

IN THE CLASSROOM:

FONTS

Please download the following free fonts from Kimberly Geswein **BEFORE** you edit the syllabus.

KG SORRY NOT SORRY: <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/KG-Sorry-Not-Sorry-Font-Personal-Use-2251126>

KG Satisfied Script: <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/KG-Satisfied-Script-Font-Personal-Use-2671625>

Douglas

U.S. HISTORY

Class Supplies

REQUIRED:

- Composition Notebook
- Multiple pencils
- 12 or more colored pencils
- One glue stick/glue bottle
- Scissors
- Highlighters

RECOMMENDED:

- One portable mouse
- One pair of earbuds
- Colored correcting pens
- Loose college-ruled lined or wide-ruled lined paper

Grades



Parents and students are strongly encouraged to check the [AERIESPARENTPORTAL](#) on a weekly basis to view the most current grades for EVERY class.

Procedures

RULES

- Respect
- Responsibility
- Reality
- No food or drink *only water*
- Keep your dear teacher HAPPY.

EXPECTATIONS

- Be in seat when tardy bell rings.
- Put proper heading on all work.
- Do not use electronic devices in class without teacher permission.
- Use restroom during passing breaks.
- Maintain a clean and orderly work area.
- Bring all of your supplies to class daily.
- Complete all of your work and turn it in on time.
- The bell does not dismiss you, I do.

CONSEQUENCES

- 1 **WARNING:** the teacher provides a verbal reprimand/reminder
- 2 **ACTIONPLAN:** the teacher will meet with the student after class to discuss strategies on how to correct behavior.
- 3 **BEHAVIOR ESSAY:** student will be assigned a behavior essay
- 4 **PHONE CALL HOME:** Parents notified about continued behavior
- 5 **LUNCHDETENTION:** short time spent during lunch to contemplate conduct.
- 6 **REFERRAL TO ADMINISTRATION:** a student will be immediately referred to administration for severe behavior problems.



Late Work

- Work not completed and turned in by the assigned date is considered late.
- Late work will only be accepted **TWO DAYS** after the assigned date. **COMPLETED LATE WORK** will only receive partial credit (50% of the assignment total).
- INCOMPLETE LATE WORK** will not be graded and will result in a zero for the assignment.
- A student must fill out an "Accountability Form" to request a make-up assignment to remove the zero.
- Printer, Internet, and flash drive issues are not an excuse for late work.**

Absent

YES, WE DID SOMETHING IMPORTANT WHILE YOU WERE ABSENT.

- It is the student's responsibility to check the Google Classroom and the "Absent Work Bin" to find any assignments missed.
- A student has **ONE WEEK** to turn in any work assigned on a day a student was absent. If a quiz was administered on a day a student was absent, the student must sign-up for a day to make up the test/quiz before the end of the unit. If previously assigned work was due on the day of the absence, the work is due on the **first** day the student returns.

Technology

CHROMEBOOKS will be used regularly in history. The majority of class assignments, projects, and assessments will be completed digitally through the Google Classroom. Students are expected to abide by all school and district digital safety rules and guidelines. Failure to do so will result in said student being banned from technology while in class.

GOOGLE CLASSROOM CODE:

Plagiarism

PLAGIARISM IS THE TAKING IDEAS AND WRITINGS OF ANOTHER AND PASSING THEM OFF AS ONE'S OWN.


In this class, plagiarism includes...

- turning in another's **work** as one's own
- copying** work from a friend before class (or while in another class)
- including a source but failing to **cite** it
- copying an **author's exact words** and passing them off as one's own

Students caught plagiarizing will be given a ZERO for the assignment.

Cheating

- The teacher will notify the administration and contact parents if **cheating / plagiarism** is suspected.
- The student will be given a **ZERO** for that particular test or assignment.

Please **READ** the course information, **SIGN**, and **RETURN** this sheet to Mrs. Douglas by August 16, 2018. 

Student Name: _____
Period _____
History 2018-2019

- I have read and reviewed the 8th US History course syllabus with my parent(s) or guardian(s) and understand the guidelines and expectations for this course.
- I acknowledge and understand that my failure to abide by these policies may have significant behavior consequences for which I am solely responsible for.
- My signature means that I will fulfill all the **HIGH EXPECTATIONS** that my teacher has set because she respects me and knows that I can achieve great feats!

Student Signature _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

What is the preferred/best way for me to contact parent(s)/ guardian(s) during the day if I have comments regarding your student? Please include relevant information needed to contact (i.e. email, phone number, etc.)

Is there anything else you would like me to know about your student (educationally or personally)?