

**World History Syllabus**  
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**Welcome to World History A**

This class is a required class to graduate. The high school world history course provides students with a comprehensive, intensive study of major events and themes in world history. Students begin with a study of the earliest civilizations worldwide and continue to examine major developments and themes in all regions of the world. Part A culminates in a study of change and continuity during the Age of the Exploration, the Renaissance, and Reformation.

**Classroom Rules:** *What does it mean to be respectful, responsible, reflective, prepared, and open-minded?*

1. **Be Respectful**
2. **Be Responsible**
3. **Be Reflective**
4. **Be Prepared**
5. **Be Open-Minded**
6. **No perfumes or lotions with smells.** People have allergies and asthma and the classroom is confined,
7. **No Eating**
8. **No Chewing Gum**
9. No Cellphones until actual use for work.
10. All RCBOE code of conducts.

**Discipline for infractions:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> offense: warning.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> offense: warning and parent contact.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> offense: parent contact and teacher detention
- 4<sup>th</sup> Offense: referral to office. Also, severe infractions will result in automatic referral to office.

**Grade Reporting:** Progress reports every mid-nine weeks, report cards every nine weeks, and Parent View in Infinite Campus. If grades are low and slipping, parent contact will be made either through phone calls, emails, and/or letters.

**Required Work:** All Assignments will be located in Canvas for every class period. The assignments will come in many formats and will be placed in order in canvas. If a student is absent, look in canvas at the end of the day for makeup work.

**Textbooks:** Textbooks will be issued for students to keep at home in case they have not access to the book online. The Strategy for World History will be flipped classroom. The students will get notes, written work, and reading for homework. All other work will be in the classroom.

**Supplies:** A notebook or binder with paper, pen/pencil (black or blue ink only), and highlighters.

**Tutoring:** Available on Monday and Wednesday from 2:45-3:15

**Water Bottles:** Water bottles will be allowed in class. They must have a lid or ability to be securely closed. If a student spills his/her water, the student is responsible for cleaning the spills up.

**Grading Weights**

Inquiry Projects and Assessments	40%
Quizzes	20%
Discussion & Discussion Boards	20%
Individual Assignments	20%