WILLIAM FREMD HIGH SCHOOL

SOCIAL STUDIES

ELECTIVES AT-A-GLANCE



SOCIAL STUDIES GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- Junior year = G342 US History OR G369 AP US History
- Senior year = G442 Civics OR G479 AP Government/ G469 AP Macro Economics.
- Most universities & colleges require 3-4 years of social studies for admission.
- All non-AP courses focus on reading & writing skills assessed by ACT & SAT.

SOCIAL STUDIES ELECTIVES

G143: WORLD GEOGRAPHY
Grade 9, 10, 11, 12

Read landscapes like clues: discover how climate, landforms, resources, and movement shape where people live and how communities adapt.

G146: WORLD HISTORY
Grade 9, 10, 11, 12

Journey from early civilizations to the modern era, tracing how belief systems, trade networks, innovations, and revolutions reshaped societies.e

G339: AP WORLD
Grade 9, 10, 11, 12

Investigate global history from 1200 to today, comparing empires, exchange networks, revolutions, & industrialization to explain change & continuity.

G349: AP HUMAN
Grade 9, 10, 11, 12

Analyze population, migration, culture, politics, cities, & development with maps, spatial patterns, & data.

G236: WOMEN STUDIES
Grade 10, 11, 12

Follow women's experiences across family, education, work, politics, health, & media to see the challenges and changes of gender roles.

G262: WORLD AFFAIRS
Grade 10, 11, 12

Connect today's headlines to conflict, diplomacy, human rights, trade, & international organizations, & weigh possible responses to global challenges.

G343 /G353 PSYCHOLOGY
Grade 11, 12

Explore learning, memory, sensation, development, personality (sem 1) conformity, attraction, obedience, stress, mental health, treatment (sem 2)

G365: LAW & THE INDIVIDUAL
Grade 10, 11, 12

Use legal principles & landmark cases to test how criminal law, due process, & competing interpretations of rights shape individual choices & public life.

G319: AP AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES
Grade 11, 12

Explore African American history & culture through African diaspora, political thought, cultural expression.

G359: AP EUROPEAN HISTORY
Grade 10, 11, 12

Debate how Europe changed from 1450 to today as religious reform, state-building, scientific thought, industrialization, nationalism, & war reshaped societies

G379: AP PSYCHOLOGY
Grade 11, 12

Use psychological perspectives & research to connect brain & behavior, cognition, learning, development, personality, social psychology, & mental health..

G459: AP MICROECONOMICS
Grade 11, 12

Model how scarcity, incentives, costs, & supply & demand shape consumer & firm choices, then predict their effects on prices & markets.
*Does NOT replace G469 Macro

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