**U.S History: Unit 1-Ch. 1-4 Study Guide**

**Chapter 1 Section 3: Early British Colonies**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Rebellion**

**Jamestown** Puritan **indentured servant** Quaker **King Philip’s War**

Mercantilism **Navigation Acts** joint-stock companies

**Concepts to Understand**

1. How did mercantilism help the colonies become self-sufficient?

2. What long-term effects follow King Philip’s War?

3. Why was Jamestown a near disaster?

**Chapter 1 Section 4: Colonies Come of Age**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Enlightenment **Middle Passage** Great Awakening **Triangular Trade** French & Indian War

**Proclamation of 1763**

**Concepts to Understand**

1. On what was the South’s economy based?

2. In what ways was slavery a brutal system?

3. What effects did Enlightenment have on political thought in colonies?

4. What effects did Great Awakening have on organized religion in colonies?

5. Despite French and Indian War victory, what were some of the rising conflicts/tensions between colonists and British?

**Chapter 2 Section 1: Colonial Resistance and Rebellion**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

**King George III** Sugar Act **Stamp Act** Samuel Adams **Boston Massacre**

John Locke ***Common Sense*** Thomas Jefferson **Boston Tea Party** Declaration of Independence

**Concepts to Understand**

1. How did the colonists respond to new taxes?

2. How did Britain try to punish Boston for its protests?

3. What actions did the colonies take to prepare for war?

4. What ideas of John Locke did Thomas Jefferson put in the Declaration of Independence?

**Chapter 2 Section 2: The War for Independence**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Loyalist **Patriot** Treaty of Paris

**Concepts to Understand**

1. What hardships did the colonist population face during the Revolution?

2. In what ways did women and African Americans help in the war effort?

3. Why did some African Americans fight on the British side?

4. Would the colonists have won the war without foreign aid?

**Chapter 2 Section 3: Confederation and the Constitution**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Northwest Ordinance of 1787 **Shay’s Rebellion** James Madison **ratification** Federalists

**Antifederalists**  Bill of Rights **Articles of Confederation** Checks and Balances **Federalism**

Three-Fifths Compromise

**Concepts to Understand**

1. What problems did the Confederation face?

2. How was power divided in the new Constitution?

3. How did the Federalists and Antifederalists feel about the Constitution?

4. Why has the Constitution been able to meet the changing needs of the country for so long?

5. What are the three branches of government?

6. What is the role of the Vice-President?

7. What was the Great Compromise?

**Chapter 2 Section 4: Launching the New Nation**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Judiciary Act **Nullification**  Alien Sedition Act **XYZ Affair**

**Concepts to Understand**

1. What were the causes and effects of the Whiskey Rebellion?

2. How did the U.S. confront the difficult task of forming a new government?

3. What are similarities/differences between Federalists & Anti-Federalists?

4. What steps did Adams take to avoid war with France? What were the effects of the XYZ Affair?

5. What were the Virginia/Kentucky Resolutions?

**Chapter 3 Section 1: The Jeffersonian Era**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Judicial Review **Monroe Doctrine** Marbury v. Madison **Impressment** Louisiana Purchase

**Concepts to Understand**

1. Why was the principle of judicial review important to the future of Supreme Court?

2. What factors led to War of 1812?

3. After the Louisiana Purchase, why did Lewis and Clark explore the newly purchased territory?

4. Do you think Monroe Doctrine was a source of peace or a conflict for the US? Why?

**Chapter 3 Section 2: Age of Jackson**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Henry Clay **Missouri Compromise** Andrew Jackson **American System** Trail of Tears **Indian Removal Act**

**Concepts to Understand**

1. How did the regional economies of the North & South create differences/conflicts?

2. What were agreements of the Missouri Compromise?

3. How did the gov’t try to enforce the Indian Removal Act?

**Chapter 3 Section 3: Manifest Destiny**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Manifest Destiny **Texas Revolution** **Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo**

**Concepts to Understand**

1. How did the gold rush affect the population and economy in California?

2. How did manifest destiny affect U.S. relationships with Native Americans?

3. What disagreement led to the Texas Revolution?

4. How much territory did the U.S. acquire after winning the war against Mexico?

**Chapter 3 Section 4 and 5**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Free Enterprise **Entrepreneur** Abolition **Seneca Falls Convention** Samuel F. B. Morse **Frederick Douglass**

**Concepts to Understand**

1. What are some innovations and inventions that helped fuel economy and industrialize the United States?

2. How did the new market economy change the workplace and working conditions?

3. Why were most labor strikes of the 1840s and 1880s ineffective?

4. What were some of the areas of society women worked to reform?

5. Describe life as a slave in the 1830s?

**Chapter 4 Section 1: The Divisive Politics of Slavery**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

**Secession** Popular Sovereignty **Harriet Tubman**  Dred Scott **Underground Railroad** Abraham Lincoln

**Harriet Beecher Stowe** Confederacy

**Concepts to Understand**

1. What were two features of the Compromise of 1850?

2. What were two ways in which people took actions against slavery?

3. What major political party was born out of the slavery issue?

4. What major event led to the secession of Southern states from the Union?

**Chapter 4 Section 2: The Civil War Begins**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

**Emancipation Proclamation**

**Concepts to Understand**

1. What four advantages did the North have over the South?

2. What were two effects of the Emancipation Proclamation?

3. How did the war affect the economies of both North and South?

**Chapter 4 Section 3: The North Takes Charge**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

Gettysburg **Thirteenth Amendment** Gettysburg Address

**Concepts to Understand**

1. How did Gettysburg change the war?

2. Why did Lincoln fear he might not be re-elected?

3. What were two ways in which the Civil War changed the nation?

4. How was slavery finally abolished in the United States?

**Chapter 4 Section 4: Reconstruction and Its Effects**

**Know the Significance of each Term and Name**

**Freedmen’s Bureau** Reconstruction  **Radical Republicans** Fourteenth Amendment **Sharecropping**

KKK  **Carpetbagger** Scalawag **Fifteenth Amendment**

**Concepts to Understand**

1. How did the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments improve the lives of African Americans?

2. Who had control of land and labor in the South?

3. How was Reconstruction undone?

4. Why did carpetbaggers, scalawags, A.A. support the Radical Republicans?

5. What was the Reconstruction Act of 1867?