**APUSH Fall 2018**

### PROPOSED COURSE CALENDAR

Days 1, 2 and 3 will be utilized by going over campus and classroom procedures, rules, and schedule changes.

Week 1: August 20th - 24th

Introduction to the class, syllabus, class rules, AP Exam breakdown American History ch. 1(due Friday); *Guns, Germs and Steel* documentary;

Week 2: August 27th – September 1st

Finish Give Me Liberty ch. 2; begin Give Me Liberty ch. 3

Week 3: September 5th – 8th

September 4: Labor Day (No School) Finish Give Me Liberty ch. 3; begin Give Me Liberty ch. 4

Week 4: September 11th – 15th

Finish Give Me Liberty ch. 4; Exam 1 review; **Exam 1 on Friday September 15th (Chapters. 1-4) as well as first paper due for *John Smith: Description of Virginia* (Readings pg. 26-29**)

Week 5: September 18th – 22rd

Give Me Liberty ch. 5 (The American Revolution/American Revolutionary War); You will read Give Me Liberty ch. 6 on your own and we will discuss the chapter review questions in class together

Week 6: September 25th – September 29th

Give Me Liberty ch. 7; begin Give Me Liberty ch. 8 (The first half)

Week 7: October 2nd – 6th (Half Day so we may take the exam on Thursday 5th or Tuesday the 10th)

Finish Give Me Liberty ch.8; Exam 2 review; **Exam 2 on Friday October 6th (Chapters 5-8) as well as second paper due for, *Visual Portfolio: Patriot and Loyalist Propaganda* (Readings pg. 114-119)** End of 1st quarter Friday, 10/6

Week 8: October 10th - 13th

Give Me Liberty Ch. 8 (the second half); begin Give Me Liberty ch. 9

Week 9: October 16th – 20th

Finish Give Me Liberty ch. 10; begin Give Me Liberty ch. 13 (Manifest Destiny)

Week 10: October 23rd– 27th

Finish Give Me Liberty ch. 13 (if needed); read Give Me Liberty ch. 12 on your own and we will discuss the chapter review questions in class; Exam 3 review; **Exam 3 on Friday, October 27th (chapters 9-12) as well as third paper due for Nat Turner: A Slave Insurrection (Reading pg. 232-239)**

Week 11: October 30th– November 3rd

Give Me Liberty ch. 11 (Slavery in the South); begin Give Me Liberty ch. 13 (Antebellum: A House Divided)

Week 12: November 6th - 10th

Finish discussion of Give Me Liberty ch. 14 (The Civil War); possible class time to work on Uncle Tom’s Cabin papers (this is not guaranteed) due on Friday, 11/17

Week 13: November 13th – 17th

11/13 is the final day to drop the class with a W; Give Me Liberty ch. 15 (Reconstruction)/Possible time to work on final paper.

Thanksgiving Break - November 20th- 24th

Week 14: November 27th – December 1st

***Uncle Tom’s Cabin* papers due on Friday/**Exam 4 review; **Exam 4 on Friday, December 1st (chapters 13-15)**

Week 15: December 4th - 8th

Final Exam Review

Week 16: December 11th-15th

**Final exam:** Will be determined by Lone Star sometime this week and will be cumulative.

**Final Project:** We will be working on an in-class project that has yet to be determined. I will make sure a project breakdown along with a rubric is available on Monday, December 11.