

**ENCOUNTERS AND EXCHANGES IN U.S. HISTORY
HISTORY BOOK DISCUSSION STUDY GROUP**

Book List and Schedule

Books are listed in the order that they will be read

Books will be provided for participants

Year One Theme: *Exploring Conflict and Consensus Among Peoples from the American Colonies to the New Republic*

Book List - For Reading, Danvers, North Reading and 10th grade teachers from Lowell

Calloway, Colin, ed. *The World Turned Upside Down: Indian Voices from Early America*. The Bedford Series in History and Culture, 1994.

Demos, John. *The Unredeemed Captive: A Family Story from Early America*. New York: Knopf Publishers, 1994.

Franklin, Benjamin. *The Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin*. New York: Simon and Schuster, 2004 edition.

St. John de Crevecoeur, Hector. *Letters from an American Farmer and Sketches of Eighteenth Century America*. Dover Publications, 2005 edition.

McCullough, David. *1776*. New York: Simon and Schuster, 2006.

Book List - For 3rd grade teachers from Lowell

The other two selections of historical fiction will be determined by the participants.

Raphael, Ray. *Founding Myths: Stories that Hide Our Patriotic Past*. New York: The New Press, reprint 1996.

Ellis, Joseph. *Founding Brothers: The Revolutionary Generation*. New York: Knopf Publishing Group, reprint 2002.

Fischer, David Hackett. *Paul Revere's Ride*. New York: Oxford University Press, 1995.

Meeting Schedule, Year One 2006-2007

LOWELL – NOVEMBER 1, DECEMBER 13, JANUARY 3, FEBRUARY 7, MARCH 7, APRIL 4, MAY 2 FROM 2:45 P.M. TO 4:45 P.M. AT THE HIGH SCHOOL (for 10th grade teachers), FROM 3:30 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M. (for 3rd grade teachers) AT THE BARTLETT COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP SCHOOL

READING – NOVEMBER 6, DECEMBER 6, JANUARY 8, FEBRUARY 5, MARCH 5, APRIL 2, MAY 7 FROM 3:15 P.M TO 5:15 P.M. AT THE RMHS TEACHERS' LUNCH ROOM

DANVERS – NOVEMBER 8, DECEMBER 4, JANUARY 10, FEBRUARY 14, MARCH 14, APRIL 11, MAY 9 FROM 3:30 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M. (LOCATION TO BE ANNOUNCED)

NORTH READING – NOVEMBER 13, DECEMBER 11, JANUARY 22, FEBRUARY 12, MARCH 12, APRIL 9, MAY 14, FROM 3:30 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M. (LOCATION TO BE ANNOUNCED)

FEBRUARY & MARCH DATES ARE TENTATIVE

