



AP UNITED STATES HISTORY

Summer 2023 Assignments

The following assignments are to be completed prior to the start of the 2023-2024 school year. Students will have TWO major grade assessments (Unit One Test and Unit Two Test) covering the content from these assignments during the first full week of classes. It is recommended that students do not wait until the last week of summer to complete these tasks, as they will require some time and labor to complete successfully. Students who have questions or need assistance should email Mr. Biggers at brad.biggers@wimberleyisd.net.

All summer assignments are available in Google Classroom by July 1, 2023. Please email Mr. Biggers using the address above for access if you are a transfer to WISD for the 2023-2024 academic year.

ASSIGNMENT DESCRIPTION	STUDENT RESPONSIBILITY & ACCOUNTABILITY	HOW STUDENTS WILL BE GRADED
1. The Complicated History of Columbus and the European Discovery of the Americas	Students will read and annotate two secondary sources	Students will be tested over their knowledge of the events discussed in the secondary sources as well as their analysis of the sources on the Unit One Test with both SAQ* and MCQ** sections
2. Chapter 1 (New World Beginnings, 33, 000 BCE - 1769 CE) Lecture Video & Primary Sources	Students will watch the video in Google Classroom and take notes on their own paper; read and annotate the primary sources	Students will be tested over this lecture on the Unit One Test (MCQ & SAQ)
3A. Chapter 2 (The Planting of English America, 1500-1733) Lecture Video 3B. Unit One Primary Sources	Students will watch the video in Google Classroom and take notes on their own paper; read and annotate the primary sources	Students will be tested over this lecture on the Unit One Test (MCQ & SAQ)

4. Chapter 3 (Settling the Northern Colonies, 1619-1700) Reading Guide	Students will read and complete the Reading Guide questions	Students will be tested over their knowledge of this chapter on the Unit Two Test (MCQ)
5A. Chapter 4 (American Life in the Seventeenth Century, 1607-1692) Reading Guide 5B. Unit Two Primary Sources	Students will read and complete the Reading Guide questions; read and annotate the primary sources	Students will be tested over their knowledge of this chapter on the Unit Two Test (MCQ)
6A. Unit One Study Guide 6B. Unit Two Study Guide	Students should use the Study Guide to prepare for the Unit Tests during the first full week of classes	Students will be tested over their knowledge of these two units but these study guides will not be turned in

*Short Answer Questions

**Multiple Choice Questions