

APUSH DOCUMENT ANALYSIS

H	<p><u>Historical Context</u> What are the <u>immediate</u> historical events that shaped/triggered this document? What is the environment of ideas, attitudes, + emotions behind the creation of the document?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•
A	<p><u>Audience</u> For whom (specifically, generally, logically) was the document intended? What details in the document help you attribute the audience?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•
P	<p><u>Point of View</u> Who (specifically, generally, logically) wrote/produced the doc? Is there a reference to the author's POV (i.e. his/her professional, racial, gender, social background) in the document bi-line? If not, can you infer it? What details in the document reflect the author's POV?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•
P	<p><u>Purpose</u> Why was the document created? What elements in the document help you to determine its purpose? How does the author's point of view shape the document's purpose AND/OR How does the format of the document shape its purpose? (e.g. Is a visual/photo more emotional than an essay?)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•
Y	<p><u>'Y' is The Document Significant?</u> How does the document impact/shape/reflect popular arguments on the subject? How does the document reflect 'continuity or change over time' (C-COT)? What are the limitations of the document? (Is the document credible?)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•