

SUMMER READING

MANDATORY ASSIGNMENTS

Below are the summer reading assignments for the summer of 2010. On the second day of class, all students will be tested on both assigned books. Read each book carefully and take notes if you think that it will help you.

Grade 9: Honors U.S. History I

•Larkin, Jack. The Reshaping of Everyday Life: 1790-1840. The Everyday Life in America Series, edited by Richard Balkin. New York: Harper Perennial, 1988.

PLUS EITHER

•Ellis, Joseph. Founding Brothers: The Revolutionary Generation. New York: Vintage Books, 2002.

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•Ellis, Joseph. American Creation. New York: Vintage House, 2007

AP US History

•Collins, Gail. America's Women: 400 Years of Dolls, Drudges, Helpmates, and Heroines. William Morrow, 2003. CHAPTERS 10-end ONLY

PLUS EITHER

•Terkel, Studs. The Studs Terkel Reader: My American Century (also published as: My American Century)

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•Takaki, Ronald. A Different Mirror: A History of Multicultural America. Reissue edition. Back Bay Books, 2008.