

Regional Outline for United States

	8000 -1450 CE	1450-1750 CE	1750 – 1914 CE	1914 - Present
Politics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -depending on regions (tribal societies) -different region had different way of controlling their people -no central authority 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -democrats imposed on citizens -men- allowed to vote, no suffrage rule yet -John Locke- social contract inspired -“self-determination” 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1776- Declaration of Independence -1787- Constitution (three branches or checks and balance) -democracy- unbalanced among genders for suffrage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> remained democracy - 1965- all women can vote - -richest nation with huge power - sphere of influences
Economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -pastoral/hunter gather societies- tribes - agriculture- have lots of great farmers, producing their regional crops 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Columbian Exchange- new food source, animals, resources transferred between Europe and Americas African Slave Trade- benefits US for its cheap labor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -involved in trades -WW1- war creditors -one of the top 5 trading empire -benefit through colonization, exploited natural resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WW2- rose to dominate world due to other countries were destroyed in the war -highly industrialized -earned a lot of profit with imports/exports
Social Class/Gender	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -class determined by age (the oldest receive more respect and power) -people who owed a lot of horses, equipments, crops, families -matrilineal societies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Women- inferior to men -Enlightenment ideas- push for freedoms/rights of women -peasants, wealthy, nobility 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Women’s reform- 1830s for family, divorce law Women’s sphere Moving toward suffrage Class determined by races Huge middle class groups 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -patriarchal societies -women have more job opportunity in the modern period -suffrage- given 1965 -class determined by wealth
Science/Inventions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -develop own farming equipments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> borrowed a lot from the Chinese, Arabs and Islamic world 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1800s- textile factory system brought from Europe Technological innovation- spurred industrialization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -more advance navy, militarily equipments, creators and producers of luxury products

Art/Architecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - depending on regions - teepee, thatch roof house, huts etc... 	Borrowed ideas from various empires/countries such as Indian, Europeans, China etc...	influenced by European/ Asian architecture- Renaissance/Indian building styles	still borrowed ideas from Europe artists/architects
Empire	No empire- series of tribe societies	fragmented regions, no central authority to rule and combine all areas together yet	Monroe Doctrine 1823 -used British navy Spanish American Empire -controlled Philippine, Guar, Puerto Rico	Still a big empire <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - distributed products to earn - influenced on other nations to invest in US - powerful
Religion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -most were animist -some don't believe in god at all 	Christianity	Christianity dominated, some still polytheists, animists, or secular	Christianity remained strong, some minority – remained their own traditional religions