

Week #22

The Week of February 9, 2010

American Studies/Language Arts

This week, we have a language arts unit test on Wednesday, lots of grammar due Wednesday.

Washington, DC student travelers will have a meeting on Thursday in the library at lunch.

Monday – Holiday: Lincoln’s Birthday

Tuesday –

- Highlights / notes 11-3, 11-4, the War with Mexico
- Grammar: prepositions (pp. 127-132) and conjunctions (pp. 133-135) due Wednesday
- Reading logs due
- Extra Credit “Sam McGee” summary and response due

Wednesday – Language Arts for two periods

- Discuss “O Captain, My Captain”
- Language Arts unit 5 test
- “O Captain, My Captain,” summary and response option (if time)

Thursday – American studies for two periods

1. Review essay - Write an essay about Manifest Destiny and the War with Mexico. What is “manifest destiny”? Why was there a war with Mexico, and how was it resolved?
2. Quiz 5 (Sections 11-3, 11-4)
3. Map, War with Mexico, due.
4. GRA 11-3, 11-4 due.
5. Review Quizzes, Chapters 10, 8, 9 & 11. Find all the right answers. Study the old quizzes of this unit, The Young Republic.

Friday –

1. Poetry recitation – present a poem of at least 8 lines, one that we have studied recently.
2. Extra credit: Prepositions memorization, Grammar book, p. 127
3. Response to Literature writing exercise
4. Review for next week’s BIG unit exam, the Young Republic
 - Game Day prep
 - Begin work on a review notes page

