**Court Cases**

**Plessy *v. Ferguson (1896****)*

 SUPREME COURT upheld “separate but equal” (racial segregation)

**Schenck v. US (1919)**

Schenck encouraged men to avoid WWI Draft. *SUPREME COURT rules Freedom of Speech can be limited in cases of ‘****Clear and Present Danger****.’* (Individual Liberties)

**Korematsu v. US (1942)**

SUPREME COURT rules in times of war, Constitutional liberties may be limited. (Upheld EO9066 – Congress later apologized) (Individual Liberties)

**Mendez c. Westminster (1947) – (California**)

Mexican-American parents sued a district for segregating their children based on Mexican blood. District Court ruled this practice violated 14th Amendment right to “Equal Protection.” US Court of Appeals ruled that the case was not a Constitutional issue. State law identified segregation based on Chinese or Japanese blood, but not Mexican – so this practice violated state law. Court of Appeals said segregation was legal if identified by a state law. (racial segregation)

**Delgado v. Bastrop ISD (1948) – (Texas)**

Based on **Mendez** rulings, Texas Attorney General decided segregation of Mexican-American students was Unconstitutional and sued Bastrop ISD. US District Court agreed and forced Bastrop to desegregate. (racial segregation)

**Sweatt v. Painter (1950)**

Forced integration at UT Law School because separate facilities were not equal. Allowed Herman Sweatt, an African American student into UT Law. *SUPREME COURT ruled separate UT Law Schools were not equal, therefore violated ‘separate but equal’* (racial segregation)

**Brown v. Board of Education of Kansas (1953)**

 SUPREME COURT ruled segregation is inherently unequal – ended segregation in schools. (racial segregation).

**Hernandez v. Texas (1954)**

 Hernandez tried and convicted by a jury of whites (no Hispanics on jury.) Hernandez argues his 14th Amendment right to “equal protection” and “jury of peers” had been violated. Texas argued Hispanics are white, so no need for Hispanic juror. *SUPREME COURT declares Hispanics “Separate Class” entitled to equal representation on jury.* (racial segregation)

**Tinker v. Des Moines (1969)**

Students suspended from school for black armbands. *SUPREME COURT rules symbolic speech (armbands) is protected by 1st Amendment.* (Free Speech)

**Wisconsin v. Yoder (1972)**

State law required Amish students to attend school after 8th grade, despite the fact the curriculum violated their beliefs. *SUPREME COURT ruled freedom of religion allows parents to pull children out of school.* (Freedom of Religion)

**White v. Regester (1973)**

Texas redistricting created districts that lumped Hispanics and African American neighborhoods together in such a way that they could not elect representation. *SUPREME COURT ruled Texas cannot discriminate through intentional districting to limit minority representation*.

**Roe v. Wade (1973)**

SUPREME COURT rules a woman has a Constitutional right to privacy – hence the right to end a pregnancy within the first 3 months if she chooses. (Individual Rights)

**United States v. Nixon (1974)**

Nixon argues turning over tapes from White House violates checks and balances*. SUPREME COURT rules he must turn over the tapes – no one is above the law, not even the President*.

**Regents of University of California v. Bakke (1978) –** SUPREME COURT upheld affirmative action but not the use of racial quotas (efforts at desegregation)

**Edgewood ISD v. Kirby (1984) –** Lawsuit brought by Mexican-American against Texas Education Commissioner (Kirby) arguing that Texas school funding left schools in poor districts without the necessary funding to stay equal to districts in wealthier areas. Texas STATE Supreme Court agreed and ordered the state to create a new school finance system.

**The Declaration of Independence** written by Thomas Jefferson July 4, 1776

Stated the colonists’ decision to separate from Britain.

The Declaration listed colonial grievances against Britain and provided a theory of government.

* unalienable rights – to “life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.”

**Signers of the Declaration** included:

* John Trumbull, Sr. Only colonial governor to side with the colonists.
* John Peter Muhlenberg Protestant minister who recruited soldiers and rose to the rank of general

 In charge of the Black Regiment (ministers who wore black clerical robes while preaching and recruiting volunteers for the revolution.

