

United States History



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Google Classroom Code: tufvqky

Room Location: C3

Course Description:

Overview of United States History through the various historical concepts, themes, and events of the following periods of U.S. History:

- Colonial Era
- Revolution
- New Nation
- Early Expansion
- The Age of Jackson
- The Road to the Civil War, the Civil War
- Reconstruction
- Expansion and Imperialism
- Progressive Era
- The Twenties, and Great Depression
- World War I and World War II
- Cold War
- Modern Age

Required books:

A Nation Conceived in Liberty: US History for the Georgia EOC Assessment

Author- Mark Jarrett, Ph.D.

The text will be provided to the student and should be brought to class daily. The text is consumable, and students will be expected to write in their copy throughout the year. If a replacement copy is needed, the cost is \$16.00.

Supplies:

Everything will be on Google Classroom. Access to the internet is important.

However, if you return to traditional learning, and you would like a physical notebook, you will need the following:

3 ring Binder/Notebook → remains in classroom

Pencil/Pen

Chromebook

Grading:

50%-Assessments

40%-Classwork/ Projects

10%-Benchmark Exam

Testing:

All students are allowed opportunities to retest during the school year in order to show mastery of the standards taught. To retest, students are required to show evidence that they have tried to retest successfully by the measures decided on by the student and teacher. Retesting is offered before or after school. A retest may not be in the format that the original test was, but it will cover the same material.

Classwork/Homework:

- If the student does finish the assigned work, the work will be homework or completed the next day in class if instructed by the teacher.

- If work is not handed in will result in a "M" or missing until the work can submitted. Otherwise the "M" will become a zero.
- If absent for any reason, the student is required to complete and return all missing assignments as arranged by Ms. Tanner.
- Notes quizzes and Tests are given through the year.
- CLASS NOTEBOOKS:
 - The students binder are to be neat and organized.
 - The notebook will be divided into 4 sections for each of the 9 weeks in which there will be notes, organizers, activities, and other class assignments.
 - NOTEBOOKS WILL BE SUBJECT TO NOTEBOOK CHECKS PERIODICALLY!

Extra Help:

Extra help will be given after school, as arranged by Ms. Tanner or as schedule allows.

Cheating & Plagiarism:

Cheating and plagiarism will NOT be tolerated! Plagiarism is *cheating*. Copying answers directly is not acceptable. Response to questions should be put in the students owns words the best they can.

Make-up assignments:

- If the student misses an exam, they make retake the exam at a later date arranged with Ms. Tanner. If the exam or work is not made up, the assignment will be labeled "M" for missing. You have 5 days to complete

the assignment after the 9-week period. The failure to complete the assignment or exam will result in a zero.

- If the student knows that he or she will be absent the day of an exam, assignment, the student must prepare to hand in the assignment or take the exam before the due date

CLASS EXPECTATIONS

- Always put forth your best effort.
- Pay attention, participate and ask questions.
- Be respectful and treat others with respect.
- Be responsible for your assignments.
- Follow directions when given.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read the information above on the "United States History Course Syllabus" sheet and I understand its content.



Signature of Student's Parent or Guardian Units:

Student's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Period: _____