



Monday
César Chavez Holiday

Tuesday – 20 minutes

Activity / Task	<p>The Bill of Rights are the first 10 Amendments to the United States Constitution. Choose one of the amendments (1st-10th), and describe why it is important to protect this right for the citizens of the U.S.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Source: Pixabay</p> </div>
Resources	<p>notebook paper, pencil</p> <p>Watch the Bill of Rights video on BrainPop or read the article “<i>The Bill of Rights – Protecting All Citizens</i>” in Week 9 of USA Studies Weekly for more background information on The Bill of Rights.</p>

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Activity / Task	<p>From 1865-1870, three additional amendments were added to the U.S. Constitution. Write each amendment (13th-15th) in your own words and explain why each of these amendments were so important to our citizens.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Source: Pixabay</p> </div>
Resources	<p>notebook paper, pencil</p> <p>Read or listen to “<i>One Nation Again</i>” in Week 9 of USA Studies Weekly for more background information on the 13th, 14th and 15th amendments.</p>

Thursday – 20 minutes

Activity / Task

Hiram Revels was the first African American to be elected to the United States Senate in 1870. Since then, many people from many different backgrounds and cultures have served in our government. Write an argumentative text explaining why it is so important to have diverse voices in our government. Be sure to include your claim and evidence to support it.



Hiram Revels, photograph
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Read or listen to "[Hiram Revels: First African American Senator](#)" in Week 9 of [USA Studies Weekly](#) for more information about Hiram Revels and his accomplishments.

Resources

notebook paper, pencil, Studies Weekly

Friday – 20 minutes

Activity / Task

The 2020 United States Census is taking place right now. Think about all the ways a census helps us make decisions in our country. Look at the chart below and list 5 observations or conclusions you can make *based on the information provided*.

Top Ten Populated U.S. Cities

Rank	City	Population
1	New York City, NY	8,175,133
2	Los Angeles, CA	3,792,621
3	Chicago, IL	2,695,598
4	Houston, TX	2,099,451
5	Philadelphia, PA	1,526,006
6	Phoenix, AZ	1,445,632
7	San Antonio, TX	1,327,407
8	San Diego, CA	1,307,402
9	Dallas, TX	1,197,816
10	San Jose, CA	945,942

According to the 2010 Census

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Resources

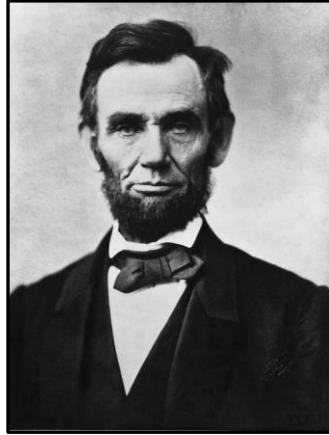
notebook paper, pencil

Watch the [Census video on BrainPop](#) for more information on the United States Census.

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Activity / Task

Abraham Lincoln said, “It’s easy to get rid of an enemy, but the best way to get rid of an enemy is to make him your friend.” How effective do you believe this philosophy would have been in dealing with the South after the Civil War? Support your response.



Source: Pixabay

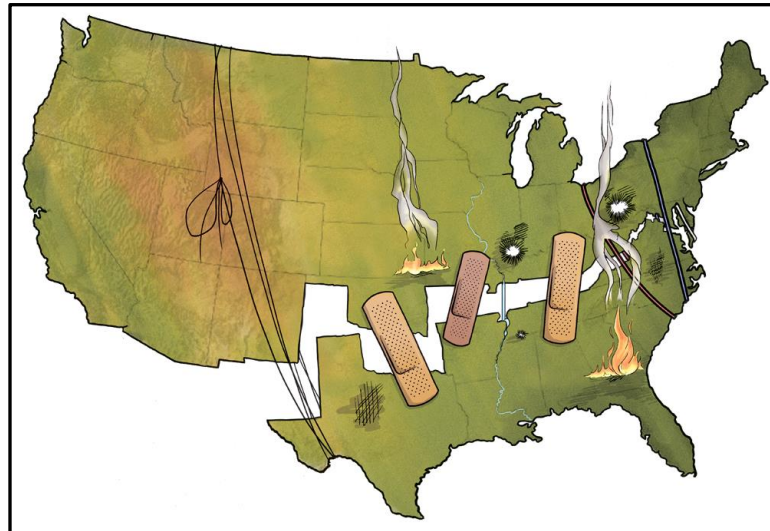
Resources

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Activity / Task

Using what you know about American history, what do you think the illustrator trying to show in the image below?



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Resources

paper, pencil

Read or listen to “[Reconstructing a Nation](#)” in Week 20 of [USA Studies Weekly](#) for more information about Hiram Revels and his accomplishments.

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Activity / Task

What does it take to be a good leader?

Think about the qualities a good leader must have in order to be successful.

Write a short essay about why you would be a good leader.



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pencil, paper

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Activity / Task

Choose an image from [Week 20](#) of [USA Studies Weekly](#) or an article you find at home and use the following graphic organizer to analyze the image.

<p>Paste or sketch image here.</p>	<p>What is happening in the image you selected?</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <p>Why did the author choose to include the image with the article?</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
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Source: HISD Curriculum

Resources

notebook or copy paper, pencil, Studies Weekly

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Create a piece of art (illustration, collage, poem, song, story, etc.) that shows important pieces of history. Your artwork may represent something as large as the whole United States or as small as your immediate family. Be creative!



Source: HISD Curriculum

Resources

copy paper, pencil, colored pencils/markers/crayons