

# FUNDAMENTAL *URBAN* H.S. INSTRUCTIONAL OPTIONS



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'SAMPLE' (4/14 SLIDES)

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# Teaching Methods

➤ Select a variety of these procedures to complement students' learning traits:

➤ 1 ~ oral presentation/'lecturing'

➤ introduction of topic

➤ discussion

➤ reviewing



\*\*\* *least recommended*: requires auditory/motivated/attentive learners

# Sample Teaching Methods: U.S. History

- 1 ~ oral presentation/'lecturing'
- Topic: 'Civil War & Reconstruction'
- summarize worksheet facts
- highlight significant details
- homework: watch Ken Burns' video

**Civil War & Reconstruction** \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**A. Vocabulary.** Use the word bank to complete each sentence.

due process   secession   Emancipation Proclamation   equal protection   Reconstruction

- In the \_\_\_\_\_, Lincoln announced that all slaves in the South were freed.
- The period of rebuilding after the Civil War is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ crisis occurred when eleven southern states declared their independence from the United States.
- The 14th Amendment says that the government must treat all people the same way. This idea is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- Fair treatment by the government, or \_\_\_\_\_, comes in two types: substantive (what the law says) and procedural (how the law is enforced).

**B. Taking Sides.** Match the quote with who probably said it.

"I grow cotton, but I can't afford to own slaves. If they are freed, they might try to take my job!"

"I think slavery is terrible! Slavery is not needed and should be illegal! The government should do something about this!"

"Slaves are necessary to my cotton business. The government shouldn't tell me how to run my plantation!"

Northern Abolitionist   Southern Slave Owner   Poor Southern Farmer

**C. Confederacy or Union?** Connect the person or term with the correct side of the war.

**The North**  
United States of America (USA)  
President: Abraham Lincoln  
Soldier Nickname: Billy Yank (Yankee)  
President: Jefferson Davis  
National Capital: Richmond, VA  
Soldier Nickname: Johnny Reb (Rebel)  
National Capital: Washington, DC

**The South**  
The Confederate States of America (CSA)

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# Teaching Methods

- 4 ~ small – group instruction
- science lab
- cooperative learning task
- team project



\*\*\* *promotes* problem solving/engagement

# Teaching Methods

- 6 ~ monitoring class
- supervising tasks
- assisting/supporting
- managing behavior

\*\*\* *develops independence*

