

# AP U.S. History

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2018 Summer Assignments

Welcome to AP US History!

Here are your first assignments for the year to be completed over the summer. Both will be due on the first day of history class

## Your History: Personal Letter

History happens daily and we all have a personal history. I'd like to know a little about you as we embark on the year together. Type a letter (following the format below) introducing yourself.

- Paragraph 1: Your name, your family, and a memorable moment from your own history.
- Paragraph 2: Why you are taking APUSH and what you hope to get out of the class.
- Paragraph 3: A quote that appeals to you and why you like it so much.

## Visit History: Create a Historical Marker.

Visit something or some place historical in the Richmond area, conduct your own research, and create your own historical marker that can be used to show the class your discovery. Your historical marker must be 3D, contain at least two photos of you at the location, and include information such as location, date created, purpose, historical significance and any other information you find relevant and interesting. You will also need to use at least two sources for your research and properly cite those sources on your marker.

### Rubric

- Creativity of selection and display 50 points
- Includes at least 2 photos and historical information 30 points
- Used at least two sources and properly cited those sources. 20 points

### Guidelines

- Do your own work **without any collaboration!**
- Be sure to put **your name** on your letter and historical marker.

**If you have any problems or questions about the assignments or the course, email:**

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