

## US History Unit 2 Objectives

In order to successfully complete this unit, you will need to:

1. Describe the opportunities and challenges presented to miners and ranchers in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century American west. (6.1.4)
  - a. Additional Terms – Chisholm Trail
  - b. Text Location – Section 12.2
2. Explain the growth of railroads in the west and identify its effect on workers and companies. (F2.1)
  - a. Additional Terms – transcontinental railroad, lobbyist, Pacific Railway Act
  - b. Text Location – Section 12.3
3. Describe the effects of US expansion on Native American tribes in the west. (6.1.4)
  - a. Additional Terms – reservations, Sand Creek, Wounded Knee, assimilation, Dawes Act
  - b. Text Location – Section 12.4
4. Compare and contrast the opportunities and challenges for various groups of settlers in the west. (6.1.4)
  - a. Additional Terms – Homestead Act, Exodusters
  - b. Text Location – Section 12.5
5. Use an allegory to identify and explain the major leaders and views of the Populist movement. (6.3.1)
  - a. Additional Terms – populism, monetary policy, gold standard, bimetallism, Populist Party, William Jennings Bryan
  - b. Text Location – Section 12.6

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## Important Dates for Unit 2: Westward Expansion

<u>Date</u>	<u>Assignment Due</u>	<u>Objective</u>
9/25	Notes on miners and ranchers (in class)	2.1
9/26	Notes on RR owners/workers (HW) <i>America: Story of Us</i> – “Heartland” (in class)	2.2
9/27	Slides/Notes on Native Americans (in class)	2.3
9/28	Finish Changes/Conflict Table (HW)	2.4
10/1	Slides/Notes on Populism (in class)	2.5
10/2	Lesson 12 Online Game (HW)	
10/3	<b>UNIT 2 QUIZ</b>	