

Grade: 7 Month: September-January

Content Area: Social Studies

Sub Content/Unit: Civil War/Reconstruction

What our students will know and be able to do	Learning Activities	Materials	Assessment tools	Notes
Understand the primary causes, effects, and outcomes of the American Civil War from a variety of perspectives.	 Abolitionist Research Project Read Bull Run by Paul Fleischman Interactive Notebook notes/output Role Play 	 Interactive Notebook Students of History Civil War Reconstruction Unit Bull Run Novel 	 Research Presentations Interactive Notebook Refelctions Unit Test Reading Comp passages 	
 Understand the promise and swift end of the Reconstruction Era and how we can use that knowledge to strengthen democracy today. Understand the events that led up to the Wilmington Massacre in 1898. 	 Interactive Notebook notes/output Crow by Barbara Wright Reader's Theater One Pager on an Important Black American form the Reconstruction Era 	 Interactive Notebook Students of History Reconstruction Unit Crow novel 	 Research Presentations Interactive Notebook Refelctions Unit Test Reading Comp passages 	



Grade: 7 Month: February-March

Content Area: Social Studies

Sub Content/Unit: Gilded Age

What our students will know and be able to do	Learning Activities	Materials	Assessment tools	Notes
Understand the impacts industry had on laborers, including child laborers, the trials that new immigrants faced, and the disparity between the extremely wealthy and the working poor.	 3-D Transcontiniental RR notes Interactive notebook reflections Inventions of the Gilded Age infomercial project Labor Strikes Picket Sign Project 	 Interactive Notebook Students of History Gilded Age Unit Cardbaord and markers for signs 	 Research Presentations Interactive Notebook Refelctions Unit Test Reading Comp passages 	



Grade: 7 Month: April-May

Content Area: Social Studies

Sub Content/Unit: Progressive Era and

Imperialism

What our students will know and be able to do	Learning Activities	Materials	Assessment tools	Notes
 Understand the issues of the Progressive Era including: the Temperance movement, labor unions, creation of public education, women's rights, programs for the needy and mentally ill, and how muckraking helped to propel some of the movements. Understand the impacts of the huge territorial expansion of the United States. 	 Interactive Notebook Song analysis Analyzing Populist Cartoons Progressive Newspaper Project 	 Interactive Notebook Students of History Progressivism and Imperialism Unit 	 Research Presentations Interactive Notebook Refelctions Unit Test Reading Comp passages 	



Grade: 7 Month: May-June

Content Area: Social Studies

Sub Content/Unit: WWI-1920's

What our students will know and be able to do	Learning Activities	Materials	Assessment tools	Notes
 Understand the main causes of WWI, the impact it had on marginalized groups, new warfare technologies, and Wilson's 14 pts. Understand the effects of prohibition and its eventual repeal, the impact of the Red Scare on immigration policy, and learn about the artists from the Harlem Renaissance. 	 Interactive Notebook Song analysis WWI Webquest Adventure Post WWI map analysis Harlem Renaissance Stations Primary Source Analysis 	Interactive Notebook Students of History WWI Roaring 20's Unit	 Research Presentations Interactive Notebook Refelctions Unit Test Reading Comp passages 	