

Year 11 America 1840-1890 Curriculum Summary

Topic	Interim assessment / marked work / homework	Formal Assessment
Who were the Plains Indians?	Whole class planning of buffalo v horse essay – messy mark Q4 on Manifest destiny – messy mark Q1,2,3 on Plains Indians – plan in lesson and do for HWK. Mark and feedback.	
Plains Indians mini assessment	Self-mark knowledge check on the Plains Indians	Knowledge check based on key takeaways
The Early settlers	Messy mark question on early settlers – describe two	
The Homesteaders	In what ways question – messy mark	
The Mormons	In what ways question – mark and feedback	
Early Settlers Mini Assessment	Self-mark knowledge check on early settlers	Knowledge check based on key takeaways
Civil War – causes, impact and reconstruction	Civil War causes Q1,2,3 – plan and do for HWK. Mark and give feedback. Describe two question on damage to the South – messy mark Reconstruction bullet point essay (political vs soc/ec) – plan and mark and give feedback	
Civil War	Knowledge check	Knowledge check based on key takeaways
Conflict on the Plains	Describe two causes of the Civil War – messy mark. Plan essay on Battle of Little Big Horn (PI or Custer). In what ways on PI way of life and white settlers – mark and give feedback.	
End of Native American way of life	Essay on end of PI way of life (buffalo vs reservations). Mark and give feedback.	
Conflict and end of PI way of life	Knowledge check	Knowledge check based on key takeaways