



AP Human Geography Summer Assignment

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Class Webpage: www.edmodo.com

JOIN EDMODO by JUNE 10, 2013!

- 1.) Go to www.edmodo.com.
- 2.) Create an account if you do not already have one by following the instructions on the home page for joining.
- 3.) After logging in or creating your account, join the SummerAPHUG group by entering the code y9s8nb.
- 4.) You now have access to our class website and will be using this to ask questions, participate in discussions, and submit your summer assignment!

CREATE A DROPBOX ACCOUNT by JUNE 10, 2013!

- 1.) Go to www.dropbox.com
- 2.) Create an account by clicking the hyperlink that says "or create an account" and follow the instructions on the screen. Dropbox will automatically download.
- 3.) Click on the Sharing Icon (it is a rainbow). Click the new shared folder link and send an email to verify your email address.
- 4.) Once your email is verified, click on the New Shared folder link again. Create a new folder called your first and last name APHG. Ex. BrittanyLoganAPHG.
- 5.) Once your folder is created, share your folder with me by entering blogan@pasco.k12.fl.us and blogan.aphg@gmail.com into the "Invite Members to this Folder" field. For the message, please send me a short introduction about yourself including your favorite subject, why you chose to take AP Human Geography, and any other information you would like for me to know.
- 6.) Click Share Folder!



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SUMMER ASSIGNMENT

Part One: Look up globalization and define what it is in 2-3 paragraphs. Be sure to include the actual definition, several examples of the term, and why it is important in today's world.

Part Two: Obtain a copy of the book *A Year Without Made in China* by Sara Bongiorni. You can get this book from your local bookstore on bookseller websites such as www.amazon.com. The retail price for this book is \$14.95. You can usually obtain this cheaper through bookseller websites or used bookstores.

Read the book *A Year Without Made in China* by Sara Bongiorni. As you read, take down notes that show how this story relates to globalization as you defined it in part one of the assignment. When you finish the book, write a 3-4 page reflection paper describing how the book and examples from the book supports globalization. This can be positive support (for globalization) or negative support (against globalization). In your paper, you must also decide if today's world could survive without globalization or if it is too embedded in our culture and economy to ever go away. For full credit, you MUST support your answer with examples from the book.

Part Three: Find three articles about globalization from current news stories (no older than 2006). You may find these online or in real newspapers. One of these articles MUST be about China's role (positive or negative) in the globalized world and one MUST be about North America's (USA, Canada, or Mexico) role in the globalized world.

For each article, write a ½ page summary (what is the article basically about) and a ½ page reflection (reflections are what YOU think about the article, what feelings does it invoke in you.)

Make sure to staple the article to your summaries/reflections.

All written portions of this assignment MUST be typed, double-spaced (to do this, go the Format-> Paragraph-> Line Spacing and select double, 12 point Time New Roman font, and 1 inch margins on the page. All assignments for this class will be required to be turned in this way.

I have included a checklist for your summer assignment for your convenience.

If you have ANY questions about the summer assignment, please email me your questions (blogan@pasco.k12.fl.us) ASAP. You can also check my AP Human Geography website listed at the top of this page for any updates. I look forward to seeing you on August 19, 2013!



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Checklist for Summer Assignment: Please type all assignments according to the instructions listed above!

Join Class Site

- JOIN EDMODO using group code **y9s8nb** by June 10, 2013.

Join Dropbox

- Join Dropbox by using the instructions above by June 10, 2013.

Part One

- Look up globalization in several different sources
- Type a 2-3 paragraph "What is Globalization?" Definition in your own words!

Part Two

- Obtain a copy *A Year Without Made in China* by Sara Bongiorno
- Type 3-4 page reflection paper about the book and globalization (Must use examples from the book for credit!)
 - How does the book support globalization (for or against?)
 - Can today's world survive without globalization and why?

Part Three

- Obtain three current articles about globalization
- Type a ½ page summary and ½ page reflection of each article
- Attach article to summary/reflection
- Turn in Parts 1, 2, and 3 to EDMODO using the TURN-IN Assignment link by August 23, 2013!
Keep copies of your assignments in your dropbox folder just in case! It is ALWAYS important to have a back up.
- Check APHG website www.edmodo.com weekly for any updates or discussion posts!

HAVE A FABULOUS SUMMER!