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History and Social Science

Course/Grade Level: U.S. History, Honors, L4

Topic/Unit	Standard	Skills/Strategies	Resources	Sample Activities	Assessment
Time Spent		(Objectives)		•	
Westward	USII.4 - Analyze the causes of the	Students will be able to:	Homestead Act	Create Poems relating to	Quiz
Expansion	continuing westward expansion of	Analyze the effect of the national market	Documents	Dawes Act and Indian removal	
(1 week)	the American people after the Civil	economy			
	War and the impact of this migration		Handout: A Century	Detail a map outlining westward	
	on the Indians.	Describe how the R.R.'s affected the	of Dishonor/Helen	expansion	
		West	Hunt		
		Identify changes in government policy	Film: The Iron Road		Analyze Homestead
		toward Native Americans			Act
		Describe what life was like on the frontier	Film: Dances with Wolves		Exam
		Use a map to identify demographic			Evaluate Turner's
		changes, cattle trails, mining sites and Indian battles			Frontier Thesis
		Understand the significance of Turner's Analyze the Reagan administration			
Industrialization	USII.1 - Explain the various causes of	Understand the impact of revolutions in	Film: A&E the	Create Advertisement for	
	the Industrial Revolution.	transportation and communications	Rockefellers	Sears Catalog	
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	USII.2 - Explain the important conse-	Explain the significance of inventions and	Excerpts from the Prize/	Chart: Horizontal and Vertical	Open Response
	quences of the Industrial Revolution.	mass production	Oil on the Brain	Integration	Questions
	USII.5 - Explain the formation and	Identify ways business leaders consolidated	Robber Barons article		M/C Quiz
	goals of unions as well as the rise	power into monopolies: Horizontal and			
	of radical political parties during the	Vertical integration	Sears Catalog/		
	Industrial era.		Primary Source		
		Describe how the rise of industry affected			Exam
		workers/labor unions	Field trip to Lowell		
			Mills		

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