

ADVANCED PLACEMENT UNITED STATES HISTORY

MRS. WARD 2019

SUMMER READING: ALL MATERIALS ARE DUE THE FIRST FULL DAY OF CLASSES, SEPTEMBER 9, 2019

1. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR READING AND KNOWING THE CONTENT OF THE FIRST FIVE CHAPTERS OF THE AMERICAN PAGEANT UNITED STATES HISTORY BOOK.
2. YOU ARE TO ANSWER THE FOLLOWING ESSAY QUESTIONS THOROUGHLY, THESIS STATEMENT AND FIVE PARAGRAPH ESSAY.

ESSAY QUESTIONS:

ESSAY ONE

COMPARE AND CONTRAST THE EARLY COLONIAL EMPIRES OF SPAIN AND ENGLAND IN TERMS OF MOTIVES, ECONOMIC FOUNDATIONS, AND RELATIONS WITH AFRICANS AND INDIANS. (SEE CHAPTER ONE IN THE AMERICAN PAGEANT) WHAT FACTORS EXPLAIN THE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES IN THE TWO VENTURES?

ESSAY TWO

WHAT ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, AND ETHNIC CONDITIONS TYPICAL OF THE EARLY SOUTHERN COLONIES (CHAPTER 2) WERE GENERALLY ABSENT IN THE NEW ENGLAND AND MIDDLE COLONIES? WHAT

CHARACTERISTICS DID THE MIDDLE COLONIES HAVE THAT WERE NOT PRESENT IN THE SOUTH?

ESSAY THREE

IN WHAT WAYS WAS THE SEVENTEENTH- CENTURY COLONIAL SOCIETY ALREADY RECOGNIZABLE IN RELATION TO ISSUES OF FAMILY LIFE, SOCIAL CLASS, ETHNICITY, AND IN WHAT WAYS DID IT STILL REFLECT OLD WORLD FEATURES, WHETHER EUROPEAN OR AFRICAN?

SUMMER READING, THE BOOK: “NO ORDINARY TIME” BY DORIS KEARNS GOODWIN

1. YOU ARE TO KEEP A SUMMER READING JOURNAL FOR THE BOOK, “NO ORDINARY TIME” BY DORIS KEARNS GOODWIN
2. PLEASE KEEP YOUR READING JOURNAL IN A SPIRAL NOTEBOOK WITH YOUR NAME ON THE FRONT COVER, EACH CHAPTER TABBED AND THE NOTEBOOK HANDED IN WITH YOUR ESSAY QUESTIONS.

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3. ON THE LEFT PAGE OF THE SPIRAL NOTEBOOK YOU ARE TO RECORD YOUR NOTES FROM EACH CHAPTER, OBVIOUSLY MORE THAN JUST ONE PAGE. OPPOSITE EACH PAGE OF YOUR NOTES FROM EACH CHAPTER, YOU ARE TO RECORD YOUR REFLECTIONS OF WHAT YOU READ AND RECORDED ON THE NOTE PAGE.

4. WHEN YOU HAVE FINISHED READING “NO ORDINARY TIME,” YOU ARE TO WRITE A CONCLUDING ESSAY, DOES THE TITLE OF THE BOOK ACCURATELY REFLECT THE HISTORICAL PERIOD? YOUR ESSAY IS TO BE A FIVE PARAGRAPH ESSAY WITH A THESIS STATEMENT, SUPPORTING PARAGRAPHS AND A SOLID CONCLUSION!

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FAILURE TO COMPLETE THIS SUMMER READING ASSIGNMENT
ON THE DATE DUE WILL IMPACT YOUR GRADE FOR THIS MAJOR
ASSIGNMENT!