

Coach Josh Sinclair 3rd Nine Weeks Syllabus

Decatur County Middle School 8th Grade Social Studies

Online office hours: Monday-Thursday 2:00-2:35, Friday 7:30-3:00

Standards:

8.23 Examine the principles and purposes of government articulated in the Preamble and principles stated in the Constitution, including: the separation of powers, federalism, and checks and balances. (T.C.A. § 49-6-1028) H, P, TCA

8.24 Describe the conflict between Federalists and Anti-Federalists over the ratification of the Constitution, including the protection of individual rights through the Bill of Rights and concern for states' rights. (T.C.A. § 49-6-1028) H, P, TCA

8.25 Analyze the major events of the administration of President George Washington, including: the precedents he set, Whiskey Rebellion, and ideas presented in his farewell address. E, G, H, P

8.26 Explain how conflicts between Thomas Jefferson and Alexander Hamilton resulted in the emergence of two political parties by analyzing their views on foreign policy, economic policy, a national bank, and strict versus loose interpretation of the Constitution. C, E, G, H, P

8.27 Explain the controversies that plagued the administration of President John Adams, including: the conflicts with Great Britain and France, the XYZ Affair, and the Alien and Sedition Acts. E, G, H, P

8.28 Identify how westward expansion led to the statehood of Tennessee and the importance of the first state constitution (1796). (T.C.A. § 49-6-1028) G, H, P, T, TCA

8.29 Analyze the significance of the election of 1800 and Chief Justice John Marshall's opinion in Marbury v. Madison. H, P

8.30 Explain the major events of Thomas Jefferson's presidency, including: • Conflict with the Barbary pirates • Embargo Act • Lewis and Clark Expedition • Louisiana Purchase E, G, H, P

8.31 Explain the causes, course, and consequences of the War of 1812, including: • Use of impressment and trade restrictions between the U.S. and Great Britain • Roles of Andrew Jackson and William Henry Harrison • Significance of the Treaty of Ghent • Rise in nationalism in the U.S. C, E, G, H, P, T

8.32 Identify and locate the changing boundaries of the U.S. as a result of the Convention of 1818 and the Adams-Onis Treaty. G, P

8.33 Analyze the purpose and effects of the Monroe Doctrine. E, H, P

8.34 Describe the development of the agrarian economy in the South, the locations of the cottonproducing states, the significance of cotton and the cotton gin, and the founding of Memphis as a center for cotton and the slave trade. C, E, G, H, P, T

8.35 Analyze the characteristics of Southern society and its influence on the social and political conditions prior to the Civil War. C, E, G, H, P, T

8.36 Identify the conditions of enslavement, and explain how slaves adapted to and resisted bondage in their daily lives, including Nat Turner's revolt. C, G, H

8.37 Explain the development of the American Industrial Revolution, including: • Eli Whitney and interchangeable parts • Role of the textile industry • Emergence of trade unions • Samuel Slater • Lowell System C, E, G, H, P

8.38 Describe how technological developments affected the growth of the industrial economy and cities in the North. C, E, G, H, P

8.39 Identify the push-pull factors for Irish and German immigrants, and describe the impact of their arrival in the U.S. prior to the Civil War. C, E, G, H, P

8.40 Analyze the development of roads, canals, railroads, and steamboats throughout the U.S., including the Erie Canal and the National Road. C, E, G, H, P

8.41 Describe the significance of the Second Great Awakening and its influence on reform in the 19th century. C, H

8.42 Analyze the development of the women's suffrage movement, including the Seneca Falls Convention, and the ideals of Susan B. Anthony, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, and Sojourner Truth. C, H, P

8.43 Analyze the significance of leading abolitionists, including William Lloyd Garrison, Frederick Douglass, Elihu Embree, and Harriet Tubman, and the methods they used to spread the movement. C, E, H, P, T

8.44 Analyze the role played by Chief Justice John Marshall in strengthening the judicial branch, including the key decisions of the Supreme Court in *Gibbons v. Ogden* and *McCulloch v. Maryland*. C, E, H, P

8.45 Examine the importance of the elections of 1824 and 1828, including: the corrupt bargain, the spoils system, and Jacksonian Democracy. C, G, H, P, T

8.46 Examine President Andrew Jackson's actions regarding the Bank of the U.S. and the Nullification Crisis, and analyze the effects of these events on the nation. C, E, H, P, T

8.47 Describe the impact of the Indian Removal Act and the struggle between the Cherokee Nation and the U.S. government, including the significance of *Worcester v. Georgia* and the Trail of Tears. C, G, H, P, T

8.48 Identify that the Tennessee Constitution of 1834 expanded voting rights for non-property owners. (T.C.A. 49-6-1028) H, P, T, TCA

Grades:

6 Quizzes

3 Tests

5 Daily Grades

9 Weeks Test