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1	3	Topic 1.1 Contextualizing Renaissance and Discovery	Contextualizing Renaissance and Discovery 1–2	3.1		Video-AP Daily: AP European History 1.1
2–3	4–5	Topic 1.2 Italian Renaissance	Italian Renaissance 3–14	3.4 3.6 4.1 4.2 4.3 4.4		Video: Florence and the Renaissance: Crash Course European History (John Green)
4	6	Topic 1.3 Northern Renaissance	Northern Renaissance 15–19	4.1 4.3 5.1		Video-The Italian Renaissance Explained (Heimler's History)
5	7	Topic 1.4 Printing	Printing 20–24	3.7		Video: The Northern Renaissance: Crash Course European History (John Green)
6–7	8–9	Topic 1.5 New Monarchies	New Monarchies 25–34	3.2 3.5 5.2 5.3		

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8	10	Topic 1.6 Technological Advances and the Age of Exploration	Technological Advances and the Age of Exploration 35–40	5.3 5.4		Video-The Age of Exploration: Crash Course European History (John Green) Video-European Exploration and Empire Building 1.6 (Heimler's History)
9	11	Topic 1.7 Rivals on the World Stage	Rivals on the World Stage 41–50	5.5 5.6 5.7 5.8 6.1 6.4 6.5 11.1 11.2		
10–11	12–13	Topic 1.8 Expansion and Columbian Exchange	Colonial Expansion and Columbian Exchange 51–59	6.1 6.2 6.3 6.5 11.3		
12	14	Topic 1.9 The Slave Trade	The Slave Trade 60–65	6.5 6.6 11.3		
13	15	Topic 1.10 The Commercial Revolution	The Commercial Revolution 66–77	6.2 6.5 11.1 11.2 11.3		
14	16	Topic 1.11 Causation in the Renaissance and the Age of Discovery	Causation in the Renaissance and the Age of Discovery 78–79			
15	17		Unit 1 Assessment 80–86			

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1	18	Topic 2.1 Contextualizing 16th- and 17th-Century Challenges and Developments	Contextualizing 16th- and 17th-Century Challenges 87–88	7.1 8.1 9.1	
2–4	19–21	Topic 2.2 Luther and the Protestant Reformation	Luther and the Protestant Reformation 89–96	7.2 7.3 7.4 7.6	
5–6	22–23	Topic 2.3 Protestant Reform Continues	Protestant Reform Continues 97–101	7.3 7.4 7.5 7.6	
7–8	24–25	Topic 2.4 Wars of Religion	Wars of Religion 102–110	9.3 9.4 9.5 9.6 9.7	
9	26	Topic 2.5 The Catholic Reformation	The Catholic Reformation 111–115	8.1 8.2 8.3 8.4 8.5	

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10–11	27–28	Topic 2.6 16th–Century Society and Politics	16th–Century Society and Politics 116–127	9.2 10.2 10.11 12.5 12.6 14.3	
12–13	29–30	Topic 2.7 Art of the 16th Century: Mannerism and Baroque Art	Art of the 16th Century: Mannerism and Baroque Art 128–133	8.2 10.2	
14	31	Topic 2.8 Causation in the Age of Reformation and the Wars of Religion	Causation in the Age of Reformation and the Wars of Religion 134–135	7.6 8.5 9.7	
15	32		Unit 2 Assessment 136–141		
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1	33	Topic 3.1 Contextualizing State Building	Contextualizing State Building 142–143	10.11 11.1	
2–3	34–35	Topic 3.2 The English Civil War and the Glorious Revolution	The English Civil War and the Glorious Revolution 144–149	10.7 10.8 10.9 10.10	

