

Global Studies I
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Course Overview:

The purpose of this course is to provide the student with a well-rounded survey of World History. Global History is a **TWO (2)** year course that concludes with a Regents exam after the second year. You are expected to be prepared for class and participate. If you are having any problems please contact me at (607) 263-6100 or email above.

Class Procedures - In Class

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 device (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. **NO LATE HOMEWORK WILL BE ACCEPTED!!!!** 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. However, Cell Phones must be turned off or silent when entering class and out of sight. 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, CRQ's (Constructed Response Questions), and formal essays. There will be a minimum of **FIVE (5)** each quarter.

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 *Global History* is both fun and educational. I look forward to having you in my class! We will all get through this trying period; let's make the best of it!

I have read through the course information and understand the procedures, requirements, and expectations for **Global 1**.

I understand that my child is responsible for all assignments, projects, test prep, and any other academic requirements.

I understand that if my child has any problems in class they need to speak with the teacher in order to rectify the problem. If I have a problem with my child's progress I will contact the teacher. The teacher will also be in contact when necessary. I send out group Email's so it is helpful for me to have an Email address.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Please let me know how you prefer to be contacted.

Email address _____

Phone number(s) and best times to call

