

The US History regents exam is right around the corner. It's time to plan your strategy for conquering the exam!

## Step # 1- What's on the exam?

Directions: Review the important information below about the US History Regents Exam. As you review, make sure to star or highlight items that you may forget and take any notes that you will find helpful to remember before the exam.

## Sections of the Exam

Part I

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Multiple-Choice
Questions

28 Questions.

Each question is worth 1 point, for a total of 28 points.

Questions are generally in chronological order.

Part II



**Short Essay Tasks** 

2 Short Essay Questions.

Each essay is scored out of 5 points.

Both short essays you identify the historical context of the docs.

The first short essay, analyze the relationship between the two documents.

The second short essay, analyze the audience, purpose, bias, or point of view of the second document to assess reliability.

Part III A



Civic Literacy Essay
Document Based Questions

This section has 6 documents related to a constitutional or civic issue.

Each document has at least one analysis question, worth 1 point each.

Part III B



Civic Literacy Essay

Document Based Essay

This section asks you to use the documents in Part IIIA to write an essay scored out of 5 points.

The essay asks you to:

Analyze the historical context for the civic or constitutional issue.

Analyze efforts to address the issue by individuals, groups or governments.

Analyze either the impact of the issue on American society or the extent to which the efforts were successful.

**Sections of the Exam** 



## Step # 2- Reflection

**Directions:** Answer the questions in order to reflect on your understanding of the three parts of the US History Regents exam.

Most Frequently Tested Content							
<ul> <li>US Constitution</li> <li>Development of Early American Nationalism</li> <li>Sectionalism leading to Civil War</li> <li>Gilded Age Industrialization</li> </ul>			<ul><li>□ Women's Suffrage</li><li>□ Cold War Containment</li></ul>				
What are you most confident about when it comes to the US History regents exam? Why?							
What aspect of the US History	ory regents exam will be most	challenging for you? Why?					
Which visual most accu	urately captures your emotic	ons- right now- about tak	ring the Regents exam?				
Explain why you are feeling this way.							



## Step # 3- Make a Plan

**Directions:** It's time to make a plan and talk strategy. Fill in the worksheet in order to identify how you will approach the US History Regents exam on testing day.

How much time will you allot for each section?									
Part I  O  Multiple-Choice  Questions		Sho	Part II  Short Essay Tasks		Part III A  Literacy Essay ent Based Questions	Part III B  Civic Literacy Essay  Document Based Essay			
Time:		Time:		Time:		Time:			
Total Time for Exam = 3 hours									
What order will you do the exam?									
		V	Why will you complete this section first?						
First=									
		V	Vhy will you complet	e this se	ction second?				
Second=									
		V	Vhy will you complet	e this se	ction third?				
Third=									
Forth=		V	Vhy will you complet	e this se	ction forth?				

