Preread:
- Skim and Scan rest of the chapter. Be sure to pay attention to section headings, subheadings, maps, illustrations.

Read:
Post Reading: Answer the following questions
A Harvest of Blood: Native Peoples Dispossessed
Why did corruption occur among whites in charge of Indian Reservations?

What factors led to warfare between whites and native people on the plains?

Describe what happened at Sand Creek, Colorado:

Massacre or Battle and why?

What was the Native response and why was it successful?

By 1868 what was the status of Natives on the Plains?

What White mindset was difficult for Grant’s reformers to overcome?

Why was acculturation/assimilation used on younger Native Americans:

Lone Wolf v Hitchcock (1903):

Ex Parte Crow Dog:
Dawes Severalty Act:

Explain the “Reservation System”:

Why did the Dawes Act get rid of this system and was it successful?

Successes of US Government Indian Policy:

Failures of US Government Indian Policy:

Besides the Sioux, by the 1870’s what happened to most tribes?

Sitting Bull:

What was Custer trying to accomplish against Sitting Bull and the Sioux?

Battle of the Little Big Horn:

What happened to the last holdouts such as the Nez Perces and Apaches?

To what extent did Native Americans begin to assimilate after the end of armed resistance?

How was the Ghost Dance an example of cultural blending?

What happened at Wounded Knee?
Massacre or Battle?

How did Buffalo Bill Wild Cody romanticize the West?

Frederick Jackson Turner:

The Turner Thesis:

Why was the Frontier such an important part of American Identity?

How does this tie into “Manifest Destiny”?

How was Sherman’s military life a metaphor for the American Empire?