100 Days of American History

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Preparing to journey with us on a 100 day adventure of American history?

Travel through books with us from the time when Squanto was a boy and the time shortly before the Pilgrims arrived through the late 1800’s and the turn of the century!

Below is a list of books recommended for use during the 100 days. However, please feel free to substitute as needed.

- **Squanto, Friend of the Pilgrims**
- If You Lived in the Time of Squanto
- If You Sailed on the Mayflower in 1620
- Squanto and the Miracle of Thanksgiving
- If You Were at the First Thanksgiving

- **The Courage of Sarah Noble OR The Sign of the Beaver**
  - If You Lived in Colonial Times
  - A Picture Book of Benjamin Franklin
  - If You Grew Up with George Washington
  - Liberty Kids (videos)

- **If You Lived at the Time of the American Revolution**
  - The Adventures of Munford: The American Revolution
  - A Picture Book of George Washington
  - A Picture Book of Thomas Jefferson
  - Betsy Ross

- **If You Were There When They Signed the Constitution**
  - The Cabin Faced West
  - A Picture Book of Daniel Boone
  - Johnny Appleseed
  - A Picture Book of Lewis and Clark

- **If You Grew Up With Abraham Lincoln**
  - Caddie Woodlawn
  - A Pioneer Sampler

- **By the Great Horn Spoon OR Bound For Oregon**
  - Gold! Gold from the American River!
  - If You Traveled West in a Covered Wagon
  - If You Were a Pioneer on the Prairie

- **Trouble Don’t Last OR Elijah Buxton**

- **If You Lived When There Was Slavery in America**
  - If You Traveled on the Underground Railroad
  - A Picture Book of Harriet Tubman

- **If You Lived at the Time of the Civil War**
  - A Picture Book of Abraham Lincoln

- **Journey to Ellis Island**
  - All of a Kind Family

- **If Your Name Was Changed at Ellis Island**
  - The Story of the Statue of Liberty
  - If You Lived 100 Years Ago
  - Alexander Graham Bell

- **A Picture Book of Thomas Alva Edison**
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Life in America

Before the Pilgrims

Wampanoag Indians

New England
Life of the Wampanoag

1600s

homes

clothing

food
Chores of Wampanoag

Women and Girls

1600s

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Life in the 1600’s

Wampanoag life

My life
The Pilgrims

1620

Who were the Pilgrims?

Why did they want to come to the New World?
Life on the Mayflower

What would you take with you?

eating

staying clean

sleeping

fun
Life in Plymouth
The First Thanksgiving

1621
Thanksgiving

1621

who & where

food

games and fun

Today

who & where

food

games and fun
New England Colonies

Puritans
Life in Colonial Times

colonial life

my life
Middle Colonies

blacksmiths

farmers

Quakers
Be an Inventor!

Write out a problem.

Sketch out a solution.
Benjamin Franklin
1706-1790
Benjamin Franklin’s contributions to...

cities

our country
Southern Colonies

- plantations
- tobacco
- indigo
- cotton

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George Washington

1732-1799

What do we know about his boyhood?
George Washington and Me!

Washington as a child

me
13 Colonies

Lightly color each of the three sets of colonies. Then write the name of each colony on the map.
Boston Tea Party
1773
Revolutionary War
1775-1783

loyalists

patriots
Paul Revere

Midnight Ride
April 1775
Life During the American Revolution

1775-1783

home front

battle front
George Washington
1732-1799
Betsy Ross
1752-1836

American Flag
1776
The Pledge of Allegiance
Liberty Bell
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Proclaim liberty throughout the land, unto all the inhabitants thereof.
Preamble to the Constitution

“We the People of the United States, in Order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution of the United States of America.”
Compromise
3 Branches of Government

U.S. Constitution

Executive

Legislative

Congress

House of Representatives and Senate

President

Supreme Court

Judicial
Daniel Boone
1734-1820

Life on the Frontier
John Chapman
1774-1845

Johnny Appleseed
Lewis and Clark Expedition

1804–1806

Mark the route of the Lewis and Clark expedition. Also, lightly color and label the US, Louisiana Purchase, and Spanish Territory.
Abraham Lincoln
1809-1865

What do we know about his boyhood?
Frontier Homes

1840’s-1860’s vs Today
Schools & Learning

1840’s -1860’s vs Today
Frontier Tasks
1840’s - 1860’s

maple sugaring

farming

honey
Frontier Tasks
1840’s - 1860’s

milking / cheese / butter

sheep to clothes
Frontier Living

1840’s-1860’s
3 Routes to the California Gold Rush
Westward Expansion

California Gold Rush

1849

Oregon Trail

1840-1860
If You Traveled West

in a Covered Wagon

What would I pack?
Pioneer Living

1860’s-1890’s
Pioneer Life vs My Life
Slavery in America

What is slavery?

Who were slaves?

When was there slavery?

What was life like as a slave?
Underground Railroad
Civil War 1861-1865

Confederate
Slave States

Union
Free States
Civil War 1861-1865

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Clara Barton
1821-1912

“I may be compelled to face danger, but never fear it, and while our soldiers can stand and fight, I can stand and feed and nurse them.”
Abraham Lincoln

1809-1865
Gettysburg Address
Abraham Lincoln, November 19, 1863

Four score and seven years ago
our fathers brought forth on this continent, a new nation,
conceived in Liberty, and dedicated to the proposition
that all men are created equal.

Now we are engaged in a great civil war,
testing whether that nation,
or any nation so conceived and so dedicated,
can long endure.

We are met on a great battle-field of that war.
We have come to dedicate a portion of that field,
as a final resting place for those who here gave their lives
that that nation might live.
It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this.

But, in a larger sense, we can not dedicate
-- we can not consecrate -- we can not hallow -- this ground.
The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here,
have consecrated it, far above our poor power to add or detract.
The world will little note, nor long remember what we say here,
but it can never forget what they did here.

It is for us the living, rather,
to be dedicated here to the unfinished work
which they who fought here have thus far so nobly advanced.
It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us
-- that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause
for which they gave the last full measure of devotion
-- that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain
-- that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom
-- and that government of the people, by the people, for the people,
shall not perish from the earth.
Immigration
1880’s - early 1900’s

Why did so many people leave their homelands and come to America?
Journey to America
1880’s - early 1900’s

What was the voyage like?

What would you pack?
Ellis Island
1880’s - early 1900’s
Life in a New Land
1880’s – early 1900’s

Name Changes?

Contributing to American Society

Difficulties
Statue of Liberty

1875
100 Years Ago

Life in the Late 1800’s–early 1900’s

What was Housing Like?

What was Shopping Like?
Two Great Inventors
Life in the Late 1800's – early 1900's

Alexander Graham Bell
1876 - telephone

Thomas Edison
1877 - phonograph
1880 - light bulb
100 Years Ago
Life in the Late 1800’s - early 1900’s

Clothing

Work

Eating

Entertainment
Learning 100 Years Ago

Late 1800’s – early 1900’s
Print on tag board / cardstock. Cut apart. Write abbreviations on the back.
United States of America

Label the 50 United States using each state's abbreviation.
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