

APWH  
Summer Assignments  
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Dear students, I hope you are having and or have had a wonderful summer. Please read these instructions carefully. We will discuss these assignments in our first classes of the year.

1. Download and review the [AP World History Modern Course and Exam Description](#). Pay particular attention to the curricular objectives, course content and the themes.(pages 17-25) We will discuss these when we return.
2. Read document 1, pages 1 to 7, [Silk Roads or Steppe Roads, David Christian](#). Be sure to read this article and be prepared to respond to a prompt in class.
3. Read document 2, [Strayer, The Good Life in Asian Cultural Traditions](#). Answer the reflections questions on page 2. These are due the first day of class.