

	US History 2023-24
Week(s)	Topics/Tests
9/11-10/16	Quarter 1: Foundations and Formations of the New World (1491-1800) <i>"Origins of a Nation: Encounter, Colonialism, and Rebellion"</i> From pre-Columbian civilizations and European discovery to the birth of the United States, this quarter covers the clash of cultures, colonial life, and the American Revolution, setting the stage for a new nation.
9/11	Introduction to US History
9/18	Period 1: 1491-1607, "Dawn of Discovery"
9/25	Period 2: 1607-1754, "Colonial Foundations"
10/9	Period 3: 1754-1800, "Birth of Liberty"
10/16	Test on Periods 1-3
10/23-12/11	Quarter 2: Expansion and Conflict (1800-1898) <i>"Evolving Nation: Frontiers, Fracture, and Reunion"</i> This quarter focuses on America's westward expansion, the tensions leading to the Civil War, and the subsequent efforts at Reconstruction, as the country defines its identity and democracy.
10/23	Period 4: 1800-1848, "Pioneers and Progress"
11/6-11/13	Period 5: 1844-1877, "Unity and Power"
11/27-12/4	Period 6: 1865-1898, "Industry and Empire"
12/11	Test on Periods 4-6
1/8-3/11	Quarter 3: Emergence as a Global Power (1890-1945) <i>"Expansion and Influence: America's Rise to Power"</i> Students will explore America's shift from isolationism to a global player through two World Wars and the Great Depression, examining the country's growing economic and military influence.
1/8-3/4	Period 7: 1890-1945, "Era of Triumph"
3/11	Test on Period 7
3/25-6/3	Quarter 4: Modern America and Global Hegemony (1945-Present) <i>"Superpower Struggles: Ideological Conflicts and Contemporary Challenges"</i> The final quarter addresses the Cold War era, American intervention in global conflicts, and domestic challenges, leading up to contemporary issues, reflecting on America's role in the late 20th and early 21st centuries.
3/25-4/8	Period 8: 1945-1980, "Leaders of Liberty"
4/15-4/22	Period 9: 1980-Present, "Innovators of the New Age"
4/29	Test on Periods 8 & 9
5/13 & 5/20	Review of everything
6/3	Test on everything, i.e. period 1-9

Text book: Crash Course – AP US History.