

World History  
Mr. Sluder

Welcome back!! Expectations for this class are very high. World History is your introduction to the vast knowledge of the rest of the globe outside of the United States. We will find ourselves delving into the histories of the earliest civilizations in the world, and our studies will encompass a number of topics from ancient times to the present. Students will be expected to know the basic building blocks of a civilization and what constitutes a group of people as a civilization. We will study how ancient peoples interacted with one another and their environment and use our findings to take a closer look at how and why people do and have done the things that they do.

**Materials needed:** Notebook, loose-leaf paper, spiral bound composition book, and PENCILS.

**Expectations:**

*Behavior*

- Everyone has the right to be treated with and show respect
- Everyone has the right and responsibility to learn
- Everyone will follow all classroom and school rules at all times

*Responsibilities*

- Students **MUST** come to class prepared with required materials
- Students are to arrive on time
- Assignments are to be turned in as scheduled
- Students will follow all instructions the first time they are given
- If you are absent on the day of a test you must set up a time to make-up the test with me (failure to make-up a test within 3 days of your return from absence with result in a zero)

All students are expected to act appropriately at all times

**Grades:** I grade on a points system and use a ten-point scale to determine your nine weeks grade. Your NC Final Exam will make up 25% of your final grade with your two nine weeks grades making up the final 75% of your final grade.

**Units of Study:**

Unit 1 Decoding Culture and Identity

Unit 2 Government: Balancing Power & Freedom

Unit 3 Economics, Industry and Labor

Unit 4 Movement, Diffusion & Exchange

Unit 5 Conquest, Conflict and Cooperation

Please share this with your parents and have them sign it and return it by for a 100.

Thank You,  
Coach Sluder

Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ date: \_\_\_\_\_