

**GLOBAL & GEOGRAPHY II – COURSE SYLLABUS**

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**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

This course is required in preparation for the Global Studies regents in June. This course is the second Global Studies course. Global 2 will consist of the study of nonwestern cultures and the Eastern Hemisphere the Age of Absolutism to Present.

**TEXT BOOK:**

World History Connections to Today - The Modern Era - Prentice Hall - ISBN: 0-13-181759-0  
Work book – to be purchased in the school book store

**REQUIRED MATERIALS:**

- notebook, loose leaf, folder, pens, and *covered textbook*
- 1” Binder: *Name on Binding and on cover*
- (black or blue pens only - for tests and homework)

**COURSE OUTLINE:****Intro to Course**

Intense review of Global 1 main ideas & key concepts

**Unit I - Early Modern Times (1300-1800)**

Chapter 4 - The Age of Absolutism

**Unit II - Enlightenment and Revolution**

Chapter 5 - The Enlightenment and The American Revolution

Chapter 6 - The French Revolution and Napoleon

Chapter 7 - The Industrial Revolution Begins

Chapter 8 - Revolution in Europe & Latin America

**Unit III - Industrialism and a New Global Age**

Chapter 9 - Life in the Industrial Age

Chapter 10 - Nationalism Triumphs in Europe

Chapter 11 - Growth of Western Democracies

Chapter 12 - The New Imperialism

Chapter 13 - New Global Patterns

**Unit IV - World Wars and Revolutions**

Chapter 14 - World War I and Its Aftermath

Chapter 15 - Revolution in Russia

Chapter 16 - Nationalism and Revolution Around the World

Chapter 17 - Crisis of Democracy in the West

Chapter 18 - World War II and Its Aftermath

**Unit V- The World Today - 1945 to Present**

Chapter 19 - The World Since 1945: An Overview

Chapter 20 - Europe and North America

Chapter 21 - East Asia and Southeast Asia

Chapter 22 - South Asia and the Middle East

Chapter 23 - Africa

Chapter 24 - Latin America

**CLASSROOM POLICIES:**

Abide by all SHHS school rules and policies outlined in the handbook

Respectful of yourself, your peers, and teacher

Come prepared and on time

ZERO tolerance policy for cheating

ZERO tolerance policy for plagiarism

**COURSE WORK:**

Please see my website: [www.vmcdhistory.weebly.com](http://www.vmcdhistory.weebly.com)

Assignments are given with a due date that will be strictly enforced

Assignments must be turned in at the *beginning of class* on due date

Assignments will be graded

Some assignments will require typing

Use proper heading and full sentences on all assignments

**Late work will receive NO credit** (excused absence – see weekly assignment sheets)

Missed Exams (excused absence see me to schedule makeup – *preferably* before or after school)

**GRADING –**

- See Course Grading Sheet for more detail

**ABSENCE:**

- YOU are responsible for finding notes, home works and other class information from a peer or me. Missed tests speak to me.

**COURSE HEADING:**

Name

Global 2

Topic of Assignment

Date

**\*Period #**