

AP World History (WHAP) Summer Homework

Welcome to WHAP! This course is fun, interesting, and will challenge you to think about history in new ways with new skills. It is impossible to learn ALL of world history in a lifetime, much less a year. Therefore, this course focuses on themes, historical patterns, skills, and examples that exemplify what world history is and what historians do in their field organized around three to four *key concepts* in each historical period which replace units. I LOVE teaching this class and I hope you have a great experience!

Please join our Schoology class:

1. Go to www.schoology.com
2. Login/create an account
3. Join the "AP World History - Summer Assignment" Class with code: **GRGVQ-9D5RC**

You will need to buy a copy of the following book to complete the assignment:

World History: Preparing for the Advanced Placement Examination, 2018 Edition

https://www.amazon.com/World-History-Preparing-Placement-Examination/dp/1531116957/ref=sr_1_2?ie=UTF8&qid=1524501330&sr=8-2&keywords=amsco+world+history+2018

From the College Board AP World History Course and Exam Description:

The AP World History course focuses on developing student's understanding of world history from approximately 8000 B.C.E. to present. The course has students investigate the content of world history for significant events, individuals, developments, and processes in six historical periods, and develop and use the same thinking skills and methods employed by historians when they study the past:

- analyzing primary and secondary sources
- making historical comparisons
- chronological reasoning
- argumentation

The course also provides five themes that students explore throughout the course in order to make connections among historical developments in different times and places:

- (S) Development and transformation of social structures
- (P) State building, expansion, and conflict
- (I) Interaction between humans and the environment
- (C) Development and interaction of cultures
- (E) Creation, expansion, and interaction of economic systems

The five major geographic regions of the globe:

- Africa
- the Americas
- Asia
- Europe
- Oceania

This course is fast paced, so you will be expected to do a lot of work in order to do well and be prepared for the exam in May. **All of these assignments must be turned in Friday, August 31st. You can submit them via Schoology or on paper. No late work will be accepted.**

In order to hit the ground running, you will complete the following assignments:

1. Period 1 Crash Course videos and Google Forms- 40 points
 - a. Watch these videos before completing the Key Concept Packet
2. Key Concept Packet- 40 points
 - a. Turn in 8/10 for 9 Additional Content (EC) points
 - b. Turn in 8/17 for 6 Additional Content (EC) points
 - c. Turn in 8/24 for 3 Additional Content (EC) points
 - d. Use AP Worldipedia by Mr. Henderson, World History for Us All, and your AMSCO Book.
3. Period 1 Map- 20 points
 - a. Use the internet and your AMSCO book to complete the map. Do not forget critical thinking questions.

100 Formative points total

Homework Directions

Do the homework assignments in the order they are presented for greatest clarity.

Period 1 Crash Course Videos and Google Forms- 40 points (F)

GOAL: Create a base of content knowledge before diving into the Key Concept Packet assignment.

1. Go to the Schoology Classroom page and navigate to the "Period 1 Crash Course Videos".
2. Watch the videos and then complete the quiz titled "Period 1 Crash Course Videos".
 - a. Take notes while you watch by typing/printing out the "Summer Homework Period 1 Overview" Google Slides. Make sure to change the print settings so you are not printing full slides.

Key Concept Packet- 40 points (F)

GOAL: Expand and review concepts learned in the Flipped Classroom Video. Begin to "put the pieces together" and gain exposure to the Key Concept Format used in WHAP.

1. Go to AP Worldipedia run by Mr. Henderson. You may also use the Big Era Overviews 2-4 from World History For Us All and your AMSCO book, Chapter 1-2.. These sites are linked to the packet, they can also be Googled.
2. Complete the Key Concept Packet diligently and in your own words. Paraphrase and combine information from the sources (including the Flipped Classroom). One word is never enough. **Do not copy/paste. Any instances of cheating will result in a loss of points for this assignment.**

Period 1 Map

GOAL: Visualize the river valley civilization locations and memorize WHAP regions.

1. Use the internet and your AMSCO book to construct a map of Period 1 and answer the Critical Thinking Questions at the bottom of the page.

You will take a test over Period 1 on August 31st.