US History SLO study guide

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| Primary Source: | Secondary Source: | What type of sources are most reliable? | Why did people start exploring? |
| Colony: | European exploration effect on Native Americans: | New England Colonies: | Middle Colonies: |
| Triangle Trade: | | Southern Colonies: | Spanish Colonies: |
| Indentured Servant: | Slave: |
| Causes of the Am. Rev. | Patriot Advantages: | Redcoat Advantages: | Sons of Liberty: |
| Declaration of Independence: | Bill of Rights: | Why did people need a Bill of Rights? | Constitution: |
| How is the Constitution a “living document”? | Democratic Republic: | What are the 3 branches of gov’t? | Why do we have 3 branches of gov’t? |
| Levels of Gov’t: | Political Parties today: | Manifest Destiny: | Gold Rush: |
| Trail of Tears: | Bleeding Kansas: | Industrial Revolution: | Inventions during the Industrial Revolution: |
| Result of the Cotton Gin invention: | What ended the “American Frontier”? | What finally forced Natives onto reservations? | Transcontinental Railroad: |
| Causes of the Civil War: | Union Advantages: | Confederate Advantages: | North’s Goal: |
| South’s Goal: | Fugitive Slave Act: | Emancipation Proclamation: | Dred Scott Results: |
| Kansas-Nebraska Act: | 54th Massachusetts: | Abolitionist Movement: | Reconstruction: |
| Segregation: | Discrimination: | Jim Crow Era: | How did the North treat blacks? |

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| “When in the Course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature’s God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.”  **What is this from? What does it mean?** | “Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted.”  **What is this from? What does it mean?** |
| “It is obvious that they were not even in the minds of the framers of the Constitution when they were conferring special rights and privileges upon the citizens of a State in every other part of the Union.” “the right of property in a slave is distinctly and expressly affirmed in the Constitution.”  **What is this from? What does it mean?** | “all persons held as slaves within any State or designated part of a State, the people whereof shall then be in rebellion against the United States, shall be then, thenceforward, and forever free; and the Executive Government of the United States, including the military and naval authority thereof, will recognize and maintain the freedom of such persons” **What is this from? What does it mean?** |