

Apex Learning® Tutorials provide teachers with a solution to support all students in rising to the expectations established by Illinois Learning Standards (ILS). Tutorials offer direct instruction, practice, review, and assessment to build the knowledge and skills required to prepare students for PARCC assessments and the Illinois Science Assessment (ISA).

U.S. History Tutorials offer targeted instruction, practice, and review designed to build students' knowledge of U.S. history and their comfort with historical thinking skills. Students engage with the content in an interactive, feedback-rich environment as they progress through standards-aligned modules. By constantly honing their ability to apply historical knowledge in abstract and concrete forms, students build the depth of knowledge and higher-order thinking skills required to demonstrate their mastery when put to the test.

In each module, the Learn It and Try It make complex ideas accessible through focused content, guided analysis, multi-modal representations, and personalized feedback as students reason through increasingly challenging problems. The Review It offers a high impact summary of key concepts and relates those concepts to students' lives. The Test It assesses students' mastery of the module's concepts, providing granular performance data to students and teachers after each attempt. To help students concentrate on the content most relevant to them, unit-level pretests and posttests can quickly identify where students are strong and where they're still learning.

Unit 1: Our Founding Documents

- **THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE**

- SS.H.1.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate how historical developments were shaped by time and place as well as broader historical contexts.

- **THE CREATION OF THE U.S. CONSTITUTION**

- SS.H.1.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate how historical developments were shaped by time and place as well as broader historical contexts.

- **RATIFYING AND AMENDING THE U.S. CONSTITUTION**

- SS.H.1.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate how historical developments were shaped by time and place as well as broader historical contexts.
- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

Unit 2: On the Frontier

- **AMERICAN INDIANS IN THE WEST**

- SS.H.8.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze key historical events and contributions of individuals through a variety of perspectives, including those of historically underrepresented groups.

- SS.H.12.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the geographic and cultural forces that have resulted in conflict and cooperation.

- **WESTWARD EXPANSION AND THE ECONOMY**

Unit 3: The Second Industrial Revolution

- **THE RISE OF INDUSTRY**

- SS.H.2.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Analyze change and continuity within and across historical eras.

- **CORPORATIONS, CAPITALISM, AND THE CAPTAINS OF INDUSTRY**

- SS.H.2.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Analyze change and continuity within and across historical eras.
- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.
- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

- **CULTURE OF THE GILDED AGE**

- SS.H.2.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Analyze change and continuity within and across historical eras.

- **POLITICS OF THE GILDED AGE**

- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.
- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.

Unit 4: Labor, Immigration, and the City

- **INDUSTRIAL WORKERS AND LABOR REFORM**

- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.
- SS.H.8.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze key historical events and contributions of individuals through a variety of perspectives, including those of historically underrepresented groups.
- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

- **URBANIZATION AND ITS CHALLENGES**

- SS.H.4.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze how people and institutions have reacted to environmental, scientific, and technological challenges.

- **PATTERNS OF IMMIGRATION**

- SS.H.2.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Analyze change and continuity within and across historical eras.
- SS.H.6.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze the concept and pursuit of the American Dream.
- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.

Unit 5: The Progressive Era

• SOCIAL REFORM IN THE PROGRESSIVE ERA

- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.
- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

• SUFFRAGE AND CIVIL RIGHTS IN THE PROGRESSIVE ERA

- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.

• POLITICAL REFORM IN THE PROGRESSIVE ERA

- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

• ECONOMIC REFORM IN THE PROGRESSIVE ERA

- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

Unit 6: American Imperialism

• THE DRIVE FOR EXPANSION

- SS.H.11.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze multiple and complex causes and effects of events in the past.

• THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR

- SS.H.11.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze multiple and complex causes and effects of events in the past.

• AMERICA EXPANDS: HAWAII, PANAMA, AND BEYOND

- SS.H.12.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the geographic and cultural forces that have resulted in conflict and cooperation.

Unit 7: World War I: Part 1

• WORLD WAR I: THE BIGGER PICTURE

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

- SS.H.1.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate how historical developments were shaped by time and place as well as broader historical contexts.

- **ON THE WAR FRONT**

- **ON THE HOME FRONT**

- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.

Unit 8: World War I: Part 2

- **THE AFRICAN AMERICAN WARTIME EXPERIENCE**

- SS.H.2.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Analyze change and continuity within and across historical eras.
- SS.H.8.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze key historical events and contributions of individuals through a variety of perspectives, including those of historically underrepresented groups.

- **OUTCOMES OF THE WAR: AMERICA AS A WORLD POWER**

- SS.H.1.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate how historical developments were shaped by time and place as well as broader historical contexts.
- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

Unit 9: America in the 1920s

- **A TIME OF EASE: THE POSTWAR ECONOMIC BOOM**

- SS.H.6.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze the concept and pursuit of the American Dream.

