HISTORY YEAR 1

Scope & Sequence

UNIT 1:

This unit covers early biblical history from the Creation through Moses, interweaving with the history of ancient Mesopotamia and Egypt from ancient to modern times.

- Course Introduction & Creation
- Adam Through Enoch
- Noah Through the Tower of Babel
- Mesopotamia & Abraham
- Ancient Trade Routes
- Introduction to Ancient Egypt
- Ancient Egypt: Advancements & Writing
- Ancient Egypt: Government & Social Structure
- Joseph in Egypt
- Ancient Egypt: Religion, Afterlife & Pyramids
- The Israelites & Moses
- The Passover
- Famous Landmarks of Ancient Egypt
- Famous Buildings of Ancient Egypt
- Egypt from 600 BC to Modern Day

UNIT 2:

This unit covers the early history of Europe, beginning in ancient Britain and running through several key English kings, the spread of Christianity in the British Isles, Joan of Arc, and the Black Plague, before ending with the Renaissance and Scientific Revolution.

- Ancient Britain
- The Spread of Christianity in Ireland & Saint Patrick
- The Spread of Christianity in England
- King Alfred the Great
- William the Conqueror
- Life in the Middle Ages
- The Magna Carta
- The Age of Chivalry
- Joan of Arc: Part 1
- Joan of Arc: Part 2
- The Black Death
- The Renaissance: Artists
- The Renaissance: Musicians
- The Scientific Revolution

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UNIT 3:

This unit covers the exploration of New France, including the French and Indian War, and the key events and documents of the Revolutionary War that resulted in the founding of the United States of America, highlighting key and diverse individuals who contributed to that period.

- New France
- Young George Washington
- The French & Indian War
- Reasons for a Revolution
- The Sons of Liberty & the Boston Tea Party
- The First Continental Congress & the Start of the Revolutionary War
- The Second Continental Congress: Part 1
- The Second Continental Congress: Part 2
- The Character of Thomas Jefferson
- The Coming Forth of the Declaration of Independence
- The Sacrifices of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence
- Principles of the Declaration of Independence
- General George Washington
- Phillis Wheatley & Mercy Otis Warren
- The Battle of Trenton
- Valley Forge & the Alliance with France
- The Articles of Confederation
- Deborah Sampson & James Armistead Lafayette
- The End of the Revolutionary War
- The Blessings of a Constitutional Democratic Republic

UNIT 4:

This unit covers certain key events from the Victorian Era to modern times, including the global missionary movement, the Irish Potato Famine, the Crimean War, the Cold War, and certain scientific advancements such as the history of flight and the space race.

- Queen Victoria & the British Empire
- The Victorian Era
- The Global Missionary Movement
- George Liele
- The Irish Potato Famine
- Nursing During the Crimean War
- The History of Flight
- The Cold War, Part 1: The Berlin Blockade
- The Cold War, Part 2: Rebellion & Resistance
- The Space Race
- The Fall of Communism

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UNIT 1:

This unit covers early civilizations, such as ancient Greek and ancient China, diving into their art, culture, and significant historical events before rounding off with a brief exploration of ancient India.

- Ancient Greece: Minoans & Mycenaeans
- Greek City-States
- Daily Life in Ancient Greece
- The Olympics & the Persian Wars
- Ancient Greek Philosophy, Science, Math, Astronomy & History
- Alexander the Great
- Introduction to Ancient China
- Ancient China: Dynasties & Art
- Daily Life in Ancient China
- Ancient China: Religion & Philosophy
- Genghis & Kublai Khan
- Ancient India

UNIT 2:

This unit covers the rise of the European Age of Exploration, from nomadic Vikings to navigators like Christopher Columbus, as well as the existing civilizations in South and Central America that were impacted by the arrival of English explorers and Spanish conquistadors.

- The Vikings: Part 1
- The Vikings: Part 2
- Marco Polo
- Motivations for Exploration
- Christopher Columbus: Part 1
- Christopher Columbus: Part 2
- John and Sebastian Cabot & Vasco Núñez de Balboa
- Other Explorers
- Pre-Columbian America
- The Mayan Civilization
- The Aztec Empire
- The Incan Empire
- Conquistadors

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UNIT 3:

This unit covers colonial America's journey to becoming an independent nation, interwoven with lessons on daily life and culture, the development of a constitution, and significant figures, such as Benjamin Franklin.

