

# History: Grade 12

Adopted 2009

## Historical Analysis and Skills Development

### Continuity and Change over Time

- A. Evaluate patterns of continuity and change over time, applying context of events. **8.1.U.A**
  - A. Evaluate patterns of continuity and change over time, applying context of events. **8.1.W.A**
  - A. Evaluate patterns of continuity and rates of change over time, applying context of events. **8.1.12.A**
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### Fact/Opinion and Points of View

- B. Evaluate the interpretation of historical events and sources, considering the use of fact versus opinion, multiple perspectives, and cause and effect relationships. **8.1.U.B**
  - B. Evaluate the interpretation of historical events and sources, considering the use of fact versus opinion, multiple perspectives, and cause and effect relationships. **8.1.W.B**
  - B. Analyze the major arguments advanced for different systems of government. (Reference Civics and Government Standard 5.1.9.B.) **8.1.C.B**
  - B. Evaluate the interpretation of historical events and sources, considering the use of fact versus opinion, multiple perspectives, and cause and effect relationships. **8.1.12.B**
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### Research

- C. Analyze, synthesize and integrate historical data, creating a product that supports and appropriately illustrates inferences and conclusions drawn from research. **8.1.U.C**
  - C. Construct research on a historical topic using a thesis statement and demonstrate use of appropriate primary and secondary sources. **8.1.W.C**
  - C. Analyze, synthesize, and integrate historical data, creating a product that supports and appropriately illustrates inferences and conclusions drawn from research. **8.1.12.C**
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## Pennsylvania History

### Contributions of Individuals and Groups (PA)

- A. Evaluate the role groups and individuals from Pennsylvania played in the social, political, cultural, and economic development of the U.S. [8.2.U.A](#)
- A. Evaluate the role groups and individuals from Pennsylvania played in the social, political, cultural, and economic development of the US and the world. [8.2.12.A](#)

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### Historical Documents, Artifacts, and Places (PA)

- B. Evaluate the importance of various historical documents, artifacts, and places in Pennsylvania which are critical to U.S. [8.2.U.B](#)
- B. Demonstrate an understanding of how the PA Constitution and the US Constitution co-exist. [8.2.C.B](#)
- B. Evaluate the impact of historical documents, artifacts, and places in Pennsylvania which are critical to U.S. history and the world. [8.2.12.B](#)

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### Impact of Continuity and Change on PA History

- C. Evaluate continuity and change in Pennsylvania are interrelated to the U.S.
  - <li>Belief systems and religions</li><li>Commerce and industry</li><li>Technology</li><li>Politics and government</li><li>Physical and human geography</li><li>Social organizations</li></ul> [8.2.U.C](#)
  - C. Compare and contrast the basic principles and ideals found in significant documents:
    - <li>Pennsylvania Constitution</li></ul> [8.2.C.C](#)
    - C. Evaluate continuity and change in Pennsylvania are interrelated to the US and the world.
      - <li>Belief systems and religions</li><li>Commerce and industry</li><li>Technology</li><li>Politics and government</li><li>Physical and human geography</li><li>Social organizations</li></ul> [8.2.12.C](#)

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### Conflict and Cooperation (PA)

- D. Evaluate how conflict and cooperation among groups and organizations in Pennsylvania have influenced the growth and development of the U.S.
  - <li>Ethnicity and race</li><li>Working conditions</li><li>Immigration</li><li>Military conflict</li><li>Economic stability</li></ul> [8.2.U.D](#)
  - D. Evaluate how conflict and cooperation among groups and organizations in Pennsylvania have influenced the growth and development of the US and the world.
    - <li>Ethnicity and race</li><li>Working conditions</li><li>Immigration</li><li>Military conflict</li><li>Economic stability</li></ul> [8.2.12.D](#)

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## United States History

### Contributions of Individuals and Groups (US History)

- A. Compare the role groups and individuals played in the social, political, cultural, and economic development of the U.S. [8.3.U.A](#)
- A. Compare and contrast the politics of various interest groups and evaluate their impact on foreign policy. [8.3.C.A](#)
- A. Evaluate the role groups and individuals from the U.S. played in the social, political, cultural, and economic development of the world. [8.3.12.A](#)

