

High School World History Syllabus 2019/2020

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Course Overview

This course will use Notgrass' *Exploring World History* as our core curriculum. "This course is a survey of world history from creation to the 21st century. The course discusses civilizations from around the world. A special emphasis is placed on key events, key ideas, key persons, and everyday life in various time periods of world history. The student will be introduced to a significant number of original documents and speeches while studying the narrative of lessons." (*Parent Guide*)

Required Text

Exploring World History Curriculum Package, *Ray Notgrass*

Student Review Pack (Optional)

Course Policies:

1. Attendance and Participation: Attendance for class is required and has an effect on a student's grade. Participation in class discussions and group work is worth 10% of the student's grade.

2. Absences / Late Work: Absences which are communicated and approved will allow for the student to submit their work upon return to school without a late penalty. All other work turned in after the deadline, without an approved absence, will have 5% deducted off of the final grade per week late, up to a maximum possible grade of C.

3. Academic Integrity: Students are expected to complete their work on their own, without significant outside assistance. The only exception to this is for approved group projects. Students are also required to properly cite their source(s) for any material, video, or media, used in their papers, projects, homework, etc.

Homework / Grading Policy:

All homework will be provided each week through Engrade.pro.com

Attendance & Participation: 10% Assignments: 20%

Projects: 20%

Quizzes: 25%

Exams: 25%

Grading Scale for each assignment is as follows:

A+ : 100 – 97%

C : 76 – 73%

A : 96 - 93%

C- : 72 – 70%

A- : 92 – 90%

D+ : 69 – 67%

B+ : 89 – 87%

D : 66 – 63%

B : 86 – 83%

D- : 62 – 60%

B- : 82 – 80%

F : (59- 0%)

C+ : 79 – 77%