



Teacher Information

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General Information

Course Description

Students will understand core components of the Industrial Revolution, The Age of New Imperialism, WWI, and the Interwar Years. The focus of the course is to identify ways in which historical events are connected while also understanding the similarities between past events and contemporary world issues. This is done through different aspects of social studies including international politics, migration, resources, and economics. Other aspects that will be covered include cultural development, public speaking, and political geography.

Learning Outcomes

- *Create projects to demonstrate understanding of historic events covered in the course.*
- *Evaluate the effectiveness of primary sources while analyzing the content to come to a deeper understanding of how people thought at the periods of history discussed in the course.*
- *Understand the chronological nature of historic events and how events of the past impact our world today.*

Course Materials

Required Texts

There is no text book, however, readings will be given periodically. All reading assignments will be posted on the class website and students are required to read them before the deadline announced.

Required Materials

- Laptop, Chromebook, or iPad.
- Headphones (when announced)
- Red Pen
- Green Pen
- Highlighter
- Pen/pencil
- Journal (optional)
- Access to Google Classroom
- Access to my YouTube Channel
- Access to Edpuzzle.co

Course Yearly Plan

- **Week 01: Industrialization**
- **Week 02: Industrialization**
- **Week 03: Industrialization**
- **Week 04: Industrialization**
- **Week 05: Imperialism**
- **Week 06: Imperialism**
- **Week 07: Imperialism**
- **Week 08: Imperialism**
- **Week 09: WWI**
- **Week 10: WWI**
- **Week 11: WWI**
- **Week 12: WWI**
- **Week 13: WWI**
- **Week 14: WWI**
- **Week 15: The Interwar Year**
- **Week 16: The Interwar Years**
- **Week 17: The Interwar Years**
- **Week 18: Review Week**
- **Week 19: Finals**

**Outline/schedule: is subject to change. All changes will be announced on Google Classroom.*

Grading

Category	Percentage
Learning Skills	10%
Test	35%
Quiz	10%
Project	25%
Assignment	20%
Final Exam	25% of Semester Grade

Classroom Procedures

Grading Procedures

Late Work Policy

There is a large work load for this class. Because of that, it is important that you complete all assignments before the deadline. All assignments will receive a 5% deduction per school day that they are submitted late. If work is submitted late due to an excused absence from school, please make note of this in writing when the assignment is submitted. If you do not complete an assignment in time, you must complete a missing work excuse form, which is located on the class website. If the form is not submitted, the work will not be graded.

All work that is submitted by paper MUST be stamped before it will be accepted.

Lastly, it is your responsibility to check PowerSchool to make sure you have all work submitted. I will not track you down to have you complete missing work. Take ownership for your education and submit your work on time.

Viewing Grades

All grades will be uploaded to PowerSchool. It is your responsibility to check PowerSchool for your grades and to check for missing work. Grades posted to Google classroom will be the same as PowerSchool with the exception for late work. In the instance of late work, the grade you would have received without the deduction will be posted on Google Classroom.

Letter Grade Assignment

The letter grade assigned is in accordance with Bahrain Bayan School policy.

Extra Credit

On occasion, extra credit opportunities will be given in class. If you wish to receive the extra credit you must complete it before the deadline announced and have no missing assignments. Extra credit will not be added if there are any missing assignment

Complete Assignments

All assignments for this course will be submitted electronically through Google Classroom. Assignments that are shared or emailed to the teacher will not be accepted until they are completed on Google Classroom. Additionally, all paper assignments must be photographed and submitted on Google Classroom before the deadline announced.

Students who miss a graded discussion will be given an alternative assignment which they must complete by the deadline given if they wish to receive points.

Worksheets given to students will also be uploaded to the class website. Students receive one copy. If they lose it, it is their responsibility to print a new copy.

Work submitted without a name will receive a 5% deduction.

Course Policies

Attend Class

Students are expected to attend all class sessions as listed on the course calendar. As the majority of work is done in the classroom, it is important for you to be present every day. Additionally, students who are not in proper uniform and wearing their ID will not be permitted to swipe their class.

Tardy and Late to Class

Being late to class disrupts your ability to learn so it is important that you make it to class on time. Students who are tardy/late to class need to sign the sheet beside the door as soon as they enter the classroom. If you are late to class, you must receive permission to swipe your card. If you come to class not prepared and are required to leave to gather class supplies, you must swipe upon your return to class. Students who are tardy/late to class will not be permitted to leave the classroom.

Participate

You will be assessed upon your ability to participate in class. This will be recorded under the learning skills section of the grade book. In order to fully participate you must be to class, fully prepared, before the bell rings.

Academic Dishonesty Policy

Academic dishonesty includes such things as cheating, inventing false information or citations, plagiarism and helping someone else commit an act of academic dishonesty. It usually involves an attempt by a student to show possession of a level of knowledge or skill that he/she does not possess.

All assignments will be submitted through Turnitin.com. Any assignment that comes back as more than 15% plagiarized will not be accepted and result in a zero. Furthermore, you will not be able to make up the assignment. This course will follow the plagiarism policy per the Bayan Student Handbook.

Student Name:

Student Signature:

Parent Name:

Parent Signature:

**Course policies are subject to change. It is the student's responsibility to check Google Classroom for corrections or updates to the syllabus. Any changes will be posted on Google Classroom*

