

General Course Syllabus for American Studies I -Honors

2007-2008

Term I	Term II	Term III	Term IV
<p><u>Term Project:</u> 200pts Independence Debate</p>	<p><u>Term Project:</u> 200 Civic Letter</p>	<p><u>Term Project:</u> 200 Landmark Cases</p>	<p><u>Term Project:</u> 200 Reform Research Project</p>
<p><u>Text:</u> <i>Enduring Vision</i> Chapters 1-6</p>	<p><u>Text:</u> <i>Enduring Vision</i> Ch 7, Constitution & BoR</p>	<p><u>Text:</u> <i>Enduring Vision</i> Ch 8-13</p>	<p><u>Text:</u> <i>Enduring Vision</i> Ch 14, 15</p>
<p><u>Major Assessments:</u> 100pts Summer Reading Test 30 Colonial Map Quiz 30 French Indian War Quiz 100 Events up to Revolutionary War Test 100 Benjamin Franklin DBQ</p>	<p><u>Major Assessments:</u> 100 Federalist Papers Essay 100 National Treasure Essay 100 Revolutionary War Test 30 Bill of Rights Quiz 100 Alexander Hamilton DBQ</p>	<p><u>Major Assessments:</u> 100 Crown vs. Halo Essay 100 Bicentennial Debate 100 "A Slave's Declaration for Independence (>20) 30 Economic Growth /Emerging Capitalism Quiz 100 Democratization Test 100 War with Mexico /Manifest Destiny DBQ 100 Sojourner Truth DBQ</p>	<p><u>Major Assessments:</u> 40 Research Project Presentations 30 Quiz on Compromises 50 Lincoln Quest 100 Civil War Battle Presentation/Essay 30 Civil War Flag Project 100 John Brown DBQ</p>
<p><u>Key Historical Figure:</u> Benjamin Franklin</p>	<p><u>Key Historical Figure:</u> Alexander Hamilton</p>	<p><u>Key Historical Figure:</u> Sojourner Truth</p>	<p><u>Key Historical Figure:</u> John Brown</p>
<p><u>Films:</u> <i>French and Indian War</i> <i>Benjamin Franklin</i></p>	<p><u>Films:</u> <i>Founding Brothers</i> <i>National Treasure</i> <i>American Revolution</i> <i>Washington: Founding a Nation</i> <i>School House Rock</i></p>	<p><u>Film:</u> <i>Africans in America</i> <i>Scopes Trial</i></p>	<p><u>Film:</u> <i>Gettysburg</i> <i>Blue and Gray</i></p>

*Individual assignment due dates will vary with each teacher. Specific due dates will be given by your teacher at the appropriate time.