years of WWII in Europe.</p> <p>Describe Franklin Roosevelt's foreign policy in the mid-1930s and the great debate between interventionists and isolationists.</p> <p>Explain how the United States became more involved in the conflict.</p> <p>Explain why Japan decided to attack Pearl Harbor, and describe the attack itself.</p> <p>Outline how the United States mobilized for war after the attack on Pearl Harbor.</p> <p>Summarize the course of the war in the Pacific through the summer of 1942.</p>	
<p>Chapter 24: WWII</p> <p>The Allies Turn the Tide</p> <p>The Home Front</p> <p>Victory in Europe and the Pacific</p> <p>The Holocaust</p> <p>Effects of the War</p>		<p>4 weeks</p>	<p>Analyze the reasons for and impact of the Allies' "Europe First" strategy.</p> <p>Explain why the battles of Stalingrad and Midway were major turning points in the war.</p> <p>Discuss how the Allies put increasing pressure on the Axis in North Africa and Europe.</p> <p>Explain how WWII increased opportunities for women and minorities.</p> <p>Analyze the effects of the war on civil liberties for Japanese Americans and others.</p> <p>Examine how the need to support the war effort changed American lives.</p> <p>Analyze the planning and impact of the D-Day invasion of France.</p> <p>Understand how the Allies achieved final victory in Europe.</p>	

			<p>Explore the reasons that President Truman decided to use the atomic bomb against Japan.</p> <p>Trace the roots and progress on Hitler's campaign against the Jews. Explore the goal of Hitler's "final solution" and the nature of the Nazi death camps.</p> <p>Examine how the United States responded to the Holocaust.</p> <p>Evaluate the goals that Allied leaders set for the postwar world.</p> <p>Describe the steps that the United States and other nations took toward international cooperation.</p> <p>Explain the impact of World War II on the postwar United States.</p>	
<p>Chapter 25 The Cold War (1945-1960)</p> <p>The Cold War Begins</p> <p>The Korean War</p> <p>The Cold War Expands</p> <p>The Cold War at Home</p>		2 weeks	<p>Trace the reasons that the wartime alliance between the United States and the Soviet Union unraveled.</p> <p>Explain how President Truman responded to Soviet domination of Eastern Europe.</p> <p>Describe the causes and results of Stalin's blockade of Berlin.</p> <p>Explain how Mao Zedong and the communists gained power in China.</p> <p>Describe the causes and progress of the war in Korea.</p> <p>Identify the long-term effects of the Korean War.</p> <p>Describe the causes and results of the arms race between the United States and the Soviet Union.</p> <p>Explain how Eisenhower's response to communism differed from Truman.</p>	
<p>Chapter 26 Postwar Confidence and Anxiety (1945-1960)</p> <p>An Economic Boom</p>		2 weeks	<p>Describe how the United States made the transformation to a peacetime economy.</p>	

<p>A Society on the Move Mass Culture and Family Life Dissent and Discontent</p>			<p>Discuss the accomplishments of Presidents Truman and Dwight Eisenhower. Analyze the 1950s economic boom. Examine the rise of the suburbs and the growth of the Sunbelt. Describe changes in the US economy education in the postwar period. Explain why consumer spending increased. Discuss postwar changes in family life. Describe the rise of new forms of mass culture. Summarize the arguments made by critics who rejected the culture of the fifties. Describe the causes and effects of urban and rural poverty. Explain the problems that many minority group members faced in the postwar era.</p>	
<p>Chapter 27 The Civil Rights Movement (1945- 1975) Early Demands for Equality The Movement Gains Ground New Successes and Challenges</p>		<p>2 weeks</p>	<p>Describe efforts to end segregation in the 1940's and 1950's. Explain the importance of <i>Brown v. Board of Education</i>. Describe the controversy over school desegregation in Little Rock, Arkansas. Discuss the Montgomery bus boycott and its impact. Describe the sit-ins, freedom rides, and the actions of James Meredith in the early 1960's. Explain how the protests at Birmingham and the March on Washington were linked to the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Summarize the provisions of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Explain the significance of</p>	

