



What Teachers Are Saying about *Achiever Exam Prep Guide for AP® European History* by Christopher Freiler

“If you are looking for a test-prep aid or study guide for AP European History, get this one. Chris Freiler has an extensive background in test development and curriculum writing with the College Board, with a deep understanding both of the goals of the AP European curriculum and the methods of assessment, and of the realities of being a classroom teacher. Chris is also an outstanding presenter, and after many years of College Board professional development, I specifically seek out Chris when I can because I know my time will be well-invested and I will always come away with something useful. Just as importantly, he speaks and writes with clarity and precision, and is able to reduce many challenging and complex issues to understandable essentials without oversimplifying.”

Don McArthur-Self
Social Science Teacher, Maine South High School, Park Ridge, IL

“My students have really benefited from using the AP Achiever book written by Chris Freiler. Mr. Freiler is able to provide a tool that not only engages the students in European History but he also provides a number of important learning tools along the way.”

Jim Fornaciari
AP European History teacher, Glenbard West High School, Glen Ellyn, Illinois

“The AP Achiever has been required in my classroom since 2011. I know my students would not have been able to get through the AP European exam or my class without it. It is by far the best review guide on the market. Since 2011 I have a 94% pass rate and of those passing 55% got 4’s and 5’s. I know Chris Freiler and McGraw-Hill have been working tirelessly on the review guide for the redesigned test and I have no doubt it will be the best. It will be required in my classroom as long as I am teaching AP European history.”

“It’s the “bible” of the AP European History Exam”

Aaron Marcarelli
History Teacher and Coach, Oaks Christian School



"I have taught Advanced Placement European History for twenty years and have never recommended a resource other than Chris Freiler's *Achiever for AP European History*. My students have supplemented their textbook with Mr. Freiler's work for many years and consistently credit Chris with helping them better understand course content and for maximizing their AP European History national exam scores. As an AP European national exam reader since 2004 and table leader at eight readings I can state with absolute certainty that Chris Freiler is the unsurpassed expert in training readers to score student essays for this exam. Chris has served on the Test Development Committee and in the highest leadership roles at the national exam reading for two decades and this meticulous knowledge of the scoring process separates his work from many others on the market. My students universally report that his mastery of subject matter combined with his witty delivery and succinct style are more enjoyable and effective than their traditional textbook. There is no other resource that will better prepare high school students to earn the highest possible score on the AP European History national exam."

Ty Adair

Advanced Placement European History teacher, Starkville High School, Starkville, Mississippi

"I have been teaching AP European History for 14 years and can honestly say that the AP Achiever is the best review book available. The author provides a clear and concise narrative to review each topic and navigates the curriculum framework of the course with the expertise of someone who has been an integral part of the course's redesign. The book contains valuable sample questions of all types and well-explained, detailed sample responses that will help both the student and the teacher of the course better understand the expectations of the AP exam."

Kathryn Landsea

Coral Gables Senior High School, Coral Gables, Florida

"In the last several months of my A.P. European History Class, I use the Chris Freiler A.P. Achiever to review with my students. My students enjoy it, and I find it incredibly useful for their review. There is no doubt that this booklet helps students do well on their examination."

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