* John Hancock President of the Continental Congress. His symbolize signature would symbolize freedom.
* Benjamin Rush Signer of the Declaration and sometimes known as the “father of American Medicine
* Charles Carroll Helped finance the Revolution.
* John Witherspoon Signer of the Declaration and President of the College of New Jersey later known as Princeton.

**U.S. Constitution** written by James Madison

The first national government (Articles of Confederation) was a weak association. Americans created a stronger federal government when they ratified the U.S. Constitution.

The Constitution created:

* national executive
* two-house legislature known as Congress
* national judiciary known as the Supreme Court (John Jay – first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court)

**Principles of the Constitution**

* Republicanism
* limited government
* separation of power
* federalism
* checks and balances
* popular sovereignty

**Bill of Rights (to protect individual rights)**

* First Amendment – protects freedom of religion, speech, press, assembly and the right of citizens to petition their government
* Second Amendment – protects the right of citizens to bear arms.
* Third Amendment – says government cannot “quarter” soldiers in private homes without consent.
* Fourth Amendment – protects people from “unreasonable searches.”
* Fifth Amendment- protects individuals from double jeopardy, and from being forced to incriminate themselves and “just compensation” for property taken by government’s right of eminent domain.
* Sixth Amendment – guarantees those accused of a crime a fair and public trial by a jury and the assistance of a lawyer
* Seventh Amendment- guarantees jury trial in some civil cases.
* Eighth Amendment – prevents judges from setting bail that is too high, or from inflicting “cruel and unusual” punishments
* Ninth Amendment – lists certain rights and does not deny other rights.
* Tenth Amendment – reserves powers not granted to the federal government to the state governments and the people.

**Alexis de Tocqueville** observed 5 American values:

* Liberty Egalitarianism Individualism Populism Laissez-faire

 “E Pluribus Unum” – the U.S. was formed as a single nation as the result of the 13 smaller colonies joining together

“In God We Trust” - adopted as official motto of the U.S. in 1956

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| **GILDED AGE** | **INDUSTRIALIZATION** | **EXPANSIONISM** | **PROGRESSIVISM** |
| Reconstruction Reconstruction Amendments* 13TH Amendment
* 14 Amendment
* 15 Amendment

Jim Crow lawsMarbury v MadisonGilded AgeMark TwainfrontierTrail of TearsManifest DestinyCivil War (dates)Cattle industryDawes ActIndian policy Indian ReservationsMassacre at Wounded KneeHomestead ActExodustersKlondike Gold RushWestern musicRanchersFarmersSod housesRailroadsThe Grange MovementPopulist Party*Munn v. Illinois 1877*Interstate Commerce Act 1877Interstate Populist partySherman Anti-Trust ActbimetallismBessemer ProcessHaymarket AffairNotes: | IndustrializationRobber baronsAndrew CarnegieJohn D. RockefellerLaissez-faireThomas EdisonFree enterprise systemEntrepreneurshipsphilanthropy monopolyRise of Labor unionsProblems faced by workersGovernment attitude toward unionsKnights of LaborAmerican Federation of LaborSamuel Gompers*Plessey v. Ferguson*urbanization tenementsimmigration“Push” factors“pull” factors“new immigrants”Ethnic ghettosAmericanizationHull HousesJane AdamsChinese Exclusion ActGentlemen’s AgreementNotes: | **Pres. William McKinley**U.S. expansionism* Guam
* Puerto Rico Hawaii
* Philippines

Alfred Thayer MahanSanford B. DoleHenry Cabot LodgeOpen Door Policy yellow journalismmissionaries *U.S.S. Maine* Spanish American WarPlatt Amendment***Art and Literature (realism)***Authors* Horatio Alger
* Mark Twain
* Kate Chopin

Artists * James McNeil Whistler
* Winslow Homer
* Thomas Eakins

**Pres. Teddy Roosevelt**“Square Deal”ConservationistJohn Muir -Preservationist Boxer RebellionPanama Canal Roosevelt CorollaryBull MooseNotes: | Political “bosses”Political machinesPendleton ActNativistKu Klux KlanBooker T WashingtonW.E.B. DuboisJim Crow LawsPlessy V FergusonProgressives* Initiative
* Referendum
* Recall

