Form 1a-2b | BLACK HISTORY IS AMERICAN HISTORY

The history block is 20 minutes long.

Picture Books, Biographies, Historical Fiction are either additional blocks or free reads.

Please refer to the blog post for full descriptions and names of authors.

This course is appropriate for approximately grades 3-6. Use discretion when assigning books.

TERM 1							
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	
All Times, All Peoples: A World History of Slavery	Chapter 1: Masters and Slaves Pg. 1-3	Chapter 2: How Slavery Happened Pg. 4-8 (to "could not buy them.")	Chapter 2: How Slavery Happened Pg.8-13 ("When the Egyptian" to end)	Chapter 3: From Africa to America Pg. 14-19	Chapter 4: To Be a Slave Pg. 20-25 (to "hammers and sword canes.")	Chapter 4: To Be a Slave Pg. 25-31 ("As a boy" to end)	
This book is somewhat short. Suggest filling any extra time with biography or historical fiction.							
	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	
All Times, All Peoples: A World History of Slavery	Chapter 5: "Troublemakers" Pg. 32-37	Chapter 6: Spartacus to Nat Turner Pg. 38-42 (to "enjoying the spectacle.")	Chapter 6: Spartacus to Nat Turner Pg. 43-47 ("But Spartacus knew" to end)	Chapter 7: The Evil Must Go Pg. 48-57	Chapter 8: Slavery Today & Chapter 9: And Tomorrow? Pg. 52-60	EXAM WEEK	

Biography

Sojourner Truth by Patricia & Frederick McKissack

TERM 2							
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	
Worth Fighting For	Ch 1 (all) & Ch 2 Pg. 3-11 (to "who was "boss."")	Ch 2 & Ch 3 Pg. 11-20 ("As for the masters" to "state was reached.")	Ch 3 & Ch 4 Pg. 20-31 ("Travel had to be" to end)	Ch 5 & Ch 6 Pg. 35-44 (to "tested, and proved.")	Ch 6 & Ch 7 Pg. 44-56 ("Wagner was a" to "join the army."	Ch 7 & Ch 8 (all) Pg. 56-66 ("The first meeting" to end of ch 8)	
	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	
Worth Fighting For	Ch 9 & Ch 10 (all) Pg. 67-76	Ch 11 (all) & Ch 12 pg. 79-86 (to "Negro a citizen.")	Ch 12 & Ch 13 Pg. 86-93 ("The new President" to "men can't vote!")	Ch 13 & 14 Pg. 94-102 ("But soon the" to "of city property.")	Ch 14 & 15 (all) Pg. 102-111 ("Negroes also became" to end of 15)	EXAM WEEK	

Biography

Frederick Douglass by Arna Bontemps

			TERM 3			
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Dark Sky Rising: Reonstruction and the Dawn of Jim Crow	Ch 1	Ch 2	Ch 3	Ch 4	Ch 5	Ch 6
	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Dark Sky Rising: Reonstruction and the Dawn of Jim Crow	Ch 7	Ch 8	Ch 9	Ch 10	Catch Up	EXAM WEEK

Biography George Washington Carver by Arna Bontemps

FREE READS

1. Diary of Charlotte Forten: A Free Black Girl Before the Civil War

2. Journey to the Bottomless Pit: The Story of Stephen Bishop and Mammoth Cave

3. Nat Turner by Judith Berry Griffin

4. Four Took Freedom by Philip Sterling & Rayford Logan

PICTURE BOOKS

1. Beautiful Shades of Brown: The Art of Laura Wheeler Waring

- 2. Dave the Potter: Artist, Poet, Slave
- 3. Ellen's Broom
- 4. Lift Your Light a Little Higher
- 5. Now Let Me Fly: The Story of a Slave Family

6. Opal Lee and What It Means to Be Free: The True Story of the Grandmother of Juneteenth

7. Poet: The Remarkable Story of George Moses Horton

8. Seeking Freedom: The Untold Story of Fortress Monroe and the Ending of Slavery in America

9. Seven Miles to Freedom: The Robert Smalls Story

10. Show Way

11. Sky Sash So Blue

12. The 1619 Project: Born on the Water

13. The Buffalo Soldier

14. The Journey of York: the Unsung Hero of the Lewis and Clark Expedition

16. The Old African

17. The People Remember

18. The Secret Garden of George Washington Carver

19. The Women Who Caught the Babies: A Story of African American Midwives

20. Your Legacy: A Bold Reclaiming of Our Enslaved History