- Jamestown, John Smith & Pocahontas
- The Pilgrims: Part 1
- The Pilgrims: Part 2
- Henry Hudson & the Dutch Colonies
- The Puritans
- Roger Williams & Thomas Hooker
- William Penn & James Oglethorpe
- Daily Life in Colonial Times: Part 1
- Daily Life in Colonial Times: Part 2
- The 13 Colonies
- Benjamin Franklin: Part 1
- Benjamin Franklin: Part 2
- The Coming Forth of the Constitution
- Basics of the Constitution
- The Blessings of a Constitutional Democratic Republic
- The Global Impact of the American Revolution
- President George Washington

UNIT 4:

This unit covers the development of education in America and its many contributors, diving next into the circumstances and global impact of World War I before finally ending with the aftermath the United States faced in the war's wake, from the Roaring '20s to the Great Depression.

- Education in Early America: A Foundation on Christ
- Noah Webster
- William McGuffey
- Henry Ford
- World War I: The Causes
- World War I: Weapons & Technology
- World War I: Life on the Home Front
- World War I: Stories of Heroism
- World War I: The United States Enters the War
- The End of World War I
- The Roaring '20s
- Causes of the Great Depression
- The Great Depression
- The Dust Bowl

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UNIT 1:

This unit covers the rise of civilizations and empires in Mesopotamia and Israel, incorporating events from biblical to modern times and highlighting the importance of both Christianity and Judaism in the region.

- Mesopotamia
- The Babylonians & the Assyrians
- The Exodus & 40 Years in the Desert
- David & the Kingdom of Israel
- Solomon & the Phoenicians
- Jonah Through the Assyrian Exile
- The Neo-Babylonian Empire & Nebuchadnezzar II
- Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach & Abednego
- Cyrus the Great
- The Persian Empire
- The History of the Calendar & the Hebrews
- Esther
- Israel: The Return to the Alexandrine Occupation
- Israel: The Roman Conquest to the Birth of Jesus Christ
- Israel: Jesus Christ's Life & the Siege of Masada
- Israel: The Destruction of Jerusalem to Modern Times
- Judaism

UNIT 2:

This unit covers some of the diverse empires of ancient Africa before exploring culture areas of native North Americans and how the arrival of European settlers impacted them.

- Ancient Africa: Geography & Climate
- Ancient Africa: Daily Life
- Ancient Africa: Trade, Skills & Education
- Ancient Africa: The Ghana Empire
- Ancient Africa: The Mali & Songhai Empires
- Religion in Ancient Africa
- Native North Americans: Overview & Geography
- Arctic & Subarctic Culture Areas
- Northwest Coast & California Culture Areas
- Southwest Culture Area
- Plateau & Great Basin Culture Areas
- Great Plains Culture Area
- Northeastern Woodlands Culture Area
- Southeast Culture Area
- The Trail of Tears
- Chief Joseph & Susan La Flesche Picotte

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UNIT 3:

This unit covers key events in the exploration and movement of people across North America, examines the causes and effects of industrialization, and highlights inventors and leaders of the time.

- The Louisiana Purchase
- The Lewis & Clark Expedition
- The Fur Trade
- Robert Fulton & the Invention of the Steamboat
- Westward Trails
- The California Gold Rush
- Daily Life on the Frontier
- The Battle of the Alamo
- Stagecoaches & the Pony Express
- The First Transcontinental Railroad
- The Homestead Act & Land Rush
- The First & Second Industrial Revolutions
- George Washington Carver
- Samuel Morse & the Telegraph
- Thomas Edison

UNIT 4:

This unit covers the events that led to World War II, the spread of the global conflict, and some of the heroes of the time period, incorporating a focus on the realities of the Holocaust.

- The Rise of Nazism
- Communism in Russia
- World War II Begins
- The Western Campaign
- Pearl Harbor
- War in the Pacific
- The US Home Front
- The Holocaust
- The Eastern Front
- Winston Churchill
- D-Day: The Invasion of Normandy
- World War II Ends

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