

Social Studies

<u>Grading Policy</u>	Grades will be based on the accumulation of points. Grading is based on completed and measured objectives (In-class assignments, homework, notebook/journal checks, quizzes/tests and projects) Whatever the total number of points for the term may be, your letter grade will be determined by the number of points that you have attained.
<u>Grading Scale</u>	A = 100% – 90% B = 89% – 80% C = 79% – 70% D = 69% – 60% F = 59% – Below
<u>Online Grades</u>	The Social Studies Department will be posting all in-class activities, homework, notebook/journal checks, quizzes/tests, projects and grades on <i>infinitecampus</i> .
<u>Progress & Grade Reports</u>	Progress Reports will be sent home at the mid-point of every term (Every three weeks students and parents will receive an updated on grades).
<u>Quizzes & Tests</u>	Quizzes and tests will be a significant part of your grade. Quizzes are given often. These are short and are designed to test your understanding of the in-class activities, homework and reading assignments. Tests will be given at the end of chapters and units of study. If you miss a quiz or test due to an excused absence, a make-up quiz or test will be offered. All quiz and test make-ups will occur at lunch or afterschool.
<u>Missed & Late Assignments</u>	Any assignments that are missed due to an excused absence can be made up. Late work will be accepted up until the final day of the grading period, but not after the grading period has ended. Late work will not receive full credit (case by case basis). Students will be given a zero if work is not completed within the grading period.
<u>Extra Credit</u>	Extra Credit will NOT be offered or accepted. Do all of your assigned work with detail and care. Students may redo in-class assignments, homework, notebook/journal checks and quizzes/tests, but all work must be turned in by the end of the grading period.
<u>Citizenship Grade</u>	No citizenship grade will be offered.