The ‘Era of Good Feelings’ and The Jacksonian Revolution

**AP US History Assignments - October 22nd – November 1st**

**Monday, Oct 22nd.**  
*The Virginia Dynasty*  
Reading Responsibility – A Growing Economy – Sectionalism and Nationalism (8)

A. Why was there a pressing need for the Monroe Doctrine?  
B. Be able to delineate all of the mess that was the Missouri Compromise  
C. How does Marshall’s political ideology shine through his decisions?  
D. *Fletcher v. Peck, 1810*  
E. *McCullouch v. Maryland, 1819*  
F. *Dartmouth College v. Woodward, 1819*

**Tuesday, Oct 23rd.**  
*Exaggerations & Abominations*  
Reading Responsibility – Sectionalism and Nationalism – The Revival of Opposition (8)

A. The “American System” and the Election of 1824  
B. Tariff of Abominations-Abominations? To what extent? What lesson should the southerners learn?

**Wednesday, Oct 24th.**  
*The Corrupt Bargain*  
Reading Responsibility - The Revival of Opposition - End (8)

A. Jackson is elected. Why would someone like Andrew Jackson appeal to the body politic at this moment in history?

**Thursday, Oct 25th.**  
*Rebellion, Reform, and a Revitalization of Democracy*  
Reading Responsibility – The Rise of Mass Politics - “Our Federal Union” (9)

A. What is “Jacksonian Democracy”?  
B. Do you lend credence to the idea that Jackson expanded the electorate?  
C. The Dorr Rebellion and its consequences.  
D. To the Victor go the Spoils? What do you think?

**Friday, Oct 26th.**  
*Nullification-“Our Federal Union”*  
Reading Responsibility – “Our Federal Union” - The Removal of Indians (9)
A. Calhoun: Evolution or Revolution? Do you lend any credence to the idea of nullification? Qualify.
B. Webster – Hayne Debates- In what way are they discussing secession? Where do you stand at this moment in history? Are you for States’ Rights or the Federal Government?
C. Revisit Tariff of Abominations- Lesson learned?

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**Monday, Oct 29th**

*Native American “Policy”*

Reading Responsibility – The Removal of the Indians - Jackson and the Bank War (9)

A. Removal Act 1830- What do you make of it?
C. Trail of Tears- The Seminole War- What is the response to this act?

Assignment:
1. Make your way through the 1980 DBQ question / selected documents and write a thesis note card in response to the question.

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**Tuesday, Oct 30th**

*The People sir, are with me.....*

Reading Responsibility – Jackson and the Bank War - The Changing Face of American Politics (9)

A. Nicholas Biddle, Andrew Jackson, Daniel Webster & Henry Clay- Know each of their roles in the “war”
B. To what extent was this action a continuation of Jackson’s policy of helping the “small man”?
C. What profound changes will the Taney Court bring?

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**Wednesday, October 31st**

*A New Political Order*

Reading Responsibility -The Changing Face of American Politics - End (9)

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**Thursday, Nov. 1st**

*Evaluation of the Jacksonian Revolution*

Robert V. Remini – *The Jacksonian Revolution*

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**Friday, Nov 2nd**

Mental Exercise