CLASS SYLLABUS

Ms. Shawna Calton

Social Studies - 6th Grade

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COURSE OVERVIEW

This class will focus on early world history and geography, challenging students to make inquiry and analysis about ancient civilizations, governments, religions and figures.
Students will learn about Early Human Civilization, Mesopotamia, Egypt, Israel, India, China, Greece and Rome.

GRADING POLICY

Your grade will be based on the following categories:

- Daily Grades/Classwork: 40%
- Quizzes/Power Checks: 25%
- Tests/Projects: 35%

LATE WORK POLICY

I have a paper that will be sent home to parents. It must be signed by both the parent and the student. The student will choose either to not turn in the assignment and receive a 0, or turn it in by a date given by the teacher for partial credit. There is plenty of time to complete missing coursework in class.

BMS will make instructional materials available for review within 10 days of a written parental request.

EXPECTATIONS

1. Be respectful to everyone and their ideas.
2. Come prepared with materials and a positive attitude.
3. Be respectful of school property.
4. Follow all school rules and classroom procedures.

WHAT TO BRING

- [ ] Spiral Notebook
- [ ] Folder or Binder
- [ ] Pencils & Highlighters
- [ ] Chromebook



CELL PHONES AND FOOD/DRINK

Cell Phones and any other **personal devices** are not allowed in the classroom. They must be secured in the caddy during class.
Food, drink, and snacks are not allowed in the classroom. Water bottles cna be left in the hallway or in the entry hall of the classroom.

IMPORTANT WEBSITES

Student Assignments/Links - Google Classroom

Grades/Schedules - Synergy

Important Links - bms.gcboe.us

CONTACT INFO

I am here to help you succeed! If you have questions or need extra support, feel free to reach out during class or via email. I encourage parents and guardians to contact me with any concerns or questions.

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IMPORTANT DATES

- 09/03- Progress Reports
- 09/17- P/T Conference
- 10/05-09 - Fall Break

SEE MORE DETAILED DATES AND FUTURE DATES AT: https://www.gcboe.us/for-families/academic-calendar