9th-12th Grade U.S. Government

Hope, Endurance, and Justice

Students will consider The Anne Frank Tree installation and examine four historical episodes – the Holocaust, the Indian Removal Act of 1830, the internment of Japanese Americans during World War II, and the Little Rock Central High School desegregation crisis of 1957 – which serve as poignant and painful reminders of the complicated journey toward social justice in Arkansas and around the world. Following the guided tour, students will participate in a moderated discussion of topical issues of the day, reflecting on the themes of hope, endurance, and justice.

**The items in bold within each framework standard are areas that will be emphasized during the presentation, other areas listed may possibly be addressed.**

World History Since 1450 Frameworks

Era 7: Age of Revolutions 1750-1900

2. Students will analyze the global revolutionary changes that shaped the emerging modern world.
   - Era7.2.WH.8 Analyze ways in which the perspectives of people in the present shape the interpretations of the past, using available technology
   - Era7.2.WH.9 Evaluate the credibility and the limitations of primary and secondary sources representing multiple perspectives
   - Era7.2.WH.10 Construct historical arguments or explanations about global changes caused directly or indirectly by economic and political revolutions, using primary and secondary sources

Era 8: Crisis and Achievement 1900-1945

3. Students will analyze the reasons for and consequences of early 20th century crises and achievements.
   - Era8.3.WH.4 Analyze short- and long-term outcomes of World War I and World War II from multiple perspectives

Era 9: Contemporary World Since 1945 Content

4. Students will analyze the challenges and accomplishments of the contemporary world.
   - Era9.4.WH.1 Analyze the change and continuity in global power shifts after World War II
   - Era9.4.WH.3 Analyze short- and long-term causes and effects of the following on humanity
     - Genocide
   - Era9.4.WH.4 Assess geographic, human, and economic costs of war using evidence from multiple sources and perspectives
● Era9.4.WH.5 Assess the social, economic, political, and technological efforts to address economic imbalances and social inequalities among the world’s peoples
● Era9.4.WH.6 Construct explanations about the consequences of human-made and natural disasters as they affect global trade, politics, and human migration
● Era9.4.WH.8 Analyze ways historical contexts continue to shape people’s perspectives

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