# AP US HISTORY PREP COURSE

AP US History has been recently redesigned by the College Board. This prep course is designed to ease the transition to an AP by providing students with some of the key tools that will be required for success. Through a combination of the development of the skills and knowledge necessary to do well in the AP US History class and on the AP US History Exam, the class will prepare students for success. We will discuss the early units of study of the college level course. Together we will delve into the various methods of study for the year, including, but not limited to, note-taking, quiz and test preparation, debate writing and speaking skills, essay writing, and more. We will also prepare for various portions of the exam including stimulus-based multiple choice questions, short answer questions, long essay questions, and document based questions. This preparatory class will provide students with a solid foundation of skills and knowledge prior to starting AP US History in the Fall.

# PROGRAM COST

\$325.00\*

Where: Pittsford Sutherland High School

(Room 239)

### **Instructor: Marc Hellems**

Mr. Hellems has taught AP US History since 2000 at Pittsford Sutherland High School.

When: 1. August 25 - 28 8:00am - 11:00am

2. August 25 - 28 12:00pm - 3:00pm

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Payment due by July 31

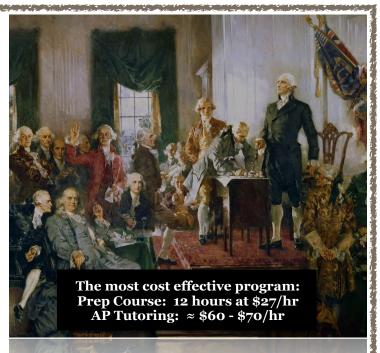
## WHAT WILL BE COVERED?

- Course Overview: US History 1491 CE to Present
- Updated Exam Format & Content
- · Study & Test Taking Skills
- Note Taking and Presentation Skills
- DBQ & LEQ (Thematic) Essay Skills and Rubrics
  - Research Paper v. Position Paper
- Seminar Writing Skills
  - Primary v. Secondary Sources; Source Selection
- Effective Debate Skills, the Art of Oratory
- Short Answer and Multiple Choice Strategies/Practice





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#### REGISTRATION FORM

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PLEASE CUT OUT THIS FORM AND MAIL IT IN WITH YOUR PAYMENT BY JULY 31 TO:

Sutherland Scholars PO Box 752 Mendon, NY 14506

Student Name:
Student Email (NOT School Email):
Parent Email:
Address:
School Attending: SHS MHS
Course Registration (select one):  1. Aug 25 - 28 AM 2. Aug 25 - 28 PM

If registration and payment is received after the course has reached capacity, you will be notified at the above email and your check will either be returned to you or you may select an alternate date if available. By submitting payment, you acknowledge that no refunds, partial or otherwise, will be offered.