



Yearly Overview United States History

2018-2019

Semester 1

Term 1

- **Citizenship**
 - American Revolution
 - The U.S. Constitution and Bill of Rights
 - American Values and Civic Responsibilities
 - **Industrialization and the Gilded Age**
 - Growth and Change in the West
 - Populism
 - Industrialization
 - Impact of Technology
 - Immigration
 - Urbanization
 - Rise of Entrepreneurship and Pros/Cons of Big Business
 - **Progressive Era**
 - Growth of Labor Unions
 - Political Machines
 - Impact of Third Parties
 - Progressive Reform Movements
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Term 2

- **Becoming a World Power**
 - U.S. Expansionism
 - Spanish American War
 - Foreign Policy in Latin America and Asia
- **World War I**
 - Isolationism and Neutrality
 - U.S. Entry and Contributions
 - Significant Technological Innovations
 - World War I as a Turning Point
 - Lasting Effects
- **1920s**
 - Return to Normalcy and Economic Prosperity
 - Great Migration
 - Social Tension and Conflict in Values
 - Roaring Twenties and Cultural Renaissance
- **The Great Depression and New Deal**
 - Dust Bowl
 - Causes of the Great Depression and the Stock Market Crash
 - Effects of the Great Depression and the New Deal
 - Changing Role of Government

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Term 3

- **World War II**
 - Rise of Dictators and Conflict in Europe
 - Reasons for U.S. Involvement
 - European Theater
 - Pacific Theater
 - Home Front Efforts
 - End of War and Lasting Impact
 - **Early Cold War**
 - Cold War Beginnings and Post-war Fears
 - Containment
 - Arms Race
 - Post-war Prosperity
 - Social Changes
 - **Civil Rights and Social Change**
 - Leaders and Organizations
 - Legislation and Landmark Cases
 - Successes and Setbacks
 - **1960s**
 - JFK's Presidency
 - LBJ and the Great Society
 - U.S. Involvement in the Vietnam War
 - Antiwar and Counterculture
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Term 4

- **1970s and 1980s**
 - End of the Vietnam War and Lasting Legacy
 - Oil, Energy, and Environmentalism
 - Middle East Relations
 - Rise of Conservatism
 - Changes in Foreign Policy
 - Supply Side Economics
- **1990s and the 21st Century**
 - End of the Cold War
 - Innovation, Technology, and Globalization
 - 9/11 and Impact on Domestic and Foreign Policies

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