## 8th Grade Pacing Calendar

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Nine Weeks

# Settlement & Development (1500-1756)

(Standard 1 / 2019)

- Development of SC during the settlement & colonization of North America
- Compare the development of labor in the 3 British N. American colonial regions (e.g. economy, politics & society)
- Analyze the factors that contributed to SC's economic development & their impacts on different populations in the colony
- Summarize major events in the development of SC which impacted the economic, political, and social structure of the colony
- Understand the development of the political structure of the SC colony during the colonial period
- Analyze the changes and continuities of Native American experiences prior to and as a result of settlement and colonization
- Use a variety of primary & secondary sources to research the development of government in SC and other colonies in British N. America

### Revolution & Identity (1775-1815) →

(Standard 2 / 2019)

Demonstrate an understanding of how SC and Americans created a revolutionary form of government during the period 1775-1815 2<sup>nd</sup> Nine Weeks

# Revolution & Identity (Standard 2 / 2019)

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- Compare the motives and demographics of loyalists and patriots within SC and the other colonies
- Explain the economic, political, and social factors surrounding the American Revolution
- Analyze basic founding principles that led to the development of federalism in SC and the US
- Examine the roles of various groups of South Carolinians as the colonies moved toward becoming an independent nation
- Analyze the continuities & changes of how different groups immigrated to and migrated within SC
- Use a variety of primary and secondary sources to analyze multiple perspectives on the development of democracy in SC and the US

### **Compromises & Conflict**

(Standard 3 / 2019)

- Demonstrate an understanding of conflict & compromise in SC, the Southern region, and the US as a result of sectionalism between the period 1816-1865
- Compare the debates between SC and the federal government regarding slavery, federalism, and the Constitution
- Examine consequences of the major Civil War military strategies
- Analyze the Civil war Amendments (i.e. 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, and 15<sup>th</sup>) as a turning point in the economic, political, and social structures of SC
- Evaluate the economic significance of agriculture on SC, the US, and the world
- Analyze debates and efforts to recognize the natural rights of marginalized groups during the period of expansion & sectionalism
- Use a variety of primary & secondary sources to analyze multiple perspectives on the effects of the Civil War within SC & the US

3<sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks

**Social Studies** 

### At a Crossroads (1862-1929) (Standard 4 / 2019)

- Understand SC's role in and response to the economic, political, and social developments in the US and around the world
- Compare perspectives toward reform during the Progressive Era
- Explain the causes & effects of WWI on SC and the US
- Summarize economic changes that emerged in SC and the US
- Evaluate the struggle of South Carolinians to create an understanding of their post-Civil War position within the state, the country, and the world
- Analyze continuities and change in the African American experience in the period of Reconstruction and Jim Crow eras within SC
- ▶ Use a variety of primary and secondary sources to analyze multiple perspectives of the challenges and changes within SC and the nation that allowed the US to emerge as a global power during the time period 1862-1929

## 4<sup>th</sup> Nine Weeks

Progress (1929-the present) (Standard 5 / 2019)

- Demonstrate an understanding of the impact of world events on SC and the US during this time period
- Compare SC and the US wartime contributions and demobilization after WWII (including establishment & expansion of military bases in the state & demographic changes as a result of immigration including that influenced by the Holocaust)
- Analyze the factors contributing to the shifts in the political party platforms between 1946-1972
- Analyze the transformation of SC's economy from the Great Depression to its current economic diversification
- Analyze the correlation between the Modern Civil Rights Movement in SC and the US
- Analyze the continuities and changes in SC's identity resulting from civic participation of different individuals and groups of South Carolinians
- Use a variety of primary and secondary sources to analyze multiple perspectives on the cultural changes in SC and the US

