



# Patterns in World History

## World History

### What's this course all about?

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Welcome to Patterns in World History. It is an honor to have the opportunity to learn with you this year. Teaching and learning something as complex as patterns in world history requires current and historical perspectives to examine the interaction between people of diverse socio-cultural backgrounds. We have designed this course around 4 core targets:

**1. I can recognize how multiple perspectives shape our understanding.**

- 2. I can identify and explain the different forces that affect people.**
- 3. I can recognize why change occurs and its effects over time.**
- 4. I can identify the sources and dangers of single stories. I can explain the challenges of those stories.**

We will examine the roots of historical events, ideas, and experiences spanning the globe through the lens of our core targets. In this sense,

this course is likely unique from most other history classes you have taken, as we will shy away from looking at the subject in a strictly chronological way.

Patterns is also designed to give you the opportunity to learn the tools of the trade as you "do" history, and what is more, hopefully walk away with a broader perspective on the global community in which we live.

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#### Class Materials

- ✓ Small 3 ring binder for handouts, assignments, etc.
- ✓ Loose leaf paper
- OR**
- ✓ Notebook
- ✓ Folder for handouts, assignments, etc.
- ✓ Colored pencils
- ✓ Highlighters (yellow, blue, pink, green)
- ✓ Post-its

Q: Can you identify any patterns in world history?

A:

### How do I contact you?

My office is located in A311.

My *free* periods are 5, 6 and 7.

You can always contact me via email [manti@dist113.org](mailto:manti@dist113.org)

Or call me on my office phone:

224-765-2203 .

The best way to meet with me is to talk to me before or after class and schedule a meeting.

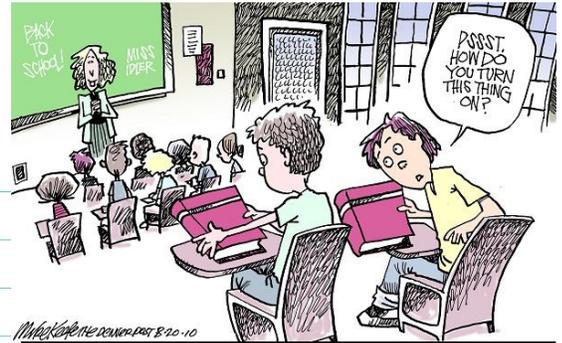


## Do we get a textbook? How much homework will I have ?

Textbooks are one of many sources we can use to learn about the past. In this course, we will use a textbook, but only occasionally, and you will **not** need to purchase it. The Social Studies Department has textbooks & you have your Chromebook. Our overall goal is to utilize primary source material as a way of understanding our content of study.

Be prepared to do some sort of work for this class every

night, whether it be *reading, writing, thinking*, or all three! Sometimes I will collect homework for a grade, sometimes I will check it, and other times I will ask you to add to it. Please keep all returned work in your binder. You will use your binder for class notes and other activities. We will work together to stay organized!



1. Look for symbols and their Meaning.
2. What's the cartoonist's Message?
3. Now give it a title.

## How do grades work in this class?

Daily assignments, quizzes, tests, and projects will be evaluated on a **point basis**.

You will be given the opportunity to demonstrate your knowledge in a number of different ways—not only the tests and quizzes you might expect, but also group and individual projects, among other forms of assessment. I will work hard to make sure you

have a variety of outlets for your knowledge. You will receive regular feedback to help you improve and build your skill set. You can also use Infinite Campus to keep track of your progress as well as what work you may be missing.

I grade **cumulatively** from the beginning of Quarter 1 to the end of Quarter 2.

Grading	
Homework	25
The Bank & Daily Work	20
Test & Quizzes	40
Final Exam	15 %
<b>Total</b>	<b>100 %</b>

## What happens if we are late, or absent?

I follow the HPHS attendance policy. **PLEASE BE ON TIME!** If you are not in the room when the bell rings, you are tardy.

*We miss you when you are gone!* If, however, you are absent, as it may happen, check the classroom box to see if you have



missed any handouts. Ask a classmate for missed notes. Please be prepared to make up a missed quiz or test on the day that you return. If you miss class, but are in school the day an assignment is due, it is your responsibility to turn in the assignment on that day.

If you know you are going to be gone for an extended time, we can make alternate arrangements, but please come and talk with me. Unexcused late work will be a cost for you in time and additional work, but will not cause you to lose credit.