



AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY

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Remind 101: text @99cg3cc to 81010

SUPPLIES

- Fully charged Laptop
- 5 subject notebook
- pens/pencils
- College ruled notebook paper

GRADES

60% Major (tests, projects)

40% Minor (daily work, quizzes, vocab)

CLASS RULES

My door will be open daily after school until 4:25. If you are failing my class, you will be required to attend tutorials on Wednesdays after school. It will be open daily after school until 4:25. If you are failing my class, you will be required to attend tutorials on Wednesdays after school.

WHAT IF I'M ABSENT?

If you are absent, it is YOUR responsibility to obtain and communicate with the teacher about makeup work. You MUST CHECK CANVAS before asking the teacher.

ABOUT THE COURSE

AP Human Geography is a course that studies how humans use and interact with geographic space. This includes where humans and their activities and institutions such as ethnic groups, religious practices, cities, and industries are located and why they are there. Human geographers also study the interactions of humans with their environment, and the consequences of population density.



canvas

ONLINE ACCESS

Students will be accessing Canvas on a daily basis to participate in class, check for instructions, and submit classwork. Be familiar with Canvas, and feel free to ask for help when you do not understand. Here is the link to join my class in Canvas: <https://midland.instructure.com/enroll/D8AXGB>

PHONES & DEVICES

Phones & personal devices need to be stored out of sight unless teacher permission has been given to be used for academic purposes. You will get a warning, but if it become an issue, I will ask you to put it on my desk, and parents will be notified.

LATE WORK/REDO

- 1 day late: highest possible grade is a 70
- 2 days late: highest possible grade is a 60
- 3 days late: highest possible grade is a 50

You may correct/redo assignments for a grade up to a 80. Minor assignments are not eligible for redo. You may not redo an assignment that was turned in late. In order to redo an exam, you must have all assignments turned in according to Skyward.

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CLASS PROCEDURES

When you enter the room, you will find your seat, fill in your planner, and then work on your warm up. We will go over the warm up together. You will have your notebook out on your desk during class, turned to the correct notes. We will do a variety of activities to review the information from your notes. You will have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have. The goal is for you to thoroughly understand the skills and content.

TEXTBOOK INFO

Textbook:

Palmer, David. Human Geography (Des Moines, Iowa, Perfection Learning, 2019)

You will be assigned a copy of the textbook. It is your responsibility to keep up with your textbook, and return it at the end of the school year.

You may purchase your own textbook so you will be able to write/highlight in it. If you do this, make sure to let me know so that I do not assign you a class book.

You must bring your book with you EVERYDAY.

OTHER POLICIES

- Vocabulary: Will be completed by hand every unit. This will be completed in your notebook
- Homework: You will read the assigned pages and take notes at home. These notes will be checked by unit during the unit exam. Notes may be used on any assignment except for tests. While you read, write down any questions you have that you would like me to clarify in class.
- Extra Credit: may be earned once per unit. 15 points on a major, or replaces any minor grade. Not eligible to replace missing assignments.
 - Find a connection between a movie or tv show and the current unit. Write at least 1 paragraph that thoroughly explains the connection

BEHAVIOR POLICY

All students should feel welcomed and safe in my classroom. I do not tolerate any behavior that makes others feel any other way. In most cases, you will receive a warning, but consequences range from parent contact to office referrals. BE RESPECTFUL!