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HISTORY DAY PLANNING FOR SUCCESS

1 MAIN IDEAS & CONTENT

List the most important topics, ideas, and concepts addressed in the course.

2 OVERARCHING THEMES

Review the above list. What overarching themes, concepts, or patterns run throughout the source?

3 COURSE LEVEL INQUIRY

Choose one main theme. Phrase it as an overarching Inquiry question that could frame your course. Think about the big idea that you would want students to remember from your course. You are encouraged to brainstorm multiple possible approaches.

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4 UNIT FOCUS QUESTIONS

Select your best Course Level Question. For each unit, state the main topics covered, the target skills, and opportunities for History Day integration.

COURSE LEVEL QUESTION:

UNIT THEME	UNIT TOPICS	TARGET SKILLS	CONNECTION TO HISTORY DAY

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YEARLONG APPROACH

Please outline how you will distribute History Day throughout the school year.

AUGUST	
SEPTEMBER	
OCTOBER	
NOVEMBER	
DECEMBER	
JANUARY	
FEBRUARY	
MARCH	