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4–6	36–38	Topic 3.3 Continuities and Changes to Economic Practice and Development	Continuities and Changes to Economic Practice 150–159	10.10 11.1 11.2 11.3 14.3	
7–8	39–40	Topic 3.4 Economic Development and Mercantilism	Economic Development and Mercantilism 160–169	11.1 11.2 11.3 11.5 11.6	
9	41	Topic 3.5 The Dutch Golden Age	The Dutch Golden Age 170–174	10.2 11.4	
10–11	42–43	Topic 3.6 Balance of Power	Balance of Power 175–185	9.6 10.2 10.4 11.4 14.4 14.6	
12–13	44–45	Topic 3.7 Absolutist Approaches to Power	Absolutist Approaches to Power 186–196	9.4 10.2 10.8 14.5	
14	46	Topic 3.8 Comparison in the Age of Absolutism and Constitutionalism	Comparison in the Age of Absolutism and Constitutionalism 197–198	10.2 11.7 12.2 14.7	
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2–3	49–50	Topic 4.2 The Scientific Revolution	The Scientific Revolution 206–213	12.1 12.2 12.3 12.4 12.6 12.7	
4–6	51–53	Topic 4.3 The Enlightenment	The Enlightenment 214–229	13.1 13.2 13.3 13.4	
7–9	54–56	Topic 4.4 18th-Century Society and Demographics	18th-Century Society and Demographics 230–240	12.4 13.2 13.4 14.3	
10–11	57–58	Topic 4.5 18th-Century Culture and Arts	18th-Century Culture and Arts 241–251	10.8 13.2 14.2	
12–13	59–60	Topic 4.6 Enlightened and Other Approaches to Power	Enlightened and Other Approaches to Power 252–260	10.4 13.1 13.4	

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15	62		Unit 4 Assessment 263–268		
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1	63	Topic 5.1 Contextualizing 18th-Century States	Contextualizing 18th-Century States	11.1 14.1	
2–3	64–65	Topic 5.2 The Rise of Global Markets	The Rise of Global Markets 271–276	11.2 11.3 11.4 11.6 14.4 14.6	
4	66	Topic 5.3 Britain’s Ascendancy	Britain’s Ascendancy 277–283	10.10 14.4 14.6	
5–7	67–69	Topic 5.4 The French Revolution	The French Revolution 284–296	15.1 15.2 15.3 15.4	

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8	70	Topic 5.5 The French Revolution's Effects	The French Revolution's Effects 297–301	15.3	3.1
9–11	71–73	Topic 5.6 Napoleon's Rise, Dominance, and Defeat	Napoleon's Rise, Dominance, and Defeat 302–312		1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4 1.5 1.6 3.1
12	74	Topic 5.7 The Congress of Vienna	The Congress of Vienna 313–317		1.6 3.6 4.1 4.2
13	75	Topic 5.8 Romanticism	Romanticism 318–323		3.4
14	76	Topic 5.9 Continuity and Change in 18th-Century States	Continuity and Change in 18th-Century States	11.7 14.7 15.5	1.6
15	77		Unit 5 Assessment 326–331		

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2–3	79–80	Topic 6.2 The Spread of Industry Throughout Europe	The Spread of Industry Throughout Europe 334–347		2.2 2.3
4–5	81–82	Topic 6.3 Second Wave Industrialization and Its Effects	Second Wave Industrialization and Its Effects 348–358		2.2 2.3 2.4 6.2
6–7	83–84	Topic 6.4 Social Effects of Industrialization	Social Effects of Industrialization 359–372		2.4 2.5
8	85	Topic 6.5 The Concert of Europe and European Conservatism	The Concert of Europe and European Conservatism 373–378		3.2 4.1 4.2
9	86	Topic 6.6 Reactions and Revolutions	Reactions and Revolutions 379–387		3.3 4.2 4.6

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10–11	87–88	Topic 6.7 Ideologies of Change and Reform Movements	Ideologies of Change and Reform Movements 388–398		3.3 3.7 3.8 3.9
12	89	Topic 6.8 19th-Century Social Reform	19th-Century Social Reform 399–406		3.8 4.2 4.3 5.4 5.5
13	90	Topic 6.9 Institutional Responses and Reform	Institutional Responses and Reform 407–413		3.5 3.6
14	91	Topic 6.10 Causation in the Age of Industrialization	Causation in the Age of Industrialization 414–415		
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2–3	94–95	Topic 7.2 Nationalism	Nationalism 423–431		3.5 3.6 4.4 4.5 5.4 5.6
4–5	96–97	Topic 7.3 National Unification and Diplomatic Tensions	National Unification and Diplomatic Tensions 432–442		4.4 4.5 4.6
6	98	Topic 7.4 Darwinism, Social Darwinism	Darwinism, Social Darwinism 443–446		5.2
7	99	Topic 7.5 The Age of Progress and Modernity	The Age of Progress and Modernity 447–452		5.1 5.2 5.4
8–9	100–101	Topic 7.6 New Imperialism: Motivations and Methods	New Imperialism: Motivations and Methods 453–461		6.1 6.2 6.3 6.4

