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| **Wk** | **Class Date** | **Topic** | **Pre-Class Work** | **Homework (prepare to discuss) /Projects/Memory Work** |
| 1 | 11-Sept | What is History?Creation/Fall of Mankind | * Day 1- What is History? What was the Ancient Era, In the Beginning
* Day 2 – The Garden of Eden, Am I My Brother’s Keeper?
* Day 3 – History or Archeology? Nomad or farmer? The Fertile Crescent, The Seven Continents
 | **Memory Work to Start - Books of the Bible, Days of Creation** * Describe what the world might have been like if the Fall of Mankind had never happened.
* Name the main differences between Creation and Evolution.
* Why does it matter so much that God created the world?
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| 2 | 18-Sept | Great Flood/Early Egyptians | * Day 1 – Before the Deluge, Make Yourself an Ark
* Day 2 – The Nile River, The Land of the Pharaohs
* Day 3 – The Five Oceans
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| 3 | 25-Sept | Tower of Babel/ Early Sumerians | * Day 1 – Lest We Be Scattered, The Tigris and the Euphrates
* Day 2 – From Civilization to City-State, From City-State to Empire
* Day 3 – The Behiston Inscription, Myths form Mesopotamia, The Mediterranean Sea
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| 4 | 2-Oct | Father Abraham/Early Indians | * Day 1 – The Lyres of Ur
* Day 2 – Get Out of Your Country,
* The Jordan River, The Abrahamic Covenant
* Day 3 – Another River, Another World; Civilization or Culture
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| 5 | 9-Oct Break | Father Isaac/Old Assyria | * Day 1 – The Testing of Abraham
* Day 2 – Take a Wife for My Son Isaac, The Curse of Akka
* Day 3 – The Rise of Assyria, The Epic of Gilgamesh
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| 6 | 16-Oct | Father Jacob/Old Babylonia/Early Chinese | * Day 1 – The Birthright and Blessing
* Day 2 – The Code of Hammurabi
* Day 3 - Three Sovereigns, Five Emperors
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| 7 | 23-Oct | The Middle Kingdom/Joseph Part 1 | * Day 1 -The Robber’s Tunnel
* Day 2 – Kingdoms and Dynasties, The Rosetta Stone
* Day 3 – Jacob’s Favourite
 | **Memory to Start: The Ten Commandments, Twelve Tribes of Israel** |
| 8 | 30-Oct | Joseph, Part 2/The New Kingdom | * Day 1 – The Redemption of Judah
* Day 2 – A Pool Full of Hippos
* Day 3 – The Heretic Pharaoh
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| 9 | 6-Nov | The Exodus | * Day 1 - Another Ark
* Day 2 – Let My People Go
* Day 3 – The Valley of the Kings
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| 10 | 13-Nov Break | The 10 Commandments/Middle Assyria | * Day 1- Remember the Sabbath
* Day 2- The Tabernacle
* Day 3- The Sack of Babylon, The Cruelest Empire
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| 11 | 20-Nov | The Promise Land/Bronze Age Collapse | * Day 1- A Stiff-Necked People; Arise; Go Over this Jordan
* Day 2- The Battle of Kadesh; Hitties versus Assyrians
* Day 3- The Sea Peoples; The End of Civilization
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| 12 | 27-Nov | The Judges of Israel/Africa beyond Egypt | * Day 1- They forsook the Lord
* Day 2- The Kinsman Redeemer
* Day 3- Regions of Africa; The Land of Punt
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| 13 | 4-Dec | The Philistines/ Samuel, Saul and David | * Day 1 – Regions of Israel
* Day 2 – Speak for Your Servant Hears
* Day 3 – The Giant Killer; The Lord’s Anointed
 | **Memory Work to start: Micah 6:6-8** |
| 14 | 11-Dec | David and Solomon/The Phoenicians | * Day 1 – The Son of Jesse; The City of David
* Day 2 – O Absalom My Son, My Son; Cut Down Cedars for me from Lebanon
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| 15 | 18-Dec Break | Israel vs. Judah/New Assyria, Part 1 | * Day 1 – Back to the Dark Ages; Assyria versus Aram
* Day 2 – For in Much Wisdom is Much Grief
* Day 3 – The Worst Assyrian
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| 16 | 25-DecBreak | Ahab vs. Elijah/ New Assyria Part 2 | * Day 1 -The Man of God, The Still Small Voice
* Day 2 – The End of Jezebel
* Day 3 – The Return of Shalmaneser III
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| 17 | 1-JanBreak | The Fall of Israel/Early Greeks Part 1 | * Day 1 – The Line of Jehu
* Day 2 – My God Will Cast Them Away, Hosea, Joel and Amos
* Day 3 – Regions of Greece, The Palaces of Crete
