History(Expansion)

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Unit Overview	Content Elaborations	Unit Resources

Students will learn that westward expansion contributed to economic and industrial development, debates over sectional issues, war with Mexico and the displacement of American Indians.	*Expansion continued after War of 1812 and contributed to economic development
	
	*As country expanded, it developed into distinct economic and cultural characteristics. Slavery was a controversial issue for new areas.
	
	*Growth of the United States encroached upon Mexico. The annexation of Texas, efforts to purchase Mexian territory and disputes over the Texas-Mexico border led to the Mexian War.
	
	*Displacement of American Indians from their native lands through various means including forced removal and military actions
		Instructional Resources
		   -New Perspective on the West(Website)
		   -Teaching with Documents: The Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo (Website)
		   -Values and Beliefs of Manifest Destiny(Website)
		
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Unit Vocabulary nominating conventions, Jacksonian Democracy, Democratic party, John C. Calhoun, spoils system, Martin Van Burn, Kitchen Cabinet, Tariff of Abominations, states rights doctrine, nullification crisis, Daniel Webster, McCulloch v. Maryland, Whig party, Panic of 1837, William Henry Harrison, Indian Removal Act, Indian Territory, Bureau of Indian Affairs, sequoya, Worcester vs. Georgia, Trail of Tears, Black Hawk, Osceola	**Enduring Understandings (Big Ideas)** *The expansion of voting rights and the election of Andrew Jackson signaled the growing power of the American People. *Andrew Jackson's presidency was marked by political conflicts. *President Jackson supported a policy of Indian removal.	Connections

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