

## Summer Assignment

### *A.P. U.S. History*

*Directions:* Below is the detailed information regarding the assignment due on the first day of class for APUSH (all of this will be a hardcopy). Please log in to our Google Classroom (code: 3xeamqn) for essential resources regarding note-taking.

#### **Part I: Geography of the United States (hardcopy)**

- ❖ Create a map (you can trace or print the continental outline) of the United States & label:
  - 50 states & state capitals
  - Geographical regions: New England/Northeast, Midwest, South/Southeast, Southwest, West
  - Geographical features (create a key and label): Chesapeake Bay, Great Lakes (5), Mississippi River, Appalachian Mountains, Rocky Mountains, Gulf of Mexico, Great Salt Lake, Great Plains
- ❖ *This should be your own writing & labels. Do not print off a completed map as some geographical regions can vary depending on the map and the number of regions.*
- ❖ You will keep this as a reference throughout the course so ensure this is neat and useful to you!

#### **Part II: Fraser (Chapters 1 & 2 - handwritten in your notebook or binder)**

- ❖ Watch the tutorial on note-taking on Google Classroom
- ❖ Take notes on chapters 1 & 2 from Fraser using the “Reading Guide” on Google Classroom. Notes should be **handwritten** (NOT typed)!

#### **Part III: European Exploration (handwritten - added to your notes in your notebook or binder)**

- ❖ Create a chart of European exploration of the Americas. Research & add this information to your notes (see example chart below). Chapter 2 of Fraser will be helpful for this assignment.

Explorer	Year of Exploration	Representing Country	Location Explored
Christopher Columbus			
John Cabot			
Juan Ponce de Leon			
Vasco Nunez de Balboa			
Hernan Cortes			
Giovanni da Verrazzano			
Alvar Nunez Cabeza de Vaca			
Francisco Pizzaro			

Jacques Cartier			
Francisco Vasquez de Coronado			
Juan Rodríguez Cabrillo			
Humphrey Gilbert			
Walter Raleigh			
Juan de Onate			