

## History (Civil War and Reconstruction)

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End Date : January 10, 2014

<p>Unit Overview</p> <p>Students will learn that the Reconstruction period resulted in changes to the U.S. Constitution, an affirmation of federal authority and lingering social and political differences.</p>	<p>Content Elaborations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>* Union won Civil War and Reconstruction period began for South.</li><li>*Reconstruction took place in part with the passage of the 13th, 14th, and 15th Amendments. They ended slavery and attempted to protect rights of freedmen.</li><li>*Reconstruction resulted in resentments and new issues.</li></ul>	<p>Unit Resources</p> <p>Instructional Resources</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Lesson Plans:The Battle over Reconstruction (Website)</li><li>-Opposing Views on Reconstruction (website)</li><li>-SC Black Codes: A lesson on Reconstruction Legislation and Amendments.</li><li>-Lesson Plan: Louisiana Black Code</li></ul>
<p>Unit Vocabulary</p> <p>Reconstruction, Ten Percent Plan, Thirteenth Amendment, Freedmen's Bureau, Andrew Johnson, Black Codes, Radical Republicans, Thaddeus Stevens, Civil Rights Act of 1866, Fourteenth Amendment, Reconstruction Acts, impeachment, Fifteenth Amendments, Hiram Revels, Ku Klux Klan, Compromise of 1877, poll tax, segregation, Jim Crow Laws, Plessy vs. Ferguson, sharecropping</p>	<p>Enduring Understandings (Big Ideas)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>*The nation faced many problems in rebuilding the Union.</li><li>*The return to power of the pre-war southern leadership led Republicans in Congress to take control of Reconstruction.</li><li>*As Reconstruction ended, African Americans faced new hurdles and the South attempted to rebuild.</li></ul>	<p>Connections</p>
<p>Student Assessment</p>	<p>Unit Reflection</p>	