

7th Grade Social Science Honors
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Class Description

This year we will be studying the history of great civilizations that developed between the years 500—1800 C.E. During each unit we will be building skills in the following areas: history, geography, study and research skills, thinking skills, reading and writing skills. Seventh Grade World History will include the following units:

- ❖ Ancient Rome and the Byzantine Empire
- ❖ Medieval Africa
- ❖ Medieval Europe
- ❖ Islamic Empire
- ❖ Medieval Japan and China
- ❖ Inca, Maya, and Aztec Civilizations

Class Rules and Expectations

Aside from the school rules, there are also class rules and expectations that students must follow.

- Arrive on time to class and follow all directions on the board as soon as you are seated
- Be prepared for class by bringing all your learning materials everyday, including your chromebook
- Respect everyone in class as well as their property
- Give full attention and courtesy to whomever is speaking
- Raise your hand and wait to be called on to speak
- If you are **ABSENT**, it is **YOUR** responsibility to talk to the teacher and make up the missing work
- No food or gum allowed in class; regular water is acceptable
- Communicating with another student during a quiz or test will result in an automatic F
- You are required to keep all papers IN THE RINGS of your binder and do NOT throw any papers away

Homework Policy

Homework is assigned on a weekly basis and it is collected at the beginning of the period. Late work and messy work will not receive full credit. Please turn in late work **as soon as possible**.

You will be graded on the following types of assignments:

- ✓ Homework
- ✓ Class Work
- ✓ Essays
- ✓ Quizzes
- ✓ Projects

Citizenship

- Following school and class rules/expectations
- Actively participates in class
- Writes all homework in the school agenda
- Positive and cooperative attitude

Materials Needed for Class:

- ✓ A three ring binder
- ✓ Dividers
- ✓ 11 x 8.5 lined paper
- ✓ Two (2) blue **or** black ink pens
- ✓ Two (2) pencils
- ✓ Red pen
- ✓ Color pencils or crayons
- ✓ Glue stick
- ✓ Ruler
- ✓ Highlighter

