**American History**

**Civil War Unit**

**Learning Targets**

1. I can examine and analyze primary sources
2. I can use evidence to support an argument
3. I can locate and read multiple accounts and perspectives

**Big Idea**

Should US citizens have the right to no longer be a part of their government?

**Key Questions**

* How did the events in the 1850s lead up to the Civil War? Describe the events and their impact on the Civil War.
* Identify and describe the causes and the key events of the Civil War. Analyze the resultant political, social, and economic consequences.
* What were the goals of Reconstruction? Were they achieved?

**Notes**

* Cornell Notes from [Hippocampus](2%29%09http%3A/www.hippocampus.org/HippoCampus/History%20%26%20Government;jsessionid=CC7EA6ACBC4D855A47692B40E2CC5553)
* Election of 1860
	+ What led to the election of Abraham Lincoln?
* Southern Succession
	+ Why did the South want to succeed? What actions did they take to get ready before firing the first shots?
* Mobilization
	+ How did the North and South mobilize (create armies for war)?
	+ Give examples of people that felt conflicted about the war.

**Text Assignments**

* Chapter 8 Chapter Review
* Chapter 9 Chapter Review
* Chapter 10 Chapter Review

**Project**

Looking Through Someone Else’s Eyes

<http://www.eyewitnesstohistory.com/19frm.htm>