

Curriculum Mapping History Department

Year 10 – USA 1945-75 [GCSE course – OCR History A, Explaining the Modern World]

NB – Civil Rights begun in Year 9

Big Question	Small Questions	Homework	Teacher Feedback Points	Assessment
<p>Civil Rights in the USA 1955-65:</p> <p>How were African Americans discriminated against in post war America?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What were the “Jim Crow” laws? • What was “segregation”? • How did segregation affect African-Americans in the south in areas like education, law enforcement and employment? • Why was the case of Emmott Till significant? 	<p>Definitions of key words eg Jim Crow , segregation</p>	<p>Significance of key events / turning points like Emmett Till</p> <p>Summary of impacts of segregation</p>	
<p>CR – What challenges were made to segregation in education?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why was segregated education permitted in the USA? 	<p>Source based questions eg on photographs</p>	<p>What was the significance of the Linda Brown / Little Rock cases?</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who was Linda Brown? • What was the significance of the Brown case and the Warren judgement? • What happened in Little Rock? • Why was the involvement of President Eisenhower significant? 	<p>“Mastery” style questions on civil rights and education</p>		
<p>CR – What was the significance of the Montgomery Bus Boycott?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What did Rosa Parks do? • Why was the Montgomery bus boycott successful? • What was the significance of the events in Montgomery? • Why was Martin Luther King a key figure in the civil rights movement? 	<p>Summary of events of Montgomery bus boycott</p> <p>Explain significance of</p> <p>Source based questions</p> <p>Assessment essay</p>	<p>Source based exercises eg message questions on MBB</p>	<p>18 mark essay question on role of MLK from practice paper</p>

<p>How else did the Civil Rights movement challenge segregation?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What were “sit-ins”? • What were “Freedom Rides”? • What was the significance of the “March on Washington”? • What was the role of the following organisations – the SCLC, the SNCC, CORE? • How has the situation in the USA changed by 1961? 	<p>Source questions as assessment</p> <p>Summary task – how different was USA by 1961?</p>	<p>Summary of key features of Civil Rights campaign</p> <p>Tasks on role of MLK / significance of March on Washington</p>	<p>Source qs on Birmingham from 2018 paper [10 marks]</p>
<p>What opposition was there to the Civil Rights movement?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did elected authorities in the South oppose civil rights eg Governor Fabius? • What happened in the civil rights marches in Birmingham (1963) and Selma (1965) in Alabama? 	<p>As tfp / assessment</p>	<p>Source based tasks on events in Birmingham or Selma</p>	<p>Source qs on Birmingham from 2018 paper [10 marks]</p>

<p>How significant were Presidents from Eisenhower to Nixon in helping establish civil rights?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What role did Eisenhower play in developing civil rights? • What role did Kennedy play in developing civil rights? • What role did Johnson play in developing civil rights? • What role did Nixon play in developing civil rights? 	<p>Task from textbook – gold / silver / bronze</p>	<p>Notes on roles of different Presidents</p>	<p>18 mark essay question on role of Presidents [practice paper]</p>
<p>Why was the 1964 Civil Rights Act passed, and what impact did it have?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the main reason for the passage of the 1964 CR Act? • What impact did it have, especially on voting rights? 	<p>Source question – chains and vote cartoon</p>	<p>Significance of 1964 Act</p>	
<p>Post-war challenges in the USA 1945-54</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is Capitalism / Communism? • How are they different, and why did this matter? 	<p>Comparison of capitalism and communism</p> <p>Explain why most Americans</p>	<p>Chart to compare Communism / capitalism</p> <p>Statements about communism /</p>	<p>Explain why qs on Red Scare from practice paper [10 marks]</p>

