

APUSH Summer Assignment 2019

Welcome to AP US History! If you have questions or concerns about your summer assignment, please contact:

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Book Purchase

We use this book as our main textbook to make sure our students are prepared for the exam next year. As part of your summer assignment, you are to come to the first day of school with your book. You may purchase the book as an eBook, but it is highly recommended that you get a hard copy as it will be helpful to have in class and mark practice questions in the book.

Book Information: *United States History: Preparing for the Advanced Placement Examination (2020)*

Author: John J Newman, John M Schmalbach

AMSCO Publisher Link:

<https://www.amscopub.com/social-studies/advanced-placement/united-states-history-ap-exam.html>

(\$19 plus shipping)



<-----Use your phone's camera and hover over the QR code to pull up the site. It will drop down from the top of your screen.

***If purchasing this book poses a financial burden on you, please see Mrs. Hall or Mr. Bordas and we can assist you in acquired the required text.

Remind

You must sign up for text message reminders for the class. We will send periodic messages throughout the summer with reminders, so please sign up by June 1st to make sure you receive all messages.

Number to text to: 81010

Message box: @apus2020

OR use the following link: www.remind.com/join/apus2020

***If you download the Remind app, you can scroll through all Cambridge High School distribution lists and you can find us under APUSH 2019 - 2020 (All). Having the app will also be convenient for you during the year to be able to message your teachers with questions you might have and you may use this to text your instructors over the summer with any questions or concerns. You may receive messages via e-mail or text using this system.

Summer Assignment

Part I: The American Presidents

You will need to learn the American Presidents in order from 1 - 45. You will have to put them in order on an assessment in September.

Here is a song to help you memorize them: ----->

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cj-q2VNa89c&t=1s>



<----- This song gives some information for each one which is really helpful, but you will not need to memorize all of this information: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IQ6y42tcDpk>

Knowing the presidents in order will help when you learn the curriculum and context with each administration. This will help tremendously when it comes to doing well on the AP exam.

Part II: The States

You are accountable for knowing and being able to place the 50 states. You will be given the map below and you will need to label the map accordingly. Below is the map that you will be asked to use. You will be assessed in September.



*You will be reassessed on these two activities in the second semester to ensure you have retained that information in preparation of the AP exam. The assessments will be the exact same, but will serve as a checkpoint.