

Ethnic Studies: African American Studies

Board Proposal



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Overview

The State Board of Education approved the following course on April 17, 2020.

Just like the Ethnic Studies: Mexican American Studies course, this is an elective course, where students learn about the history and cultural contributions of African Americans. This course is designed to assist students in understanding issues and events from multiple perspectives. This course develops an understanding of the historical roots of African American culture, especially as it pertains to social, economic, and political interactions within the broader context of United States history.

Recommended Audience & Campus Implementation :

This course is recommended for 10th - 12th grade students.

It is recommended campuses offer at least one section of the course per year. Any history certified teacher would be allowed to teach this course.