**Parkwood High School**

High School Course Syllabus

 **Course Title** **World History** **Term** Spring
Teacher Mr. Bryan Tamalone room # 602

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| Teacher Support(Help sessions etc.) | Help sessions are available by appointment only. Students should see the instructor to schedule an appointment. |

**Course Description**
This course provides a comprehensive, chronological sur­vey of the significant conditions, challenges and accom­plishments that have influenced the progress of human­kind. Beginning with prehistory, students examine topics associated with the growth of early civilization, classical contributions of Greece and Rome, regional civilizations, and the rise of medieval Europe. Other topics of study include emergence of the modern world, age of revolution, growth of industry and nationalism, world wars in the 20th century, and development of the contemporary world.

**Evaluation and Grading**

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| **Assignments** | **Grade Weights** | **Grading Scale** |
| Classwork & Homework ProjectsQuizzesInterim Assessment (Midterm Exam)Unit TestsFinal Exam | 1st 6 Weeks: 25%2nd 6 Weeks: 25%3rd 6 Weeks: 25%Final Exam: 25% | A: 90 and aboveB: 80 – 89C: 70 – 79D: 60 - 69F: 59 or below |

**Other Information**

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| **Expectations for Academic Success** | **Classroom Expectations** |
| 1. All assignments are to be turned in the day on which they are due. It is the student’s individual responsibility to find out what work was missed due to an absence, NOT the teacher’s
2. Due dates are exactly that. They are not suggestions. Work is to be completed and turned in on time
3. No extra credit will be offered or given at any point – do not neglect your work for the majority of the semester and expect to erase zeroes simply by doing extra work for a few days!
4. I do not expect every student to make perfect grades on every assignment, but I do expect your BEST effort on ALL assignments
 | 1. Follow all UCPS rules and policies
2. Students are to be in their assigned seats when the bell begins to ring at both the beginning and end of class. Tardy students will be dealt with according to Parkwood High School policy.
3. No food or drink is allowed in class. The only exception is water – in a clear, resealable container
4. Come prepared to each class. This means having homework and all necessary materials ready by the opening bell. Work is due at the beginning of class.
5. If something does not belong to you, do not touch it. If you need a pen or pencil, ask someone, do not take it.
6. BE RESPECTFUL – to yourself, your classmates and your teacher at ALL times. Treat others as you would like to be treated.
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| **Cheating Policy** | **Late Work / Make-Up Policy** |
| Any students caught cheating will be given a 0 and will be written up.  | Work will be accepted after the due date. The maximum amount of credit offered for late work will be less than the lowest grade earned by a student, who turned the assignment in on time. No student who turns in work late will be given higher credit than a student who chose to get the work completed on time.  |

*The syllabus may be updated as needed throughout the semester.*