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| 18 | 8-JanNo class (Field Trip) | Judah vs. Assyria/The Trojan War | * Day 1 – The Son of Ahaz
* Day 2 – The Destruction of Sennacherib, The Dust of Babylon
* Day 3 – Island Groups of Greece, For the Love of Helen
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| 19 | 15-Jan | The Falls of Assyria and Judah/ Early Greeks Part 2 | * Day 1 – The Library of Ashurbanipal, The Fall of Ninevah
* Day 2 – The Battle of Megiddo
* Day 3 – The Battle Carchemish, The Whole >and Shall be Desolate, The Maski of Agamemnon
 | **Memory Work to Start: 7 Wonders of the Ancient World, 1 Samuel 16:5b-7** |
| 20 | 22-Jan | New Babylonia/First Persian Empire/The Greek Dark Age | * Day 1 – The Hanging Gardens of Babylon
* Day 2 - The Babylonian Captivity, The Writing on the Wall
* Day 3 – The Dream of Astyages, The Greek Dark Ages
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| 21 | 29-Jan | Cyrus the Great; Ezra and Nehemiah; Early Romans | * Day 1 – As Rich as Croesus
* Day 2 – Cyrus’ Edict
* Day 3 – The Italian Peninsula
* Romulus vs. Remus, Sevel Hills, Seven Kings
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| 22 | 5-FebBreak | Sparta and Athens; Darius the Great; Esther | * Day 1 – The Archaic Age, The Law of Lycurgus
* Day 2 – Two Lawgivers of Athens, The imposter on the Throne
* Day 3 – For Such a Time As This
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| 23 | 12-Feb | The Persian Wars | * Day 1 – Hoplites and Triremes, From Tyranny to Democracy
* Day 2 – Earth and Water, The Ionian Revolt, The Battle of Marathon
* Day 3 – A Treacherous and Bring Stream, The Battle Thermopylae, the Battle of Salmis
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| 24 | 19-Feb | Classical Greece; Early Americans | * Day 1 – The Battle of Plataea, The Classical Age
* Day 2 – The Peloponnesian War
* Day 3 – The Nazca Lines
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| 25 | 26-Feb | Alexander the Great | * Day 1- The King’s Peace, Enter the Macedonians
* Day 2- The Second Achilles
* Day 3- The End of the Road, The Wars of the Successors
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| 26 | 5-MarBreak | Dynasties of Ancient China; Heroes of the Roman Republic  | * Day 1- From Dynasty to Dynasty
* Day 2- Horatius at the Bridge
* Day 3- Life in Roman Times
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| 27 | 12-Mar | Empires of Ancient India; the Struggle of the Orders | * Day 1- The Rig Veda, The Mahavira and the Buddha
* Day 2- The First Indian Empires
* Day 3- Ten Tribunes, Twelve Tablets
 | **Memory Work to Start: Psalm 1** |
| 28 | 19-Mar | The Punic Wars | * Day 1- The Punic Wars, The Pyrrhic Wars
* Day 2- Trouble on Sicily, Enter Hannibal
* Day 3- The Battle of Cannae, The Battle of Zama, The Maccabean Revolt
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| 29 | 26-Mar | The Macedonian Wars; Julius Caesar | * Day 1- The Romans in Greece, Carthage Must Be Destroyed
* Day 2- Best Men versus Men of the People
* Day 3- The Die is Cast
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| 30 | 2-AprBreak | The End of the Republic; the Coming of the Messiah | * Day 1- Beware the Ides of March, The Second Triumvirate
* Day 2- Antony’s Civil War, From Republic to Empire
* Day 3- Man of Sorrows, In Bethlehem of Judea (30A)
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| 31 | 9-Apr | The Pax Romana; the Ministry of Jesus | * Day 1- The Julio Claudian Dynasty
* Day 2- For Where Your Treasure Is
* Day 3- Father Forgive Them, The Seventh Trail (31A)
 | **Memory Work to Start: Twelve Apostles, Apostles’s Creed** |
| 32 | 16-Apr | The Worst Roman Emperor; the Great Jewish Revolt | * Day 1- The Last Julio-Claudian
* Day 2- The Siege of Jerusalem
* Day 3- No required readings
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| 33 | 23-Apr | The Early Church; the Crisis of the Third Century | * Day 1- But You Shall Receive Power
* Day 2- Christians versus Romans
* Day 3- The Five Good Emperors, the Year of the Five Emperors, The Humiliation of Valerian
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| 34 | 30-AprNo Class | The Fall of the Western Roman Empire - Celebration Day | * Day 1- From One Empire to Two
* Day 2- The Edict of Decius; A Christian Emperor
* Day 3- The Great Migration, Epilogue
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