

Week One: Monday Jan 10 to Sunday Jan 16

Complete Orientation: Read online Syllabus & Instructions under "Content"

Read: Ch. 1-2. in McPherson, *Ordeal by Fire*.

Chapter One: American Modernization, 1800-1860

Chapter Two: The Antebellum South

See "Content"; then "Week One" then "Assigned Readings"—follow this pattern each week

[NOTE—the terms and questions assigned for each chapter become test items on the midterm and final]

Q & A Discussions as needed [click Discussions--upper navigation bar]

Weekly research progress discussions required [click Discussions--upper navigation bar]

Always ask any questions you have ☺

Research Progress: Note that each week you also must make some progress on your research paper, else you lose points!!