

7th Grade Social Studies/ Life Skills

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Class Procedures:

Class begins when the bell rings! NO EXCEPTIONS! Students MUST have a pass if they are late. Come to every class prepared! Bring notebooks, pencils, school issued devices (fully charged), and have any completed assignments if assigned. The day's agenda will be posted on the Whiteboard. Follow the instructions.

Homework Policy:

Homework is due on the day assigned. Homework will be accepted one day late for partial credit. If you are absent on the day homework is due, you have until the next class to do that homework. If you choose not to do it a zero will be given. An extra day will be given for each absence to make up the missed work.

Electronics Policy:

Electronics and technology will be used often in class. The school issued device should be the only technology brought to class each day. Cell phones should not be brought to class and be left in lockers. I take this policy VERY seriously. If these rules are not followed the policy is as follows:

- 1st Warning: Verbal, student will be asked to put the device away
- 2nd Warning: Device will be taken for the rest of the class period
- 3rd Warning: Device will be taken for the rest of the day
- 4th Warning: Device will be taken and the parent will have to come and get it

Grading Policy:

As per the Morris Central School Student Handbook, each student will be graded as follows:

Tests = 60%

Homework = 40%

Tests will include Chapter or Unit tests, Research Projects, DBQ's (Document Based Questions), and formal essays. All other work and work completed in class will fall under the Homework heading; this would also include class participation. Participation is a required part of this class.

Materials Needed:

- 3 Ring Binder
- Note Paper
- Pen/Pencil
- School issued device

Expectations of each student:

Students are expected to come into class and act like civilized adults. All students will be treated with respect and I expect students to do the same with me and their classmates. Poor behavior will not be tolerated and will be treated severely. This class can be a fun experience for everyone, even if you do not like history.

Thank you. I hope your experience in US History/ Life Skills are both fun and educational. I look forward to having you in my class!