<p>Why was the US government worried about Communism?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why did most Americans fear Communism and value the “American way of life”? • How did international events reinforce the “Red Scare”? • How did the media / Hollywood reinforce this? 	<p>felt the “American way of life” was superior to Communism</p>	<p>capitalism to correctly identify</p>	
<p>What was the “Red Scare” of the late 1940s?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the role of Herbert Hoover and the FBI? • Why were HUAC and the Hiss Case significant? • Were the Rosenbergs guilty? 	<p>Notes on individual incidents / cases</p> <p>Tasks on Rosenberg case</p>	<p>Notes on individual incidents / cases</p> <p>Testing on events</p>	<p>18 mark essay question on Red Scare from 2018 paper</p> <p>Source qs from practice paper on red Scare</p>
<p>What was the significance of McCarthyism?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who was Joseph McCarthy? • What does “witch-hunt” mean? • Who did McCarthy accuse of Communism? 	<p>“Stool” exercise from textbook on rise of McCarthyism</p>	<p>Reasons for rise / fall of McCarthyism</p>	<p>Source questions on McCarthyism from 2109 paper [10 marks]</p> <p>Explain why qs on McCarthyism’s</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why were McCarthy's accusations damaging? • What does "blacklisting" mean? 			importance in the 50s [practice paper]
Why did McCarthyism decline?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did Ed Morrow, Arthur Miller and Owen Lattimore all help oppose McCarthyism? • Why did support for McCarthy decline? 	<p>"Stool" exercise on decline of McCarthyism</p> <p>Chart on role of individuals in opposing / challenging McCarthyism</p>	What was main factor in decline of McCarthyism?	
<p>Government and dissent 1965-75</p> <p>Why did some African Americans disagree with Martin Luther King?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why did some African-Americans disagree with non violence? • What criticisms could be made of MLK as a leader? 		What were weaknesses of MLK as a leader?	

<p>Who was Malcolm X and what was the Black Power movement?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why was Malcolm X called “X”? • How was he similar / different to MLK? • How did he influence the “Black power” movement? • What was significant about the Olympics in 1968? • Who was Stokely Carmichael and why was he significant? 	<p>Comparison exercise between MLK & MX</p> <p>Tasks on 1968 Olympics / Black Power salute</p>	<p>Chart of similarities / differences between Malcolm X / MLK</p> <p>Why was 1968 Olympics significant?</p>	<p>18 mark essay on MLK / Malcolm X from 2019 paper</p> <p>2 marker on Black Power from 2019 paper</p>
<p>Were the Black Panthers a serious threat?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who were the Black Panthers? • What action did they take – positive and negative? • How did the American authorities oppose the Black Panther movement? 	<p>Source qs as assessment</p>	<p>Notes / test on actions of Black Panthers</p>	<p>Source question [5 marks] on Black Panthers</p>

<p>How and why did Hispanic Americans protest?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did Hispanic Americans face discrimination? • Who was Cesar Chavez? • How did Hispanics protest? • What impact did Hispanic protests have? 	<p>Chart of key individuals / issues / protests</p>	<p>Notes / quizzing on key names / events in protest</p> <p>Chart of key names / events in areas of protest</p>	<p>18 mark practice question on protest from practice paper</p>
<p>How and why did Native Americans protest?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did Native Americans face discrimination? • What happened at Wounded Knee? • What gains did Native Americans make? 	<p>Chart of key individuals / issues / protests</p>	<p>Notes / quizzing on key names / events in protest</p> <p>Chart of key names / events in areas of protest</p>	<p>18 mark practice question on protest from practice paper</p>
<p>How and why did women protest?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the role / expectations of women in post war America? • Why did feminism emerge in the 1950s? • What was NOW? • How did feminists protest? 	<p>Explain reasons why feminism emerged</p> <p>What was significance of key court cases such as Roe vs Wade?</p>	<p>Why did feminism emerge in the 1950s?</p> <p>What was significance of key court cases such as Roe vs Wade?</p>	<p>Explain why qs on feminism from 2018 paper [10 marks]</p> <p>2 marker on feminist actions practice paper</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the significance of the Roe vs Wade case? 			
<p>How and why did the Gay Rights movement become more significant?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the significance of the Stonewall Rights? • How did the position of gay people in the USA change as a result? 	<p>Overall summary – key names / events / protests in history of protest covering Hispanics, Native Americans, feminism, gay rights</p> <p>Which protests were most successful?</p> <p>Similarities / differences</p>	<p>Why were events at Stonewall significant?</p> <p>Notes / quizzing on key names / events in protest</p> <p>Chart of key names / events in areas of protest</p>	<p>Explain why qs on Stonewall from practice paper [10 marks]</p> <p>18 mark practice question on protest from practice paper</p>
<p>How did Vietnam cause social and political unrest?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the “hippy” movement? • Why did anti-Vietnam protests 	<p>Significance of popular culture</p> <p>Examples of anti-Vietnam protest songs</p>	<p>Notes / quizzing on key names / events in protest</p>	<p>18 mark practice question on protest from practice paper</p>

	spill over into other protests?		Chart of key names / events in areas of protest	
Which President did most to tackle poverty from Kennedy to Nixon?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What did Kennedy do to tackle poverty? • What did LBJ do to tackle poverty? • What did Nixon do to tackle poverty? • Which was most effective? 	Gold/silver / bronze exercise from textbook	Comparison exercise on different Presidents	