Fort Davis National Historic Site

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Curriculum Materials Grades 9-12

Teacher Notes: Introduction

Dear Teacher:

Thank you for using these curriculum materials. Student activities are designed to acquaint students with Fort Davis prior to their on-site visit, or can be used as follow-up after a visit. These lessons can also be used to teach concepts such as western expansion and frontier settlement without visiting Fort Davis National Historic Site.

The lessons provide students a multi-disciplinary framework to encourage development of skills in a wide range of content areas necessary to succeed in state and national testing. Included are many resources aimed at enhancing students' learning experience. Adapt and use the units according to your students' needs. Present information in the manner and time frame you find most appropriate for your class.

We always welcome your feedback about our curriculum materials.

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