

APUSH
2015 Redesign

Period/Unit	Date Range	Approximate Percentage of ...	
		Instructional Time	AP Exam
1	1491 – 1607	5%	5%
2	1607 – 1754	10%	45%
3	1754 – 1800	12%	
4	1800 – 1848	10%	
5	1844 – 1877	13%	
6	1865 – 1898	13%	45%
7	1890 – 1945	17%	
8	1945 – 1980	15%	
9	1980 – present	5%	5%

Exam Format
2018 Revisions

Section	Time	% of Score
55 Multiple Choice	55 min.	40%
3 SAQs	40 min.	20%
1 DBQ	15 min. planning 45 min. writing	25%
1 Essay (LEQ)	5 min. planning 35 min. writing	15%