

TimeShift America Secondary Learning Objectives

TimeShift America's educational video lessons, and its website content, are appropriate for **grades 7-12** in the Social Studies courses of **United States History**, **Geography**, **Civics**, **Economics**, and especially **Michigan History**.

Lesson Timeframe and Guidance: From thirty minutes through one week.
Using some, or all, of the Supplemental Assessments and resources on www.timeshiftamerica.com allows each teacher to determine the depth of content to be taught and the amount of time to be allocated.

Lesson Planning: Viewing the website's educational resources and using the *Supplemental Assessments*, teachers can create in-classroom, blended, or remote asynchronous lesson plans with objectives that are appropriate for their course(s) and students' individual abilities.

Each lesson includes:

- Featured Video Lesson
- Introductory Video summarizing the lesson's themes and compelling questions
- Overview Webpage with a Google Map and GPS Data
- Fun Interactive Quiz
- Links to Extend Learning
- Educational Resources Page
- Webpage of Supporting Documents that appear in each video
- An Educator Portal with Answer Key to the Supplemental Assessments

Teacher guided and student-led learning within the *C3 Framework* and *Inquiry Arc* can be achieved by extending lessons. It allows for deeper content learning and encourages students to think like a historian, geographer, economist, and policy-maker.

From group discussion and structured academic debate to student-centered learning, teachers will be able to foster a collaborative environment with students that supports inquiry-based learning by utilizing the resources provided by *TimeShift America*.

The historical and multidisciplinary resources provided along with the videos will enhance critical thinking skills and develop a greater understanding of the world, both globally and locally. They comply with the *Michigan K-12 Social Studies Standards*, which was used as a guide in creating these lessons.

Responding to the changing educational landscape, the topics here are culturally responsive with rich and authentic local connections that students can easily relate to. In association with *Cultural Education Consultants of Michigan, LLC*, and educators across the state, *TimeShift America LLC* is committed to teaching beyond the textbook and *Bringing History to Life*TM.