

GLOBAL History II Mr. Hansen 2020-2021

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Course Description:

This course is a continuation of Global History I and will culminate with the New York State Regents Examination at the end of the year. The focus of this class will be on the development of the modern world from The Age of Absolutism to the present. Concepts such as revolution, imperialism, nationalism, socialism, communism, democracy, and war in the Western and Non-Western world will be studied.

The work that you do in this class will be both interesting and challenging. We will be working together to continue developing your methods for analyzing both primary and secondary sources, your research and writing skills, and to enhance your comprehension of history. It is extremely important for you to keep an organized notebook/binder. Students are given the opportunity to excel. It is up to you to be a dedicated and responsible student.

YOU NEED

- Pens/Pencils
- White Out
- Highlighter
- 5 subject binder with paper or 5 subject notebook with dividers

Five Sections are for:

Class notes

Chapter homework

Chapter worksheets

Tests/Quizzes

Current events

Organizational skills need to be used/acquired.

You must be able to keep track of your work and papers.

<u>DO</u>:

- Have your mask on when you enter the classroom
- Bring your loose leaf notebook/binder to all classes
- Bring your IPAD to class everyday
- Bring paper/pen/pencil
- Be seated when the bell rings
- Be courteous to classmates
- Your homework
- Study some each night
- Read each assigned section of the textbook by the time we begin that section in class
- Remember your success is what you make it

YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR:

- Being in front of your IPAD on remote days
- All work missed
- All tests that must be made up
- All worksheets handed out/posted
- Your IPAD, required downloads/software, and its condition
- Having your IPAD charged when you come to class

ATTENDANCE POLICY:

- When you are remote, you are required to be logged into Google Classroom and Meets, in front of your computer with a prep polo on. Your camera must be on and your microphone muted unless/until prompted. If you are remote and wish to participate, raise your hand or type your question into the chat.
- Absences do not excuse class work, assignments or exams. In case of absence, it is your responsibility to make up all class work/exams/quizzes and submit all assignments that are due in the appropriate timeframe discussed by the teacher. Until assignments/exams are completed, a zero will be placed into PowerSchool. There are no exceptions.
- Students in all Social Studies classes are expected to use good digital citizenship while in class as well as while learning remotely. Students may only use the technological mediums/apps that are approved by the teacher. Students must have cameras turned on at all times when learning remotely. Students may not post any material that does not uphold the Franciscan mission and values. Students may not bully or use profanities in chats and must follow the teacher's directives regarding posting in chats. No one may record or photograph any part of any class without the expressed consent of the teacher, or post or share any content or resources on any social media platform. Any infractions of these rules and all rules set by St. Francis Prep will result in disciplinary action as well as academic penalty.
- The teacher has the right to revise the syllabus at any time. If a revision takes place, the teacher will notify all students in writing.

TESTS:

- Will be given on Thursday/Friday as a general rule
- Comprised of regents questions
- Can be on anything covered in the current unit
- Scope will be assigned during the week
- Can be made up within a week (5 school days)

YOU MUST SEE ME FOR A MAKEUP DATE

**Not made up = 0 *If a student cuts class on the day of an exam = 0

QUIZZES:

- Unannounced on Wednesdays
- Will cover homework assigned and class lessons (including last year)
- Generally open notebook
- Cannot be made up as a general rule (Bonus work will be offered)
- One low quiz grade may be dropped per quarter

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CURRENT EVENT ARTICLE REVIEWS:

- Due every other Monday
 * If a holiday/vacation falls on a Monday, it will be due when we return to school
- Articles must pertain to world events (No sports, no celebrities, no exceptions!)
- Count towards homework and class participation grade

EXTRA HELP:

- Available upon request. May be used to make up tests/quizzes
- Answers questions and addresses problems
- Does not re-teach a lesson. Come with questions prepared

GRADES:

- 40%: Tests/projects
- 20%: Quizzes
- 20%: Classroom Participation
- 20%: Homework

Student _____

Parent/guardian _____