## **Advanced Placement United States History**

## **2023 Summer Assignment**

Welcome to Advanced Placement United States History! This is a college level course where we will study the development of the United States from 1491 to the present day. In order to better prepare you for the A.P. exam, I will be requiring you to get a head start on the material we will be covering in the course by completing the following assignment.

You will read chapters 23-26 in *American History* by Dr. Alan Brinkley. A complete and thorough outline for each chapter will need to be submitted by the first day of class. These outlines need to be submitted through Google Classroom. Additionally, you are to do the identifications (definition and significance to the chapter) on the terms and names at the end of these chapters and submit them through Google Classroom as well.

On my Google Classroom page (Code ajgsg7a), I will be posting PowerPoints for you to study that accompany the two units of the Great Depression and World War II. When we return to school in September, I will be teaching you the material through the study of primary source documents, secondary source readings, simulations, and Document Based questions. Therefore, it is imperative on your end to do the readings and study the PowerPoints.

I'm truly excited to prepare you to take the A.P.U.S.H. exam next May. I know that if you have the drive, energy, and determination, we will make this a great year and one to celebrate when you receive your passing scores next July. Enjoy your summer!

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