

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade US History Key Standard Learning Targets 2010-2011

<b>Standard</b>	<b>Learning targets</b>
7.6	Students will understand the feudal system, why the Magna Carta was created, why the Crusades were fought, and the cause of the bubonic plague, and how each of these impacted Medieval Europe.
7.9	Students will know why people were angry at the Catholic Church, will understand why the Protestant Reformation occurred, and will understand the impact of the Spanish Inquisition.
7.11	<p>Student will know what good/people were traded or sold in the Americas and Europe.</p> <p>Student will know how the Renaissance/Reformation jumped started the Enlightenment.</p> <p>Students will know the philosophies of John Locke, Montesquieu, and the Founding Fathers, and who they were.</p> <p>Students will know what the Magna Carta was and its influence on the US government.</p>
8.1	Student can explain the events and the philosophy behind the events and how they are connected to our Constitutional Democracy.
8.3	Student will understand the ideas that lead to the American Political system and the ways citizen can get involved it its process.
8.6	Student will explain how America became industrialized and how industrialization impacted America.
8.8	Students will be able to explain how the different events that impacted America's expansion West between 1800 to Mid-1800.
8.9	Students will explain the ways people tried to end slavery and understand the challenges we faced in meeting the Ideals of the Declaration of Independence.
8.10	Students will explain the causes and important events leading to the Civil War and explain the consequences of the Civil War