**CHAPTER 12 STUDY GUIDE – APUSH**

***Directions:*** For the “idea” questions, answer with bulleted cold, hard facts to support that idea. Answer the other questions as normal.

**Monday**

1. How was the work of James Fenimore Cooper the culmination of an effort to produce a truly American literature? What did his work suggest about the nation and its people?
2. Who were the Transcendentalists, what was their philosophy and how was it radical for the time?
3. How did Utopian communities attempt to redefined the gender roles of women.
4. Know the following about Mormons
   1. Who were they?
   2. How did they get their start?
   3. What did they believe?
   4. Why did the end up in Utah?

**Tuesday**

1. Expain the two sources of the philosophy of reform that shaped the antebellum era.
2. What gave rise to the temperance movement and what successes and failures did it have?
3. What were the problems facing public education and what types of institutions were created to deal with them?
4. How did Horace Mann revolutionize the education system

**Wednesday**

1. What basic change in the nature of family did the rise of feminism reflect?
2. Explain why the Seneca Falls Convention was an important step in the march toward gender equality (Be sure you list/know the main players in the feminist movement).

**Friday**

1. Who was William Lloyd Garrison and why is he important to the abolitionist movement?
2. What role did Black abolitionists play in the abolitionist movement?
3. Why did many Northern whites oppose abolition and what steps did they take to make their views known?
4. What was the impact of Uncle Tom’s Cabin on public perception of slavery and the tensions developing between North and South?