



Mrs. Burk

8th Grade Social Studies Syllabus

2021-2022

Contact Information

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Course Description

Your student will be using *TCI's History Alive! The United States through Industrialism*. This curriculum provides a physical textbook and an electronic interactive notebook. Students will examine different philosophies, conflicts, and cultures which influenced the early development of the United States and how these factors continue to influence current events.

Rules

- Be Safe!
- Be respectful to yourself and others.
- Follow directions quickly.
- Make smart choices.
- Be prepared for class.

Grading

35% Tests
30% Classwork / Participation
25% Homework
10% Projects

Every trimester a midterm report card and a trimester report card will be sent home. Student progress can be tracked on www.chalk.com - detailed logon information will be provided. Please allow one full week for all homework, classwork, projects, and tests to be graded.

Please check www.hfsauburn.com on a weekly basis for homework assignments and tests.

Parents will be notified by email if grades drop below 80%.

Procedures

- Be seated and ready to work when class begins.
- Put proper heading on all work.
- Use electronic devices only with teacher permission.
- Maintain a clean and orderly work area.
- Bring all supplies to class every day!.
- Complete all of your work and turn it in on time.

Late Work / Absentee Policy

ALL WORK IS DUE ON THE ASSIGNED DATE

- 1 day late - 10% deduction
- 2 days late - 25% deduction
- 3-4 days late - 50% deduction
- 5 or more days late - no credit

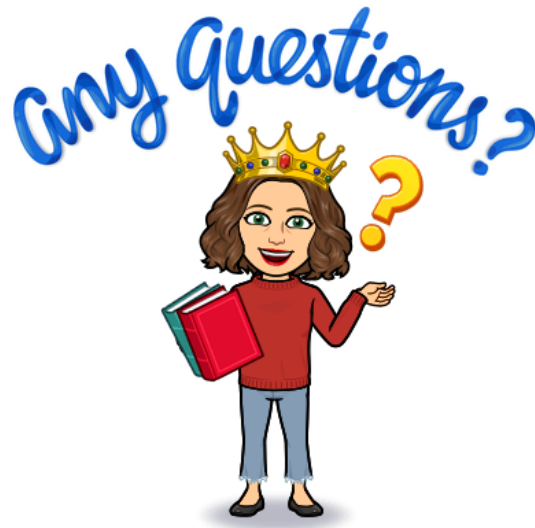
Parents will be notified of late assignments.

ASSIGNMENTS MUST BE COMPLETED AFTER AN ABSENCE

- If a student is absent due to illness, they will be allowed time equal to the number of days missed to submit make up assignments.
- Students are responsible for contacting the teacher to determine what assignments were missed.
- Late work penalties may be applied if assignments are not submitted during the allotted time.

Consequences

- **Warning:** I will provide a verbal reminder to the student as needed.
- **Detention:** If a student's behavior disrupts the class or violates the school handbook policy, they will receive a "Pink Slip" and will serve After School Detention. Parents will be contacted.
- **A Conference** can be requested by a parent or teacher at any time to discuss behavior or grades.



I have read and understand the 8th Grade Social Studies Syllabus. Please sign and have your student return to class.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____