

Bridgepoint High School Class Syllabus

Course name: World History

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Course Description:

World History is aligned with the History-Social Science Standards. Topics of study include The Enlightenment, The French Revolution, Industrialization and Nationalism, Imperialism, World War I, World War II, The Cold War, The Contemporary Western World, Latin America, Africa and the Middle East, and Asia and the Pacific. Students will also develop an understanding of both the challenges and hopes for the future.

Earning Credits in Class:

You will earn credits in this class based on your effort, participation and level of production. To earn a **PRODUCTIVE DAY**, you must be **on-task, respectful, must stay in class unless given permission to leave, and must allow others to work without disruption.**

40+ productive days = 2.5 credits
32-39 productive days = 2.0 credits
24-31 productive days = 1.5 credits
16-23 productive days = 1.0 credits
8-15 productive days = .5 credits

Extra credit:

Extra credit packets are handed out upon request and are typically worth 1 credit. There is no due date. Credit is awarded for the quarter the work is turned in and graded. Extra credits are limited to the amount of credits earned in class.

In order to qualify for extra credit, a student must satisfy one of the following two conditions:

- 1) He/she is passing the class, has earned the maximum number of credits allowable due to productive days accumulated and wants to further his/her academic progress. OR**
- 2) He/she is no longer enrolled in a class, but needs to do extra work in order to earn between .5 and 1.5 credits to satisfy that particular graduation requirement.**

Make-up work:

All missing assignments must be completed and turned in within one week of the original due date.

Grading:

Grades will be based on the weighted total points earned from class productivity and assignments (75%), assessments (20%), take home work (5%).

Bridgepoint assignments/projects will be scored using the following rubric:

1 - In Progress (Incomplete) 2 - Approaching Standards (Emerging) 3 - Meeting Standards (Proficient) 4 - Exceeding Standards (Exemplary)

Keys to success:

Students are expected to be in class on time, remain on task, respectful, and non-disruptive. Students are also expected to bring a pen or pencil each day. Grades and assignments may be viewed on Synergy Student Portal.

Textbooks and Resources:

McGraw Hill: World History, Culture, Geography: The Modern World

Active Classroom: World History