

Mr. Tesoriero

Grade 9

Global 9R

2025

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Extra Help Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 7:20-7:50

Course Description:

This is the first part of a two-year course. This course focuses on the development of civilization through the ages. The course starts by examining the world's earliest people. These people spread across the globe eventually settling down and creating the world's first civilizations. Together as a class we will explore the early river civilizations including Ancient Egypt, Ancient China, Ancient Greece, Ancient Rome and Ancient India. We will explore the world examining the many religions/belief systems including but not limited to Christianity, Judaism, Islam, Confucianism and Buddhism. This course will take us to the Dark Ages of Europe, the Middle Ages and the Renaissance. This course will finish at the Age of Exploration and the Enlightenment.

Throughout this course you will be closely reading and analyzing primary documents, music, literature, video and participating in various simulations and activities. You will learn to identify and explore the various enduring issues that affect our society. These issues have played an important role in the development of global history and will be a focal point of our studies. Most importantly you will be having fun working collaboratively with your peers to learn the necessary information to become informed citizens and become college ready!

Materials needed:

- Pen and/or pencil
- Notebook and/or Binder
- Folder
- Highlighter
- Charged Chromebook

Grading Procedure:

- 60%- Tests/Essays/Quizzes and Projects
- 15%- Graded Classwork
- 15%- Class Participation
- 10%- Homework

End of year exam:

- Local final

Classroom Rules:

- Arrive prepared every day to class (pen/pencil, class materials, tablet)
- Arrive to class ON TIME and ready to learn
- Be respectful and courteous to others
- All school rules and policies apply to this classroom as well
- Homework is not optional, it is required to fully understand the next day's lesson
- If you have a question, ASK, it's the only way to learn!

What you can expect from me:

- Arrive at class on time and ready to work with you
- To be respectful and courteous to all students
- To not be on my Cell Phone during class time
- To follow all school rules and procedures
- To grade all homework and assignments in a timely manner and with constructive feedback
- To answer ALL questions and ensure everyone understands the material

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Student Signature _____

Parent Signature _____