

## **UNITED STATES HISTORY**

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

*Course code:* WUS312

*Grade Level:* 11

*Prerequisite:* None

*Length:* Year long (1.0 credit)

*Homework:* 1 hour per week

*Designator:* NCAA

*Description:* This survey course explores United States history from Imperialism to the present. Course study emphasizes the emergence of the United States as an economic, political, military and cultural influence. Students examine how this impacts public policy, perceptions and attitudes, both inside and outside our borders. The following themes organize each unit: government, politics, economics, culture, diversity and foreign relations. Students will apply critical thinking and inquiry skills to read and write effectively while forming reasoned conclusions through historical discovery.