

World History Syllabus

Welcome!

I'm so glad you're here! I am looking forward to a year full of exploring the people, places, and events that have created the world we know today. This will be an engaging course which will allow you to develop your historical thinking skills by reading, watching, and analyzing a variety of primary and secondary sources. Together we will work to advance your love for reading, learning, creativity, and (of course) our community at Charlotte High School!



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Remind Codes will be shared the first week of school

Course Description

World History is a Social Science course which continues the in-depth study of the history of civilizations and societies from the middle school course, including the history of civilizations and societies of North and South America. Students will be exposed to historical periods leading to the beginning of the 21st Century, will explore the relationship between cause and effect in historical events, and have the opportunity to review those fundamental ideas and events from ancient and classical civilizations.

World History is a Graduation Requirement. Final grades will be calculated by averaging quarter grades and midterm/final exam grades. World History does not currently have an EOC.

Topics

Fall Semester

- Beginnings of the Modern World
- Asia, Africa, and the Americas
- Renaissance and Reformation
- The Age of Exploration
- The Enlightenment and Scientific Revolution
- The French Revolution
- Latin American Revolutions
- The Industrial Revolution

Spring Semester

- The Age of Progress
- Imperialism
- World War I
- The Years of Crisis
- World War II
- The Cold War
- Global Terrorism

Materials

- Binder or Notebook
- Colored pencils (12 pack)
- Scissors
- Glue sticks
- Pens, pencils, highlighters

Students may borrow my classroom materials at anytime. But, they must exchange their phone for the item to ensure that I get the materials back at the end of class.

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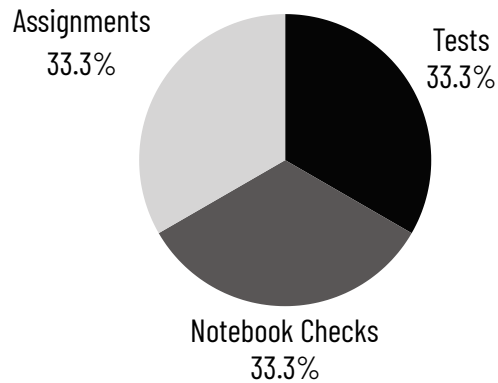
Classroom Rules

- Adhere to the Student Code of Conduct and Charlotte High's School Wide Expectations.
- Be respectful and kind. Do not talk over me or your peers and do not argue with me.
- Do not throw anything in our classroom.
- Do not move desks or chairs.
- Do not ask to leave to go to another teacher's classroom.
- Do not take borrowed materials with you. Exchange your phone for borrowed materials as needed.
- Clean up after yourself and push your chairs in at the end of class.
- Electronics are prohibited.
- Keep your head up, do not lean on others, and do not put your feet up.
- Stay in your seat until the bell.

General Expectations

- Come to class prepared.
- Be an active participant in your own education. Complete your work in class and monitor your grades closely.
- Ask for help when you need it.

Grading Policy



Absences Policy

You are responsible for all missed work. Late work will result in a 2% loss per day (example: after 15 school days, the highest grade you can earn on the assignment is a 70%) unless it is a result of Excused Absences

- Missing Notes? Get them from the PowerPoint on Canvas or from another student.
- Missing a test or a quiz? Schedule a time before or after school for makeups.
- Unexcused absences will have up to 30% deducted from student's earned grade (yes, this also includes tests).

Please sign to indicate that you have read and agree to follow the Syllabus for Ms. Welton's World History class.
This will be due the first week of school.

Student Name

Student Signature / Date

Parent or Guardian Signature / Date

