

## CNEF

## CNEF (Cornell Notes & Evidence Flowchart) for All Chapters in *Liberty, Equality, Power* textbook (Revised on September 2, 2014)

Requirements: All CNEFs must be completed according to the following guidelines:

- On notebook paper (college or wide-ruled) stapled together;
- Hand-written legibly (illegible work will receive no credit);
- Use blue or black pen only (pencil is o.k. for CNEF homework, but not for tests or other writing assignments);
- First Name and Last Name, Class Hour, and Date written in upper right-hand corner;
- Use your own words and focus on quality not quantity.

AP U.S. History is a college-level class. Your work will be graded on its quality not quantity: accuracy, clarity, and providing sufficient and relevant evidence all count in order to earn full credit. You are also responsible for understanding everything you are assigned to read in the textbook for assessments, regardless of whether or not it is discussed during class time.

## **Cornell Notes:**

Write high quality Cornell Notes on the textbook chapter. Taking good notes from the text *does not* mean robotically copying the text (that is a waste of time). It requires thinking, close reading, organizing and rewording the key ideas in your own words, *the way you think*.

## **Evidence Flowchart:**

Create a detailed flowchart of evidence from our textbook that supports your viewpoint for the big debate question for the assigned chapter (e.g. for Chapter 17: Was Reconstruction a failure?).

For every "EV+R" on the flowchart you must include the following:

EV: page # ("pg. 514"), 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> column ("col. 2"), paragraph # ("par. 3"), what the evidence is ("amnesty for officials") relevant evidence might include: a quote, fact, event, chart, graph, photo, poster, political cartoon, map, data, etc.

R: Reasoning – i.e. how does that evidence prove your supporting argument.

→ sa1	$\rightarrow$ EV+R
	$\rightarrow$ EV+R
$(LE) \rightarrow TS \rightarrow sa2$	→ EV+R pg. 515, col. 1, par. 3 "no southern state convention enfranchised a single black" → (Continuous period) The right to vote is the most important right of citizenship and it was denied during this period.
	→ EV+R
→ sa3	→ EV+R → EV+R