

## **AP UNITED STATES HISTORY**

*Requirement area:* **Social Studies or Elective**

*Course code:* WUS350 (CHS HIST&146-148)

*Grade Level:* 11

*Prerequisite:* Completed previous history/social studies course

*Length:* Year long (1.0 credit)

*Homework:* 4-6 hours per week

*Designator:* NCAA, CHS

*Description:* AP U.S. History is a chronological survey course covering the period from 1491 to the present. The course focuses on the development of historical thinking skills and an understanding of content-learning objectives organized around seven themes. AP US History is designed to be the equivalent of a two-semester introductory college or university course. Furthermore, students will be prepared to take the AP US History exam offered by the College Board and earn college credit. Students also have the option to gain up to 15 credits through the EvCC College in the High School program.