

8th Grade American History

A Brief Guide for the School

Year

1st Six Weeks

Age of Exploration
Establishing Colonies
Jamestown
The Four Colonial Regions
Celebrate Freedom Week
Special Test-50 States

2nd Six Weeks

Living in the Colonies
Road to the American
Revolution
Special Test-50 States
Capitals

3rd Six Weeks

American Revolution
Articles of Confederation
The Constitutional
Convention
The Constitution
Special Test-Declaration
of Independence
Preamble

4th Six Weeks

Washington's Presidency
Jefferson's Presidency
The Industrial Revolution
Special Test-US
Constitution Preamble

5th Six Weeks

Jacksonian Era
Manifest Destiny
American Society
Reform Movements
Special Test-The Star-
Spangled Banner

6th Six Weeks

The Civil War &
Reconstruction
Review for STAAR Test
Take STAAR Test
Special Test-US
Presidents
Genealogy Project