**United States History**

**Mrs. Stafstrom**

**Unit 2 - The Civil War**

**Chapter 10 Sectional Conflict Intensifies**

**Chapter 11 – Civil War**

**Chapter 12 Reconstruction**

Unit 2 - Essential Questions

1. Was the Civil War inevitable?
2. Does Abraham Lincoln deserve to be called the “Great Emancipator”?
3. Was the Civil War worth its costs?

Timeframe

Week of Oct 13 – Chapter 10, 1850 – 1860

Week of Oct 20 – Research question

Week of Oct 27 – Civil War

Week of Nov 3 – Civil War and Reconstruction

Student Focus Questions

What were the causes of the war?

In what ways were North and South divided?

Did slavery cause the Civil War?

Why didn’t the North and South compromise to avoid civil war?

How did Lincoln’s attitudes towards slavery change during the war?

How did Lincoln’s leadership contribute to the outcome of the war?

In what ways was the Civil War the first “modern war”?

Why did the North win the Civil War?

What was the role of African Americans in the war and how did the war affect slavery?

Activities

Creating and answering research question on Civil War

*Uncle Tom’s Cabin* reading

Lincoln on slavery

John Brown’s last statement

Gettysburg Address

Emancipation Proclamation

Second Inaugural Address

Chapter 10, Matrix

Chapter 11 Outline

Map exercise

Civil War film

Reconstruction readings

Timeline of major events

various notes

Vocabulary

**Chapter 10 – Sectional Conflicts Intensifies**

California gold rush

Forty-Niners

secession

succession

Compromise of 1850

popular sovereignty

slave trade

Fugitive Slave Act

*Uncle Tom’s Cabin*

bounty

Underground Railroad

conductors

transcontinental

Kansas-Nebraska Act

territory

Bleeding Kansas

border ruffians

Republican Party

Free soil

*Dred Scott* decision

John Brown

Harper’s Ferry Raid

election of 1860

electoral college

insurrection

civil war

confederation

arsenal

Confederate States of America

state’s rights

inauguration

Fort Sumter

border states

Henry Clay

Harriet Beecher Stowe

Harriet Tubman

Daniel Webster

John Brown

Stephen Douglas

John C. Calhoun

Abraham Lincoln

**Chapter 11 – The Civil War**

Conscription

contraband

Copperheads

habeas corpus

volleys

bayonets

rifles

cannon

artillery

ironclads

minie ball

cartridge

Anaconda Plan

attrition

blockade

Battle of Antietam

Battle of Shiloh

Emancipation Proclamation

siege

Siege of Vicksburg

Battle of Gettysburg

Gettysburg Address

Pickett’s Charge

Election of 1864

13th Amendment

Appomattox Courthouse

assassination

conspiracy

execution

military court

Abraham Lincoln

Jefferson Davis

Ulysses S. Grant

Robert E. Lee

John Wilkes Booth

**Chapter 12 Reconstruction**

Freedman’s Bureau

Radical Republicans

Reconstruction Plans

Thaddeus Stevens

Andrew Johnson

Compromise of 1877

Tenure of Office Act

Johnson’s Impeachment

Scalawags

Carpetbaggers

Black Codes

Ku Klux Klan

Sharecroppers

Tenant farmers

Jim Crow Laws

Solid South

Grandfather Clause

redemption