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10–11	102–103	Topic 7.7 Imperialism's Global Effects	Imperialism's Global Effects 462–472		6.4 6.5 6.6
12–13	104–105	Topic 7.8 19th-Century Culture and Arts	19th-Century Culture and Arts 473–483		3.4 8.3
14	106	Topic 7.9 Causation in 19th-Century Perspectives and Political Developments	Causation in 19th-Century Perspectives and Political Developments 484–485		6.7
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2–3	109–110	Topic 8.2 World War I	World War I 494–503		7.1 7.2 7.3 7.4 7.5 7.6 7.7
4	111	Topic 8.3 The Russian Revolution and Its Effects	The Russian Revolution and Its Effects 503–509		8.1
5–6	112–113	Topic 8.4 Versailles Conferences and Peace Settlement	Versailles Conferences and Peace Settlement 510–516		7.7 9.1 9.4

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8–9	115–116	Topic 8.6 Fascism and Totalitarianism	Fascism and Totalitarianism 523–534		9.1 9.2 9.3 9.5 9.6 12.2
10	117	Topic 8.7 Europe During the Interwar Period	Europe During the Interwar Period 535–539		9.6 10.1
10–11	118–119	Topic 8.8 World War II	World War II 540–547		10.2 10.3 10.4 10.5
12	120	Topic 8.9 The Holocaust	The Holocaust 548–552		11 11.1 11.2 11.3 11.4
13	121	Topic 8.10 20th-Century Cultural, Intellectual, and Artistic Developments	20th-Century Cultural, Intellectual, and Artistic Developments 553–559		8.2 8.3 8.4
14	122	Topic 8.11 Continuity and Changes in an Age of Global Conflict	Continuity and Change in an Age of Global Conflict 560–561		11.5
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2	125	Topic 9.2 Rebuilding Europe	Rebuilding Europe 571–576		12.3 12.4
3	126	Topic 9.3 The Cold War	The Cold War 577–584		12.3 12.4
4–5	127–128	Topic 9.4 Two Superpowers Emerge	Two Superpowers Emerge 585–596		12.1 12.2 12.4 12.5 13.1 13.4
6	129	Topic 9.5 Postwar Nationalism, Ethnic Conflict, and Atrocities	Postwar Nationalism, Ethnic Conflict, and Atrocities 597–602		13.2 13.3 13.4
7	130	Topic 9.6 Contemporary Western Democracies	Contemporary Western Democracies 603–607		14.1 14.2
8	131	Topic 9.7 The Fall of Communism	The Fall of Communism 608–614		12.5 12.6 15.2
9	132	Topic 9.8 20th-Century Feminism	20th-Century Feminism 615–621		14.4

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11	134	Topic 9.10 The European Union	The European Union 628–633		15.3 15.4
12	135	Topic 9.11 Migration and Immigration	Migration and Immigration 634–638		13.4 15.1
13	136	Topic 9.12 Technology	Technology 639–644		14.2 14.4
14	137	Topic 9.13 Globalization	Globalization 645–649		14.2 14.4 15.4
15	138	Topic 9.14 20th- and 21st-Century Culture, Arts, and Demographic Trends	20th- and 21st-Century Culture, Arts, and Demographic Trends 650–663		14.3 15.4
16	139	Topic 9.15 Continuity and Change in the 20th and 21st Centuries	Continuity and Change in the 20th and 21st Centuries 664–665		11.5 14.5
17	140		Unit 9 Assessment 666–671		