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### Historical Documents and Artifacts (US History)

- B. Compare the impact of historical documents, artifacts, and places which are critical to the U.S. 8.3.U.B
- B. Compare and contrast the basic principles and ideals found in significant documents:
  - <li>Declaration of Independence</li><li>United States Constitution</li><li>Bill of Rights </li></ul> 8.3.C.B
  - B. Evaluate the impact of historical documents, artifacts, and places in U.S. history which are critical to world history. 8.3.12.B

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### Impact of Continuity and Change on US History

- C. Evaluate how continuity and change have impacted the United States.
  - <li>Belief systems and religions</li><li>Commerce and industry</li><li>Technology</li><li>Politics and government</li><li>Physical and human geography</li><li>Social organizations</li></ul> 8.3.U.C
  - C. Analyze the principles and ideals that shape United States government.
    - <li>Liberty/Freedom</li><li>Democracy</li><li>Justice</li><li>Equality</li></ul> 8.3.C.C
    - C. Evaluate how continuity and change in U.S. history are interrelated with the world.
      - <li>Belief systems and religions</li><li>Commerce and industry</li><li>Technology</li><li>Politics and government</li><li>Physical and human geography</li><li>Social organizations</li></ul> 8.3.12.C

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### Conflict and Cooperation (US)

- D. Evaluate how conflict and cooperation among groups and organizations have influenced the growth and development of the U.S.
  - <li>Ethnicity and race</li><li>Working conditions</li><li>Immigration</li><li>Military conflict</li><li>Economic stability</li></ul> 8.3.U.D
  - D. Analyze the role political symbols play in civil disobedience and patriotic activities. 8.3.C.D
  - D. Evaluate how conflict and cooperation among groups and organizations in the U.S. have influenced the growth and development of the world.
    - <li>Ethnicity and race</li><li>Working conditions</li><li>Immigration</li><li>Military conflict</li><li>Economic stability</li></ul> 8.3.12.D

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## World History

### Contributions of Individuals and Groups (World)

- A. Evaluate the role groups and individuals played in the social, political, cultural, and economic development throughout world history. 8.4.W.A
- A. Evaluate critical issues in various contemporary governments. Evaluate the effectiveness of various international organizations, both governmental and nongovernmental. 8.4.C.A
- A. Evaluate the role groups and individuals played in the social, political, cultural, and economic development throughout world history. 8.4.12.A

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### Historical Documents, Artifacts, and Sites (World)

- B. Evaluate the importance of historical documents, artifacts, and sites which are critical to world history. 8.4.W.B
- B. Compare and contrast the basic principles and ideals found in significant documents:
  - Declaration of Independence
  - United States Constitution 8.4.C.B
- B. Evaluate the importance of historical documents, artifacts, and sites which are critical to world history. 8.4.12.B

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### Impact of Continuity and Change (World)

- C. Evaluate how continuity and change have impacted the world today.
  - Belief systems and religions
  - Commerce and industry
  - Technology
  - Politics and government
  - Physical and human geography
  - Social organization 8.4.W.C
- C. Evaluate critical issues in various contemporary governments. Employ historical examples and political philosophy to evaluate major arguments advanced for the necessity of government. 8.4.C.C
- C. Evaluate how continuity and change have impacted the world today.
  - Belief systems and religions
  - Commerce and industry
  - Technology
  - Politics and government
  - Physical and human geography
  - Social organization 8.4.12.C

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### Conflict and Cooperation (World)

- D. Evaluate how conflict and cooperation among groups and organizations have impacted the development of the world today, including its effects on Pennsylvania. 8.4.W.D
- D. Analyze strategies used to resolve conflicts in society and government. Evaluate the role of nationalism in uniting and dividing citizens. 8.4.C.D
- D. Evaluate how conflict and cooperation among groups and organizations have impacted the development of the world today, including its effects on Pennsylvania. 8.4.12.D