- **A TIME OF FEAR: THE RED SCARE, NATIVISM, AND RACISM**

- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.
- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

- **SOCIAL CONFLICT AND CHANGE**

- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.
- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.

- **MODERN ARTS: THE HARLEM RENAISSANCE AND THE ROARING '20S**

- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.

Unit 10: The Great Depression and the New Deal

- **CAUSES OF THE GREAT DEPRESSION**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

- **THE DUST BOWL AND THE IMPACTS OF THE GREAT DEPRESSION**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

- **THE NEW DEAL**

- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.
- SS.H.2.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Analyze change and continuity within and across historical eras.

Unit 11: World War II: Part 1

- **FROM ISOLATIONISM TO INVOLVEMENT**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

- **MOBILIZATION AND THE HOME FRONT**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

- **WAR ON MANY FRONTS**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

Unit 12: World War II: Part 2

- **THE HOLOCAUST**

- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.

- **OPPORTUNITIES AND OBSTACLES**

- SS.H.8.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze key historical events and contributions of individuals through a variety of perspectives, including those of historically underrepresented groups.
- SS.H.11.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze multiple and complex causes and effects of events in the past.

- **THE END OF THE WAR**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

Unit 13: The Cold War: Part 1

- **THE BEGINNINGS OF THE COLD WAR**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.
- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.
- **THE KOREAN WAR AND THE EISENHOWER YEARS**
- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.
- **THE ARMS RACE AND THE SPACE RACE**
- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

Unit 14: The Cold War: Part 2

- **THE VIETNAM WAR**
- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.
- **THE LAST YEARS OF THE COLD WAR**
- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.
- SS.H.12.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the geographic and cultural forces that have resulted in conflict and cooperation.

Unit 15: The Midcentury Boom

- **PROSPERITY AND CHANGE AFTER WORLD WAR II**
- SS.H.2.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Analyze change and continuity within and across historical eras.
- SS.H.6.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze the concept and pursuit of the American Dream.
- **DOMESTIC PROGRAMS IN THE 1950S AND 1960S**

Unit 16: Rethinking America

- **CULTURAL RESPONSES TO VIETNAM AND WATERGATE**
- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.
- SS.H.5.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze the factors and historical context that influenced the perspectives of people during different historical eras.
- **THE WARREN COURT**
- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.

- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

Unit 17: Civil Rights Movements: Part 1

- **THE GROWTH OF THE AFRICAN AMERICAN CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT**

- SS.H.1.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate how historical developments were shaped by time and place as well as broader historical contexts.
- SS.H.8.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze key historical events and contributions of individuals through a variety of perspectives, including those of historically underrepresented groups.
- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.

- **KEY FIGURES IN THE AFRICAN AMERICAN CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT**

- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.
- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.

- **THE HEIGHT OF THE AFRICAN AMERICAN CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT**

- SS.H.8.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze key historical events and contributions of individuals through a variety of perspectives, including those of historically underrepresented groups.

Unit 18: Civil Rights Movements: Part 2

- **THE AMERICAN INDIAN AND HISPANIC AMERICAN MOVEMENTS**

- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.
- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

- **THE FEMINIST MOVEMENT**

- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.
- SS.H.3.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate the methods utilized by people and institutions to promote change.

- **CHANGES AND NEW STRUGGLES**

- SS.H.1.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Evaluate how historical developments were shaped by time and place as well as broader historical contexts.

Unit 19: Globalization and America Today

- **GLOBAL ECONOMICS AFTER THE COLD WAR**

- **GLOBALIZATION, HEALTH, AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

- SS.H.4.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze how people and institutions have reacted to environmental, scientific, and technological challenges.

- **SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN THE INFORMATION AGE**

- SS.H.2.9-12: History Change, Continuity, and Context Analyze change and continuity within and across historical eras.

Unit 20: America in the World

- **THE UNITED STATES AND THE MIDDLE EAST: 1970S - 1990S**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

- **U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN WORLD AFFAIRS: 1980S - TODAY**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.

- **THE FIGHT AGAINST TERROR IN THE 21ST CENTURY**

- SS.H.10.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the causes and effects of global conflicts and economic crises.
- SS.H.9.9-12: History Historical Sources and Evidence Analyze the relationship between historical sources and the secondary interpretations made from them.

Unit 21: Domestic Policies and Politics

- **THE CONSERVATIVE RESURGENCE**

- SS.H.5.9-12: History Perspectives Analyze the factors and historical context that influenced the perspectives of people during different historical eras.

- **DOMESTIC POLICY DEBATES: 1970S - TODAY**

- **POLITICS IN THE LATE 20TH AND EARLY 21ST CENTURIES**

- SS.H.7.9-12: History Perspectives Identify the role of individuals, groups, and institutions in peoples struggle for safety, freedom, equality, and justice.
- SS.H.12.9-12: History Causation and Argumentation Analyze the geographic and cultural forces that have resulted in conflict and cooperation.