Week:	April 26-30
Essential Question:	What caused the Civil War?
Lesson Objectives/Goals:	Describe the military sides of both the North and South Explain why the Union failed to win major battles in the East Explain why Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation Identify the effects of the Proclamation Describe the contributions of African Americans to the Union war effort
Assessments:	 Daily Bell Ringers Vocab Section Reviews Group Work Class Discussions Map Skills Writing Skills

Week:	April 26-30
Essential Question:	What is the geography of East Africa?
Lesson Objectives/Goals:	Practice finding the countries of East Africa on a map Discover the landforms, climates, resources, cultures, and fun facts about East Africa
Assessments:	 Daily Bell Ringers Map studies Discussions East African countries Practice East African countries Test East African Project

Week:	April 26-30
Essential Question:	What is there difference between civil and criminal cases?
Lesson Objectives/Goals:	Students will Explain what happens within a criminal trial Construct a mock trial on a given case
Assessments:	 Daily Bell Ringers Writing Skills Map/Graph/Chart Skills Discussions Group Work Mock Trial

Week:	April 26-30
Essential Question:	What is the culture like in Australia, Oceania, Antarctica.
Lesson Objectives/Goals:	 Describe the physical characteristics of Australia, Oceania, Antarctica. Identify the human characteristics of Australia, Oceania, Antarctica. Explain the five geography themes of Australia, Oceania, Antarctica. Explain the economy of Australia, Oceania, Antarctica.
Assessments:	 Daily Bell Ringers Class discussions Section reviews Vocabulary Research Australia, Oceania, Antarctica. Countries Test Australia, Oceania, Antarctica. Physical Landforms Test Australia, Oceania, Antarctica. Unit Quiz Australia, Oceania, Antarctica. Current Events

Week:	April 26-30
Essential Question:	What was the New Deal?
Lesson Objectives/Goals:	Discuss Franklin Roosevelt's early political career List the three programs of the First New Deal that provided jobs for the unemployed Describe the political changes Roosevelt faced in the mid-1930s Analyze how the New Deal affected Americans' sense of security and their attitude toward the role of government
Assessments:	 Bell Ringers Map and Graph Skills Class Discussions Group Work Section Reviews Writing skills

Week:	April 26-30
Essential Question:	How did both WWI and WWII affect and change the nations within the world?
Lesson Objectives/Goals:	 Students will Summarize the causes of WWI Explain innovations in warfare List the major provisions of the Treaty of Versailles Discuss the response to economic hardships by Great Britain, France, Germany, and the U.S. Identify the events that led to WWII Explain the causes and results of the Holocaust
Assessments:	 Daily Bell Ringers Class Discussions Enrichment Activities Writing Skills