Progressive Amendments* 16th
* 17th
* 18th
* 19th

Social Gospel MovementSettlement Housesmuckrakers* Jane Addams
* Ida B. Wells
* Susan B Anthony
* Upton Sinclair

Pure Food and Drug ActNAACPProgressive partyThird PartyNotes: |

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| **WILSON -WWI** |  **1920s** | **1930s** | **WWII** |
| **Pres. Woodrow Wilson**“New Freedom”National Park ServiceIdealismPancho Villa “Watching Waiting”Federal Reserve SystemSelective Service ActWWI 1914-1918Reasons for U.S. entry 1917WWI technology* machine guns
* airplanes
* tanks poison gas
* trench warfare

Archduke Franz Ferdinand *Lusitania**Sussex* PledgeBattle of Argonne ForestJohn J. PershingAlvin YorkWilson’s 14 Points for PeaceTreaty of VersaillesHenry Cabot LodgeIsolationismFrances Willard18th Amendment19th Amendment  | **President Harding**“Return to Normalcy”FlappersTin Pan AlleyGreat Migration Red ScareImmigration RestrictionsSocial DarwinismEugenicsPalmer Raids Sacco and VanzettiTea Pot Dome ScandalWilliam Jennings BryanClarence DarrowScopes TrialGreat MigrationEugenicsGlenn Curtiss-AviationCharles LindbergHenry Fordassembly line **President Coolidge**American Indian Citizenship actJazz AgeHarlem Renaissance* Langston Hughes
* Alain Locke
* Countee Cullen
* Zora Neale Hurston

Marcus Garvey**President Hoover****“**Rugged Individualism”Bonus ArmyGreat Depression* Uneven distribution of wealth
* Speculation
* Buying on margin
* Buying on credit

Black TuesdayBanking CrisisHoovervilles National Recovery AdministrationReconstruction Finance Corporation | **Pres. Franklin Roosevelt**“New Deal”21st AmendmentFirst “Hundred Days”Bank HolidayRelief-Recovery-ReformAgriculture Adjustment Act* Civilian conservation Corp
* FDIC
* WPA
* Social Security
* Security Exchange Commission
* TVA
* National Labor Relations Act

“prime the pump”Fireside ChatsEleanor RooseveltFrances PerkinsCourt-packing PlanMexican Repatriation program22nd AmendmentDust BowlJohn Steinbeck*Schechter Poultry v. U.S.*Fiat moneyGold standardHuey LongFather ConklinFrancis TownsendAdolf HitlerMunich ConferenceAppeasementNeutrality ActsFlying TigersLend-Lease ActFDR’s Four Freedom’s Speech* Freedom of speech & religion
* Freedom from war
* Freedom from want
* Freedom from fear

Atlantic Charter (FDR/Churchill) | DictatorsFranco - SpainHitler – GermanyMussolini – ItalyTojo - JapanUS Office of War InformationPropagandaTechnology* Radar
* Sonar
* Cryptic code breaking
* Proximity fuze
* Antibiotics
* Jet & rocket engines

BlitzkriegTuskegee AirmenExecutive Order 9066Rationing WWIIVictory gardensWar bondsWACS“Rosie the Riveter”General George PattonGeneral Dwight EisenhowerGeneral Omar BradleyD-Day Invasion of NormandyVernon BakerRoy Benavidez. Liberation of concentration camps HolocaustPearl Harbor Dec. 7 1941Executive Order 9066Japanese Internment Camps*Korematsu v. U.S.*Admiral Chester Nimitz*Battle of Midway**Navajo Code Talkers*General Douglas MacArthurBataan Death MarchServiceman Readjustment Act GI BillAtomic Bomb |

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| **End of War****Post War/1950s** | **1960s/Vietnam** | **1970s** | **1980s/1990s** |
| ***President Harry Truman***“Fair Deal”Yalta ConferenceHiroshima/NagasakiTruman DoctrineNATO/SEATOMarshall PlanContainment policybrinkmanshipBerlin Airlift*Mao Zedong*Korean WarSupreme Court Cases:* *Mendez* v. *Westminster 1947*
* *Delgado* v. *Bastrop I.S.D. 1948*
* *Sweatt* v. *Painter1950*

