# **US History EOCT GPS**

## **Glossary**

Industrialization, Reform, and Imperialism

This category of vocabulary will make up approximately 16% of the test.

Students will understand concepts associated with the growth of US Industry, the Progressive Era, and territorial expansion.

The following is a list of carefully matched vocabulary terms for this section of the test/exam.

## **Assembly Line**

This is a manufacturing process that uses interchangeable parts added in sequence to create a finished product.

#### **Chinese Exclusion Act**

This law, passed in 1882, forbade any laborers from China to enter the United States for 10 years.

#### **Eugene Debs**

He was a US labor leader who ran for president as a member of the Socialist Party and was jailed during the Pullman Strike.

#### **Great Migration**

This was the large movement of African Americans from the Southern U.S. to the Northern U.S. in the early-20th century.

#### **Henry Ford**

This was the founder of an automobile company and the first person to apply assembly line manufacturing to affordable automobiles.

#### **Latin America**

This is the part of the Western hemisphere where languages derived from Latin (usually Spanish or Portuguese) are the primary language.

#### Panama Canal

This connects the Atlantic and Pacific oceans through Central America.

### **Roosevelt Corollary**

This policy reasserted the U.S. position as protector of the Western Hemisphere.

#### Socialism

an economic system where the government controls the major means of production but property and other businesses may be privately owned

#### Spanish American War

This was a conflict in which the U.S. gained many island territories, especially Puerto Rico and the Philippines.

