
American History

31-395B

Overview

This American History course is divided into two trimesters. The first part covered the United States from 1877 to the end of the 1920s. The 2nd half of the course pays special attention to the Great Depression/New Deal Era, WW2, the Cold War as well as domestic politics and the rights of women and minorities.

Goals

1. A thorough understanding of how America's role in the world has evolved.
2. Identify major people & events that have shaped American foreign policy & those who are important to American History.
3. Understand & be able to explain the impact of various watershed moments.
4. Identify changes in the attitudes of the American people.
5. Understand the significance of late 19th C and early 20th C historical political decision-making & the impact on the American people.
6. Understand the connections between these aforementioned eras and the modern government & economy.
7. Identify & keep track of current events as they relate to the course.

Requirements

JOIN Google Class...code **ppn75oy**

PARTICIPATE –Participation may be worth about 10% of your final grade. Participating is contributing to class by answering/asking questions, adding personal knowledge and/or bringing current events to the discussion, assisting others, commenting on *Google* classroom. **It is NOT** showing up & occupying a seat.

SUPPLIES: Folder, pens/pencils, red pen, highlighter, Chromebook

TIPS: Complete all assignments, study for all tests.

EVALUATION - Assessments, assignments, participation.

EXTRA CREDIT is available by completing political cartoon analysis assignments – see handout/website.

WINTER/2nd Tri 2018-2019

Periods 4 & 5

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Planning 1st hr Lunch A

Class website:

<http://millerslearningcave.weebly.com/>

Google Class Code: ppn75oy

Materials

Text: Various Sources

Supplemental information provided as needed.

Extra Info

GRADING SCALE

A+ 98-100 / A 93-97 / A- 90-92

B+ 87-89 / B 83-86 / B- 80-82

C+ 77-79 / C 73-76 / C- 70-72

D+ 67-69 / D 63-66 / D- 60-62

F 0-59

Scores are NOT rounded up.

FINAL REMARKS

- **Keep all papers, notes, etc.**
- **Keep track of your grades online.**
- **See me for assistance if you are falling behind or having difficulties.**
- **Late assignments are not generally accepted.**
- **Makeups are ALWAYS during lunch or after school.**
- **If you are absent, contact me via email/text to find out what you've missed and need to make up.**
- **It's important to stay current and NOT GET BEHIND!**