

## AP United States History

Agenda for the Week: April 21 – 25, 2008

This is a busy week, and our last week of material! Please read all instructions carefully, **read your textbook and study for the AP exam.**

### Monday 4/21 (D & E mods); Tuesday 4/22 (F mod)

- Receive scantron and test copy for “Exam 12B” – **Note:** Keep your scantron in a safe location, ideally a folder. DO NOT allow your card to bend or crumple. It must be in good condition to run through the scanner.
- Discuss 2007-Form B DBQ Essay on the Johnson Years briefly
- Discuss the Civil Rights and Vietnam timelines briefly (see website)
- In Groups:
  - o Using the handout, place the appropriate political cartoons in chronological order
  - o Work on a graphic organizer for 1968

Homework: Be familiar with the major events of the 1970s; If time, see the 1968 PowerPoint online

### Tuesday 4/22 (D mod); Wednesday 4/23 (E & F mods)

- Presidents DVD: Ford and Carter
- Brief overview of the major themes of the 1970s
- Presidents DVD: Reagan, Bush → (as far as possible)

Homework: Be familiar with the major events of the 1980s to present; Briefly view the 1980s to Present PowerPoint (note: I wish we had the time to go over this in class... I worked hard on it! ☺ However, I am going to have to leave it in your hands due to our time constraints)

### Thursday 4/24 (all mods)

- **Take-home Exam 12B due** / will discuss mock exam reminders
- 10 MINUTES: A guidance counselor will be here to fill out the information for the AP exam – PAY CLOSE ATTENTION! We need to finish this in 10 minutes.
- Finish Presidents DVD to present
- Brief discussion of major themes of the 1980s to present
- **With the conclusion of this discussion... “that is the history of the United States.” We’ve done it! Nine short months ago, we began our journey through the history of this nation and on this day, we conclude our study. Thank you for being such an outstanding group of students. I sincerely hope that you succeed on the AP exam, and in the next two weeks, I will do everything I can to prepare you for this task.**

### Friday 4/25 (all mods)

Many students will be attending the Eucharistic Minister Retreat at Marywood; for those who are present in class, we will conduct general review for the AP exam.

### **MOCK EXAM REMINDERS!!!**

- DATE: **Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup>**
- TIME: We will begin the exam promptly at 9:00 AM. Please come early so that you can enjoy bagels and refreshments!
- WHERE: Bishop Kenny Cafeteria, Junior/Senior Section (please enter from the glass doors at the Senior courtyard)
- Bring #2 pencils and black ink pens (this will be the requirement for the AP exam as well)
- Dress comfortably
- Refreshments will be served
- We should be done between 12:00-12:30