**Pres. Dwight Eisenhower**“New Republicanismbaby boom*“In God We Trust”**“E Pluribus Unum”*House UnAmerican Activities Committee (HUAC)Joseph McCarthyMcCarthyismVenona PapersJulius and Ethel RosenbergBeat GenerationHH BombSputnikU-2 Spy Plane Supreme Court Cases:* Brown v. Board of Educ. Topeka 1954
* *Hernandez* v. *Texas 1954*

Civil Rights Act 1957Thurgood MarshallCongressional bloc of Southern Democrats Rosa ParksMontgomery Bus BoycottMartin Luther King, Jr.* Letter from a Birmingham Jail
* SCLC

SNCC* Sit-ins & Boycotts

Black PanthersBeat GenerationRock ‘n’ roll – Elvis PresleyBuddy Holly | **President J.F. Kennedy**“New Frontier”Bay of PigsCuban Missile CrisisPeace CorpsBarry GoldwaterBetty Friedan *Feminine Mystique*CORE* Freedom rides

Freedom Summer Freedom RidersMalcolm X Orval FaubusLester MaddoxGeorge WallaceBlack PowerCesar ChavezDolores HuertaHector GarciaChicano Mural MovementAmerican Indian Movement (AIM)**Pres. Lyndon B. Johnson**“Great Society”War on PovertyAffirmative ActionCivil Rights Act of 1964Voting Rights Act of 165VietnamHo Chi MinhNgo Dinh DiemGulf of TonkinTet OffensiveMy Lai MassacreCredibility GapAnti-war movementBarry Goldwater1968 Martin Luther King, Jr. assassinated1969 U.S. lands on the moon*1969* Tinker v. Des Moines Billy Graham | **President Richard Nixon**Silent majorityRealpolitikDétenteSALT IVietnamizationFall of SaigonWar Powers ActEPAKent StateRoe v. WadeHippiesEnvironmental Protection Agency (EPA) Endangered Species Act Pentagon PapersWatergateCREEPNOWGloria Steinem*Ms. Magazine*Phyllis Schlafly*1972 Wisconsin* v. *Yoder* 24th amendment26th amendment**President Gerald Ford**Pardoned NixonStagflationOPEC Oil Boycott 1973Helsinki accordsRust Belt vs. Sun Belt**President Jimmy Carter**StagflationCommunity Reinvestment Act 1973Camp David AccordsPanama Canal TreatyIran Hostage Crisis1973 *White v. Regester*  | **President Ronald Reagan**Rise of conservatismMoral MajorityReaganomicsPeace thru StrengthMarines in LebanonNational Rifle AssociationAIDSIran Contra ScandalSandra Day O’Connor*Edgewood I.S.D.* v. *Kirby 1984***President George H.W. Bush**Growing budget deficit**.**Americans with Disabilities Act 1990Civil Unrest (Rodney King)Invasion of PanamaBerlin Wall torn down 1989Persian Gulf WarSomaliaBalkans Crisis1991 (Cold War ends)**President Bill Clinton**General Agreement of Tariffs and Trade (GATT)World Trade OrganizationNorth American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA)Contract with AmericaNewt GingrichImpeachment processHillary ClintonBill GatesSam WaltonEstée LauderRobert Johnson Lionel SosaOprah Winfrey |

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| **2000-2008** | **2008-2016** | **Vocabulary words****you need to know.** | **Vocabulary words****you need to know.** |
| **President George W. Bush**ELECTION OF 20002001 (terrorist attacks on World Trade Center and the PentagonDepartment of Homeland SecurityUSA PATRIOT Act of 2001Levee failure in New Orleans Hurricane KatrinaLobbyinglitigationimmigrationillegal immigrationrepatriation  | **President Barack Obama**Election of 2008American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 Sonia SotomayorAffordable Health Care Actnational ethos patriotismcivic responsibility**Energy/Technology**Impact of energy on societySolar energyManaging the environment**Technological innovation** * cell phones
* inexpensive personal computers
* global positioning products.

**Management Innovations*** time-study analysis
* robotics
* computer management,
* just-in-time inventory management
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