

United States History Vocab: 1607 - 2014

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American System	Virginia & Kentucky Resolutions
Democratic-Republicans	Jefferson's Theory of Nullification
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Era of Good Feelings	Horace Mann
Jacksonian Democracy	Temperance Movement
Industrial Revolution	Abolitionist Movement
Henry Clay	19 th century American women's suffrage movement
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Eli Whitney	Seneca Falls Conference
Cotton Gin	Susan B. Anthony
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President Andrew Jackson	Ralph Waldo Emerson
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