

Topic, Unit, Theme or Process Taught	Maine LEARNING RESULT Links (Standard and PI) 2007	Strategies/Skills/Concepts/Secure Goals By the end of this grade level or course, learners will be able to:	Resources (Complete bibliographic form for required texts or resources and lists of supplementary resources)	Assessments and Major Assignments (Tests, quizzes, projects, papers, homework, labs, etc.)
A Force in the World	<b>E1b</b>	Clearly explain the events leading to a shift in focus from domestic to international affairs for the government and the people of the United States	<p>Text-<u>History of the United States</u> vol #2; DiBacco, Mason, Appy ; 1997 ; McDougal Littell Inc.; ISBN: 0-395-81250- X.</p> <p>Other resources used throughout the year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Newspapers</li> <li>• Up Front magazine</li> <li>• Clips from historical films or documentaries for comparison and contrast</li> <li>• Teacher developed study guides and worksheets</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">Chapter 11</p>	<p>Unit Assessments throughout the year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chapter tests-multiple choice and essay questions</li> <li>• Quizzes</li> <li>• Projects</li> <li>• Current Events activities</li> </ul>
Expanding in Latin America	<b>E1b</b>	<p>Explain the following types of diplomacy employed by the US during the period around the turn of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, especially as they related to Latin America:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Big Stick Diplomacy</li> <li>• Dollar Diplomacy</li> <li>• Missionary Diplomacy</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;">Chapter 12</p>	

World War I (1914-1919)	<b>E1b</b>	<p>Discuss the importance of the Panama Canal and its role in determining the policies of the US in Latin America</p> <p>Explain the four general causes of WWI (imperialism, nationalism, militarism and opposing secret alliances)</p> <p>Explain why this was a world war, why it was so devastating, and what its impact was on the future of Europe and the US</p> <p>Explain the reasons for US entry into the war</p>	Chapter 13	
The Roaring Twenties	<b>E1b</b>	<p>Explain how the US was transformed during the 1920's (isolationism, urbanization, etc.)</p> <p>Explain how the 1920's set the stage for the failures of the 1930's</p>	Chapter 14	
Hoover and the Great Depression	<b>C1b</b>	<p>Explain the causes of the Great Depression, citing practices and events which directly and indirectly brought about the collapse of the economy</p> <p>Explain the position taken by the Hoover administration in addressing the problems generated by the depression and why they failed.</p>	Chapter 15	
The New Deal (1933-1941)	<b>B1e</b>	<p>Explain the measures taken by Roosevelt to deal with the Great Depression and explain why some Americans supported it while others were opposed to it.</p> <p>Compare other forms of political thought (Socialism, Communism and Fascism) to democratic-republicanism.</p>	Chapter 16	

<p>Between the Wars (1920-1941)</p>	<p><b>B1e</b></p>	<p>Explain why the New Deal failed to end the depression and how it was ultimately ended.</p> <p>Identify the legacy of the New Deal as found in American society today.</p> <p>Explain why America’s foreign policies of the period focused on arms limitations and non-violent solutions to international disputes.</p> <p>Explain what conditions contributed to the rise of dictatorships in Europe during this time period and how the US managed to avoid these conditions.</p> <p>Explain the conditions that led to war in Europe and Asia in the 1930s and how the United States was gradually drawn into these wars.</p> <p>Explain what the “Europe first” policy was and why the Allies elected to follow it.</p>	<p>Chapter 17</p>	
<p>The World at War (1941-1945)</p>	<p><b>E1b</b></p>	<p>Explain why the tide of war changed in both the Pacific and in Europe.</p> <p>Explain how Japanese-Americans were treated during the war and why they were treated differently than nationals from other enemy nations.</p> <p>Explain how women and other minorities contributed to the war effort and what impact this was to have on them following the war.</p> <p>Explain the decisions made by the Allied leaders during the war dealing with the future of the post-war world and how these decisions led to the growth of tensions among the Allies following the war.</p>	<p>Chapter 18</p>	

<p>The Truman Years (1945-1952)</p>	<p><b>E1b</b></p>	<p>Discuss the decisions to use the atomic bombs against Japan and the effects of these weapons on Japan and the rest of the world.</p> <p>Discuss the importance of the Nuremberg trials and their impact on the development of the post war world.</p> <p>Predict changes that would come about in the post war world.</p> <p>Explain the steps taken by the government and the people of the United States to return to normal following the end of WWII.</p> <p>Identify and/or explain the demobilization, the Fair Deal, the Dixiecrats, the House Committee on Un-American Activities, McCarthyism, Alger Hiss, Ethel and Julius Rosenberg, and Joseph McCarthy.</p> <p>Understand post WWII events that led to the development of the cold war.</p> <p>Explain the meaning and the importance of the cold war, satellite, iron curtain, policy of containment, Truman Doctrine, Marshall Plan, Berlin blockade, and NATO.</p> <p>Understand how the fear of communism leads to a climate of suspicion during the late 1940's and 1950's foreign policy.</p> <p>Understand the causes, results, and implications of the Korean War. Identify people who played a role in the conduct of the Korean War.</p> <p>Make connections to Korea today, what is the US role there and predictions for the future of Korea</p>	<p>Chapter 19</p>	
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The Eisenhower Years (1953-1960)	<b>E1b</b>	Identify and explain the role that Eisenhower, Joseph McCarthy and Sen. Margaret Chase Smith of Maine played in this period of history.	Chapter 20	
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		Explain the role of the US in the battle against world Communism, the Three Worlds Concept, and the beginning of the struggle for the control of the world's supply of oil (crisis in Iran, the Suez War, other Middle East issues, and the concern about Communism in Central and South America.		
		Explain and give examples of dramatic changes in American society during this period of history. (Sputnik, dress, morals, religion, etc.)		