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history survey courses. Most suggested that the textbook was of secondary
importance, mainly used to supply background information to students, and
they highlighted the pedagogical role of additional readings. Yet a study of
nearly eight hundred syllabi posted on the World Wide Web reveals that the
round table discussion may not be representative of how the survey is taught
at most colleges and universities in the United States. Many U.S. history
instructors appear to take a more pedestrian, by-the-book approach. They
depend heavily on a textbook, on a textbook-based course’s favorite type of
graded work—the examination—and on the conventional ways of teaching
American history that a textbook enshrines....

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