			<p>Freedom Summer, the march on Selma, and why violence erupted in some American cities in the 1960's. Compare the goals and methods of African American leaders. Describe the social and economic situation of African Americans by 1975.</p>	
<p>Chapter 28 The Kennedy and Johnson Years Kennedy and the Cold War Kennedy's New Frontier Johnson's Great Society</p>		<p>2 weeks</p>	<p>Explain the steps Kennedy took to change American foreign policy. Analyze the causes and effects of the Bay of Pigs invasion and the Cuban Missile Crisis. Assess the results of the Berlin Crisis and other foreign-policy events of the 1960's. Evaluate Kennedy's domestic policies. Assess the impact of the Kennedy assassination. Evaluate Johnson's policies up to his victory in the 1964 presidential election. Analyze Johnson's goals and actions as seen in his Great Society programs. Assess the achievements of the Great Society.</p>	
			<p>Describe the reasons that the United States helped the French fight for the Vietnamese. Identify ways in which the United States opposed communism in Southeast Asia. Analyze how the United States increased its involvement in Vietnam. Identify the factors that caused President Johnson to increase</p>	

<p>Chapter 29 The Vietnam War Era (1954-1975)  Origins of the Vietnam War  U.S. Involvement Grows  The War Divides America  The War's End and Impact</p>		2 weeks	<p>American troop strength in Vietnam.  Assess the nature of the war in Vietnam and the difficulties faced by both sides.  Evaluate the effects of low morale on American troops on the home front.  Describe the divisions within American society over the Vietnam War.  Analyze the Tet Offensive and the American reaction to it.  Summarize the factors that influenced the outcome of the 1968 presidential election.  Assess Nixon's new approach to the war, and explain why protests continued.  Explain what led to the Paris Peace Accords and why South Vietnam eventually fell to the communists.  Evaluate the impact of the Vietnam War on the United States.  Explain the thinking behind Richard Nixon's foreign policy.  Define Nixon's foreign policy toward China and the Soviet Union.</p>	
<p>Chapter 30 An Era of Protest and Change  The Counterculture  The Women's Rights Movement  The Rights Movement Expands</p>		1 week	<p>Describe the rise of the counterculture.  List the major characteristics of the counter-culture.  Evaluate the impact of the counterculture on American values and society.  Analyze how a movement for women's rights arose in the 1960's.  Explain the goals and tactics of the women's movement.  Assess the impact of the women's movement on American society.</p>	

			<p>Explain how the Latino population grew after World War I.</p> <p>Analyze the Latino and Native American rights movements of the 1960s and 1970s.</p> <p>Describe the expansion of rights for consumers and the disabled.</p> <p>Assess the causes and effects of the environmental movement.</p> <p>Analyze why environmental protection became a controversial issue.</p>	
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<p><b>Chapter 31 An Era of Protest and Change (1968- 1980)</b></p> <p><b>Nixon and Watergate Scandal</b></p> <p><b>Ford and Nixon Years</b></p>		<p><b>2 weeks</b></p>	<p><b>Describe Richard Nixon’s attitude toward “big” government.</b></p> <p><b>Analyze Nixon’s southern strategy.</b></p> <p><b>Explain the Watergate incident and its consequences.</b></p> <p><b>Evaluate the presidency of Gerald Ford.</b></p> <p><b>Assess the domestic policies of Jimmy Carter.</b></p> <p><b>Analyze how American society changed in the 1970’s.</b></p> <p><b>Compare the policies of Gerald Ford and Jimmy Carter toward the Soviet Union.</b></p> <p><b>Discuss changing U.S. foreign policy in the developing world.</b></p> <p><b>Identify the successes and failures of Carter’s foreign policy in the Middle East.</b></p>	
			<p><b>Describe the differences between liberal and conservative viewpoints.</b></p> <p><b>Analyze the reasons behind the</b></p>	

<p><b>Chapter 32 The Conservative Resurgence (1980- 1993)</b> <b>The Conservative Movement Grows</b> <b>The Reagan Revolution</b> <b>End of the Cold War</b></p>		<p><b>2 weeks</b></p>	<p><b>rise of conservatism in the early 1980s.</b> <b>Explain why Ronald Reagan won the presidency in 1980.</b> <b>Analyze Reagan’s economic policies as President.</b> <b>Summarize how Reagan strengthened the conservative movement.</b> <b>Evaluate the steps taken to address various problems in the 1980s and the early 1990s.</b> <b>Analyze the ways that Ronald Reagan challenged communism and the Soviet Union.</b> <b>Explain why communism collapsed in Europe and in the Soviet Union.</b> <b>Describe other foreign policy challenges that faced the United States in the 1980s.</b> <b>Analyze why George H.W. Bush decided to use force in some foreign disputes and not in others.</b> <b>Summarize the Persian Gulf War and its results.</b></p>	
<p><b>Relevant Literature</b></p>		<p><b>3 weeks</b></p>		