I will be using the following books to frame my discussion:

Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz: *An Indigenous Peoples’ History of the United States*

**Week 1**
The thinking behind assimilation and the Dawes Act
*Indigenous Peoples’ History* Ch 8 and *Major Problems* Ch 11

**Week 2**
Indian education and survival
*Major Problems* Ch 11

**Week 3**
John Collier and the Indian New Deal
*Indigenous Peoples’ History* Ch 9 and *Major Problems* Ch 12

**Week 4**
Termination
*Major Problems* 13

**Week 5**
Red Power
*Indigenous Peoples’ History* Ch 10

**Week 6**
Opposing termination and asserting self-determination
*Major Problems* 14

**Week 7**
Colonialism and its lasting legacies
*Indigenous Peoples’ History* Ch 11 and Conclusion

**Week 8**
Economic and cultural sovereignty
*Major Problems* Ch 15