

Mr. Cermak
World History



Course Outline:

- Unit 1- Archaeology & Early Man
- Unit 2- Mesopotamia
- Unit 3- Egypt & Middle East
- Unit 4- Greece
- Unit 5- Rome
- Unit 6- The Middle Ages
- Unit 7- The Renaissance
- Unit 8- The Reformation

Additional Course Information:

- 1.) Grading will follow the typical grading scheme of:
 - 100% - 90% = A
 - 80% - 89% = B
 - 70% - 79% = C
 - 60% - 69% = D
 - 0% - 59% = F
- 2.) Grades will be rounded up on an individual basis, to be based on classroom behavior and effort shown in all assignments.
- 3.) Assignments turned in with no name will be posted in the back of the room for one week. All assignments with no names at the end of one week will be discarded.
- 4.) Grades will be determined by a point system. Grades are not weighted. If we have 100 points during the quarter, 90 points or higher is an A. If we have 200 points during a quarter, 180 points or higher is an A, etc. Grades will be made up of points earned on classwork, homework, quizzes, tests, projects, journals, classroom performance, and extra credit.
 - a. Homework will make up about 5-10% of each quarter's grade. Student can expect an average of one homework assignment per week.
 - b. Classroom Performance will make up about 10% of each quarter's grade. This grade is made up of a student's behavior during class. Being on-task, completing assignments, taking required notes, not being disruptive, volunteering, being on time, and not packing up early are all things that will help ensure a high Classroom Performance grade.
- 5.) All assignments are expected to be turned in completed. Some assignments will not be eligible for partial credit. If any part of an assignment is not legible, it will not receive any credit.
- 6.) All work is due when stated.
- 7.) Homework and Projects are due at the beginning of the period on the due date.
 - a. Late work:
 - i. Late homework will lose 50% of the point value. If a student does not turn in homework when it is due, they may be given lunch detention each day until it is turned in.
 - ii. Projects will lose 15% for each day late. If a student does not turn in a project when it is due, they may be given lunch detention each day until it is turned in.
 - iii. Handing in work after it is collected, even if it is during the same period, is considered late.

- 8.) Students do have a set amount of time to complete tests and quizzes. If there are special circumstances that require a student to have additional time to take a test, please make sure you notify the teacher in advance (not when it is being collected!).
- 9.) If a student loses an assignment they must go to our classroom website and print a new copy of the assignment.
- 10.) If a student is absent, it is their responsibility to get make up work from the teacher. It is also their responsibility to get copies of any notes they missed from a classmate. If a student is absent the day of a test or quiz, it is up to the student to make arrangements with the teacher to make-up the missed assessment the first day they return to school.