*U.S. History (Gr. 11) New West Charter Instructor: Ms. Hynes*

**Summer Enrichment List:**

**Books, Articles, Films and Documentaries**

**Teacher’s Message:**

*Greetings seniors! Congratulations on all your hard work, commitment, and success this year! In a few months, you’ll return for your last year of high school after a well-deserved summer break.*

*Not everyone is passionate about history, but it’s always been my firm belief that history has something for everyone, and for every interest. For those of you who would like to continue your study of American history independently over the summer, I have compiled a list of books, articles, documentaries, and feature films that will help to continue the narrative that we began together this year, which we, as many history classes have done before us, were unable to fully complete. This is by no means an exhaustive list, simply a sampling of materials which will help you cover some of the recent history that we did not get a chance to examine deeply (the 90s and the 21st century), as well as extra materials on other historical periods we studied together. Enjoy!*

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Zinn, Howard. “A People’s History of American Empire: A Graphic Adaptation”. Holt, Henry & Co. 2008

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Hahn, Steven. “A Nation Without Borders: The United States and Its World in an Age of Civil

Wars, 1830-1910”. Penguin Books, 2016.

Harari, Yuval. “Sapiens: A Brief History of Humankind”. Harper Collins. 2011. Chapter 8: There is No Justice in History (+ “The Vicious Circle” and “Purity in America”).

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Tosh, John. “Historians on History”. 2nd Edition. Longman Publishing, 2008.

Lepore, Jill. "The Whites of Their Eyes". Princeton University Press. 2010.

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Edwards, George C. “Overreach: Leadership in the Obama Presidency”. Princeton University Press. 2012 (available on JSTOR)

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Pawel, Miriam. “The Crusades of Cesar Chavez: A Biography” Bloomsbury Publishing, USA. 2014

Cott, Nancy F. “The Bonds of Womanhood”. Yale University Press, 1977.

Rydell, Robert W. “All the World’s a Fair”. University of Chicago Press, 1984.

Tomes, Nancy. “The Gospel of Germs”. Harvard University Press, 1998.

Pegram, Thomas R. “Battling Demon Rum”. Ivan R. Dee Publishing, 1998.

Rorabaugh, W.J. “The Alcoholic Republic”. Oxford University Press, 1979.

Rosenberg, Charles E. “The Cholera Years”. University of Chicago Press, 1962.

Peiss, Kathy. “Cheap Amusements”. Temple University Press, 1986.

Johnson, Paul E. “A Shopkeeper’s Millennium”. Hill & Wang Publishing, 1978.

Adams, George Worthington. “Doctors in Blue”. Louisiana State University Press, 1952.

Levine, Lawrence W. “Highbrow Lowbrow”. Harvard University Press, 1988.

Perdue, Theda. Green, Michael. “The Cherokee Removal”. Bedford/St. Martin’s, 2005.

Enss, Chris. “Hearts West: True Stories of Mail-Order Brides on the Frontier”. Rowman & Littlefield Publishing, 2005.

McCullough, David. “The Greater Journey: Americans in Paris”. Simon & Schuster, 2011.

Freeman, Joanne B. “Field of Blood: Violence in Congress and the Road to the Civil War”. Farrar, Strauss, and Giroux, 2018.

Ed. Royster, Jacqueline Jones. “Southern Horrors and Other Writings: The Anti-Lynching Campaign of Ida B. Wells, 1892 – 1900”. Ohio State University Press, 1997.

Ed. Greenberg, Kenneth. “The Confessions of Nat Turner and Related Documents”. Bedford Books, 1996.

Johnson, Paul E. Wilentz, Sean. “The Kingdom of Matthias: A Story of Sex and Salvation in 19th Century America”. Oxford University Press, 1994.

**Articles:**

Gozzi, Raymond. “The Nineties – The Downsizing Decade”. *ETC: A Review of General Semantics*

Vol. 56, No. 4 (Winter 1999-2000), pp. 458-463. <http://www.jstor.org/stable/42577985>

Jones, Jeffrey et al. The 2000s - "The Decade in Review: Four Key Trends". December, 2009. <http://www.gallup.com/poll/124787/decade-review-four-key-trends.aspx>

Lowery, Wesley. “Aren’t more white people than black people killed by police? Yes, but no.” *The Washington Post*. July 11, 2016. <https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/post-nation/wp/2016/07/11/arent-more-white-people-than-black-people-killed-by-police-yes-but-no/?utm_term=.d7a0f9a8b904>

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Rieff, David. “The Long War on Terror”. The New York Times. July 23, 2016.  <https://www.nytimes.com/2016/07/24/opinion/sunday/the-long-war-on-terror.html?_r=0>

Ford, Pearl et al. “’Yes We Can or Yes We Did’? Prospective and Retrospective Change in the Obama Presidency”. Journal of Black Studies. Vol. 40, No. 3. January, 2010. <https://www.jstor.org/stable/40648602?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents>

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**Documentaries, Feature Films and Television Series:**

“Bowling for Columbine” (2002) Directed by Michael Moore. (Netflix)

“Reel Injun: On the Trail of the Hollywood Indian” (2009) Directed by Neil Diamond, Catherine Bainbridge and Jeremy Hayes. (Netflix)

“Get Me Roger Stone” (2017) Directed by Morgan Pehme. (Netflix)

“13th” (2016) Directed by Ava DuVernay. (Netflix)

“Bury My Heart At Wounded Knee”. (2007) Directed by Yves Simoneau. (Netflix)

“The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks” (2017) Directed by George C. Wolf. (HBO)

“The Wizard of Lies” (2017) Directed by Barry Levinson. (HBO)

T.V. Series – “John Adams”. (2008) Directed by Tom Hooper. (HBO)

“Lincoln” (2012) Directed by Steven Spielberg

T.V. Series “CNNs The Sixties” (2014)

 “CNNs The Seventies” (2015)

 “CNNs The Eighties” (2016)

 “CNNs The Nineties” (2017)

 “CNNs The 2000s” (2018)

“The Big Short” (2015) Directed by Adam McKay

“Malcom X: Make it Plain” (PBS, 1994) Directed by Orlando Bagwell. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3zIGNkR62Mo>

T.V. Series - “Prohibition” (2011) Directed by Ken Burns.

“Mudbound” (2017) Directed by Dee Rees

“Iron Jawed Angels” (2004) Directed by Katja von Garnier.

“Standing in the Shadows of Motown” (2002) Directed by Paul Justman. <https://vimeo.com/150501920>

“Gettysburg” (1993) Directed by Ronald F. Maxwell.

“Smoke Signals” (1998) Directed by Chris Eyre.

“Legends of the Fall” (1994) Directed by Edward Zwick.

 “The Final Year” (2017) HBO Documentary. Directed by Greg Barker.