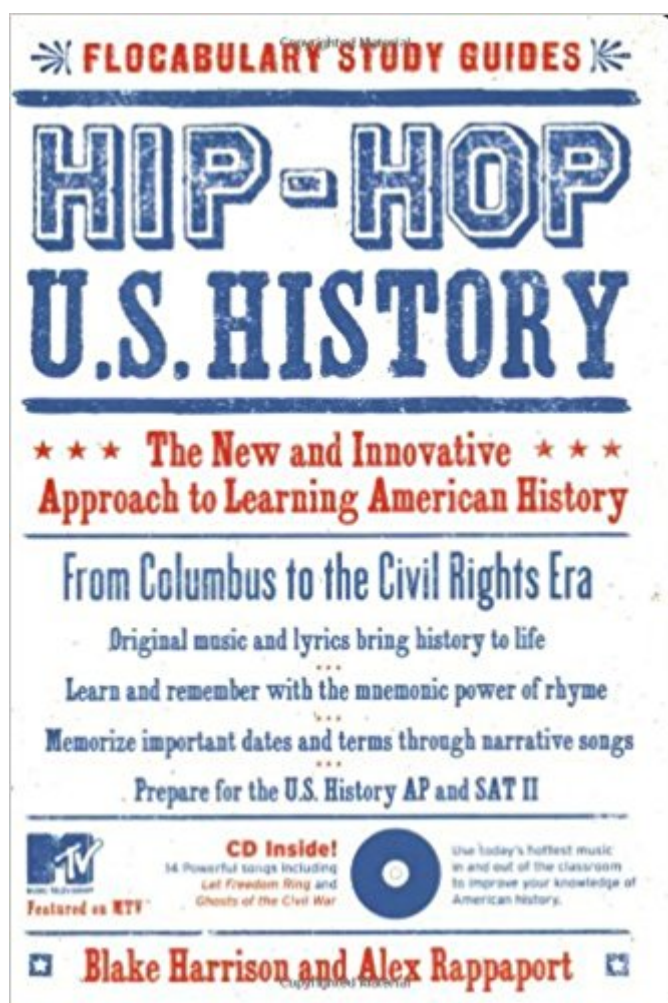


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Hip-Hop U.S. History: The New And Innovative Approach To Learning American History (Flocabulary Study Guides)



Synopsis

Flocabulary has taken the educational world by storm. It's a dynamic new tool for teaching and learning. Now teens can hip-hop their way to history success! Featuring an audio CD with 45 minutes of original, educational, and cutting-edge music, this latest entry in the innovative Flocabulary series turns U.S. history "from pre-Colonial days through World War II" into an enjoyable experience. No more yawning through lists of dull, dry dates: this effective and engaging combination of rhythm and rhyme makes remembering the basic curriculum as easy as apple pie. The topics range from the first meeting between the Native Americans and the European explorers to the Seeds of Revolution (œTaxin™ and Representin™•), from Lincoln and the Civil War to the Industrial Revolution, from the Great Depression to Bombs Over Berlin. It's perfect for any student preparing for the AP placement test or the SAT II.

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Innovative Hip-Hop uses original raps to introduce U.S. history. The songs are performed, along with high-quality original music, on an accompanying CD, but the book can stand alone. In chapters that move from Columbus' voyage to America through the civil rights movement, the authors expand on each rap's lyrics with insights, quotes, and solid facts. Appendixes include a guide to cultural references and the full text of the Declaration of Independence. Creative and dedicated to serious instruction, this title in the author's Flocabulary series makes history relevant to kids' lives and will

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Okay, I'm a fifth grade teacher, so if you teach an 8th grade or Junior class, this may be for you. The CD and lyrics - while a cool idea - were too angry for my kids. I know there's a lot of sucky things in the past that I teach and talk about, but the music presented it in an angry manner. I liked that the lyrics talked about these issues, but wished it could have been in a somewhat different manner.

I used it in my High School History class, and the kids think its weirdly hilarious! They are definitely engaged in the content while listening!

This sounded like a fantastic resource. When I played it in class,however, neither I nor my 8th grade students wanted to hear it again. If they aren't listening, they won't learn from it. I thought it was too "hard" and loud, and, surprisingly, my diverse class of students did, also.

It was ok, but not as good as I expected. We have been spoiled by the Hamilton Broadway play.

Better than I thought. My students love it even though it is kind of dorky. (8th graders). The students who like it the most are the one who do not pay attention to anything else. This seems to get and keep their attention.

This is such a great product that will be so useful in the classroom. It is always great to find new ideas that will engage students in learning and this will do just that. Kids will think that it is fun because it sounds like something they would listen to on the radio and it's perfect for use in schools because the kids will learn something about history from a Hip-Hop song.

Great idea, but not appropriate for my students. Not even sure appropriate for high school level. Need to be able to hear the raps before buying, I would never have purchased

This grabbed my students from the first beat....I loved it as a add on to the course material. they loved the rapps. If you teach American History or just want a fun way to learn more about it...pick it up!

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