

US HISTORY SHELTERED
2010-2011 COURSE SYLLABUS

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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course will be a survey of the history of the United States, from its colonial origins to its present day status as a world superpower. The freedom enjoyed in this country has served as a model and ideal for many of the world's nations, and this is no accident. Literally, it is "His story," with God the author working events to the end of bringing honor to His name. In order to rightly understand history, we will strive to see things from God's perspective. From revolution to globalization, depression to unprecedented economic prosperity, the history of the United States is one example among many of God's wisdom, power and control working amongst sinful mankind.

TEXTBOOK:

- *To Be Announced*

REQUIRED MATERIALS:

- 3 x 5 index cards
 - 3-ring binder with dividers
- Notebook binders are required. Students are responsible for the keeping and organizing of the following material:
- Notes/ Handouts
 - Homework
 - Tests & Quizzes
 - History Day
- Writing instruments – pen and pencil
 - 8 ½ x 11 college ruled loose leaf paper
 - Black, green and blue ink pens

WEBSITES:

- <http://sites.google.com/a/ccs-rams.org/us-history---miss-kim/>
- <http://turnitin.com>

GRADES:

Your grade for the class will be based on the following breakdowns:

Quarter Breakdown:

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| • Homework | 15% |
| • Quizzes | 15% |
| • Projects | 20% |
| • Tests | 25% |
| • Papers | 25% |
| • Total | 100% |

Semester Breakdown:

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| • Quarter 1 or 3 Grade | 40% |
| • Quarter 2 or 4 Grade | 40% |
| • Final Exam | 20% |
| • Total | 100% |

CLASSROOM RULES:

- As high school students, it is assumed that you will show proper respect to the instructor, to peers, and for the classroom. Until you prove otherwise, you will be given the privileges of a young adult.
- Academic Dishonesty: There is a zero tolerance policy in this class for any form of cheating. Such instances will result in an automatic zero for the assignment or exam in question.

ASSIGNMENTS:

- All assignments must have the standard heading on the first page; the standard heading consists of the student's name, class period, subject and date.
- Title each assignment.
- All work should be complete, neat and legible. Typewritten work is preferred.

LATE AND MISSING WORK:

- The student is responsible to inquire about work and due dates missed during his or her absence.
- There is no penalty for late work due to an excused absence, providing it is made up within two days after returning to school.
- Unexcused late work will be accepted any time before the unit test over the material covered by the homework. Late work will receive 10% off for each day late (50% minimum).
- All missing work will receive a 25% "F" at the end of the quarter.

DISCLAIMER

The instructor reserves the sole and complete right to modify this syllabus at any time and in any way they see fit.