

# History & Civics

*An American Classical Education*

Grammar School (K-6)

Upper School (7-12)

	AMERICAN HISTORY & CIVICS	WORLD HISTORY
<b>KINDERGARTEN</b>	Introduction to America: Geography, Native American Peoples, Early Exploration, Independence Day, Presidents, Symbols & Figures	
<b>FIRST</b>	Exploration & Revolution: Early American Civilizations, Modern Mexico, Early Exploration & Settlement, American Revolution, Early Exploration of the American West	Geography, Ancient Near-East Civilizations, Judaism, Christianity, Islam
<b>SECOND</b>	Constitution, War of 1812, Geography, Westward Expansion, Civil War, Immigration, Citizenship	Ancient Asian Civilizations, Modern Japan, Ancient Greece
<b>THIRD</b>	Native Peoples of North America, Exploration of North America, the Thirteen Colonies	Rivers; Ancient Rome: Geography, Republic, Empire, Byzantium; Vikings
<b>FOURTH</b>	American Revolution, Making a Constitution, Early Presidents: Washington, Adams, Jefferson, J.Q. Adams, Jackson	Mountains; Ancient China: Han, Tang, Song, and Ming Dynasties; Europe in the Middle Ages: Geography, Christianity, Feudalism, Norman Conquest, England; Founding & Spread of Islam; Early & Medieval African Kingdoms
<b>FIFTH</b>	North American Geography, Westward Expansion Before the Civil War, Antebellum America, The Civil War, Reconstruction, Westward Expansion After the Civil War, Western Native Americans	Renaissance; Native Civilizations of the Americas: Maya, Aztec, Inca; European Exploration; Reformation; England: Golden Age to Glorious Revolution; Russia: Byzantium to Catherine the Great; Feudal Japan
<b>SIXTH</b>	World Deserts; Lasting Ideas from Judaism & Christianity; Lasting Ideas from Ancient Greece; Rome: Republic, Empire, Decline & Fall; The Enlightenment, French Revolution, Romanticism, Industrial Revolution, Capitalism, Socialism, Gilded Age America, Latin American Independence Movements	
<b>SEVENTH</b>	<p><b>America, 1607-1877</b></p> Geography of the US, Native Civilizations, European Exploration, Thirteen Colonies, Events Leading to Revolution, American Revolution, US Constitution, Presidencies of Washington-JQ Adams, the Age of Jackson, Antebellum Era, Civil War, Reconstruction	
<b>EIGHTH</b>	<p><b>America, 1877-Present</b></p> Gilded Age, Progressivism, Roaring Twenties, Great Depression, Cultural Change and Activism in the 1960s and 70s, Civil Rights Movement, Survey of American History from Kennedy to Obama	Geography of Europe, Geography of the Middle East, WWI, the Russian Revolution, Totalitarianism in the 1930s, WWII, Cold War, Vietnam, Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan
<b>NINTH</b>		<p><b>Ancient World to AD 500</b></p> Early Civilizations near the Mediterranean, The Hebrews, Archaic Greece, Persian Wars, Classical Greece, Peloponnesian War, Greek Philosophy, Alexander the Great, Hellenistic Period, Roman Regal Period, Early Roman Republic, Roman Civil Wars, Christianity & the Early Church, Roman Empire, Division of Rome
<b>TENTH</b>	<p><b>Economics</b></p> Supply & Demand, Profit & the Price System, Government Intervention, Introduction to Macroeconomic theory	<p><b>Europe 500-1815</b></p> Early, High, & Late Middle Ages (Fall of Rome through the Black Death); Renaissance, Reformation, Age of Exploration, Scientific Revolution, Thirty Years' War, Glorious Revolution, Enlightenment, Industrial & Agricultural Revolution, French Revolution, Napoleon
<b>ELEVENTH</b>	<p><b>Intro to Moral &amp; Political Philosophy</b></p> <i>Darkness at Noon, 1894, Brave New World, Gulliver's Travels, Abolition of Man</i>	
	<p><b>America, 1607-Present</b></p> Colonial America, American Revolution, Articles of Confederation, Constitution, Early Republic, Era of Good Feelings, Jacksonian Democracy, Antebellum Period, Civil War, Reconstruction, Gilded Age, Progressivism, Roaring Twenties, Great Depression & New Deal, Post-War America, Cultural Change & Activism in the 1960s and 70s, Civil Rights Movement, Survey of American History from Kennedy to Obama	WWI, Soviet Union, WWII, Cold War, Vietnam, Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan
	<p><b>Moral &amp; Political Philosophy</b></p> Aristotle's Physics, Ethics, and Politics; Machiavelli; Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau; Kant, Hegel; Marx	
<b>TWELFTH</b>	<p><b>American Government</b></p> Natural Rights, American Founding, Constitution, Progressivism & the Rise of the Administrative State, Civil Rights, Social Justice, Constitutional Interpretation & the Judiciary, Democratic Politics (parties, elections, public opinion, interest groups, media), Modern Governing Institutions & Agencies, Democracy in America	<p><b>Modern World, 1815-Present</b></p> Revolutions of 1820s, 30s, & 40s; Industrialization; Late Modern Philosophies; British Empire; German & Italian Unification; WWI; Russian Revolution; Rise of Totalitarianism; WWII, Disintegration of British Empire; Chinese Civil War; Cold War; Proxy Wars; 20th Century Conflicts in the Middle East; Soviet Union; Europe after the Cold War