

History

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COURSE AND CONTACT INFORMATION

Location
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During this class we will cover American history from the 1500s to 1800s. We will begin with Early Exploration (Columbus and the explorers) and conclude with the American Civil War.

WHAT WE'LL COVER

IN THIS COURSE, YOU WILL

- Understand the major events that contributed to America's foundation (8.1)
- Recognize the role technology and geography played in the development of the U.S. (8.2)
- View the roles of politics in American Democracy (8.3)
- Understand the principles and ideals that influenced American society (8.6)

ASSIGNMENTS AND GRADING

55%

Tests
(3 per term)

35%

Classwork, bell ringers,
homework, & participation

10%

Common Term Assessments, 1 per term

Students will be offered the ability to **reteach/retest** when necessary. This is done after school on Tuesdays/Thursdays. A form must be signed by a parent and arrangements must be made with the teacher before a student can stay.

GOOGLE CLASSROOM:

1st Period: wdd7y5y
2nd Period: 37tptbm
3rd Period: qnqsvut
4th Period: s42moax
5th Period: izluu72
6th Period: wobhnb2



TECHNOLOGY

We will be utilizing various resources to access the Internet to research, review material, and submit assignments. Your time must be well spent.

Unless I specifically say that you may have your cell phones out, you must keep them away at all times. If I see your cell phone in class, I will take it for the remainder of the class period and contact parents. If this becomes a continual problem, discipline referrals will follow.



MASKS



Masks will be required by all staff and students. This is for the health and well-being of all our Indian Nation. Although they can be uncomfortable at times, please understand this is NOT an option! Failure to comply or wear the mask properly will result in disciplinary action per administration.

Policies

LATE WORK/MISSED DAYS



If you are absent, it is your responsibility to follow proper procedures to ensure that you receive your missing work. You will have two days to turn in assignments, if absent. After which 10 points will be taken off per day up to 5 days. After 5 days the highest grade will be a 50 provided work is completed properly.

Late assignments (not due to an absence) will receive a 50 unless time has been extended and approved by teacher.

SCHOOL-WIDE CLASSROOM DISCIPLINE PLAN

1. Be prompt!
 - Be in the classroom when the bell rings.
 - Come to school.
2. Be prepared!
 - Have all needed supplies.
 - Turn in work on time.
 - Come prepared to learn.
3. Be productive!
 - Participate in class.
 - Remain on task.
 - Do not eat, drink, or chew gum in class.
 - Do not pass or write notes.
 - Do not groom during class.
 - Follow instructions the first time they are given.
4. Be polite!
 - Respect yourself, others, and property
 - Bring a positive attitude.



CONSEQUENCES

1. Warning
2. Student Conference
3. Parent Contact (email, phone call, or written notification)
4. Behavior Reflection (parental signature required) OR After School Detention
5. Office Referral

ACADEMIC HONESTY

All work that you submit must be your own work. You may not do any of the following



- 1) Turn in or copy someone else's work.
- 2) Copy someone's work and change a few of the words.
- 3) Attempt to use any notes on a closed- note assignment.
- 4) Look at someone else's work during an quiz, test, or otherwise individual assessment. If you are doing any of the above or anything else that constitutes cheating, you will receive a zero on that assignment, and you will be referred for discipline.

OTHER CLASSROOM POLICIES:



- You may have bottled water in the classroom.
- Please raise your hand to speak.
- Do not interrupt instruction time to ask to go to the bathroom. Please wait for an appropriate time. You have five minutes between classes.
- Come prepared to class with your materials and a positive attitude.
- Arrive on time. If you are late, you will receive a verbal warning, After that, you face detentions and referrals.
- Clean up after yourself.

TERM ONE OBJECTIVES:

1. Students will define and review basic geography terms.
2. Students will plot coordinates of latitude and longitude to locate cities, countries, and other points of interest on a map.
3. Students will differentiate between primary and secondary sources.
4. Students will investigate reasons for European countries to explore.
5. Students will trace routes of European explorers to New World.
6. Students will examine reasons English settle in New World.
7. Students will describe life in 13 English colonies.
8. Students will explain events leading to American Revolution.
9. Students will identify Colonial leaders on road to American Revolution.

TENTATIVE TEST DATES TERM ONE

- Test #1
- Test #2
- Test #3
- CTA:

