

**THIS IS A COPY OF THE INSTRUCTIONS THAT ARE ON CANVAS.
GO TO CANVAS TO ACCESS THE NECESSARY INFORMATION.
YOU CANNOT DO THE PROJECT WITHOUT GOING TO CANVAS AND
JOINING THE COURSE CALLED
“A.P. WORLD HISTORY SUMMER 2020 – 2021”**

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Read all below before you do anything:

As you have seen in the course description, we will be studying World History from approximately 1200 C.E. until the present. The workload for this course is not going to be easy. However, it is a great opportunity to earn credits and free yourself from a 3-credit course in your first or second year of college. Moreover, you will become accustomed to the conduct and workload of a typical university-level humanities course, and the responsibility it places upon the individual. I have every confidence that you will do well.

All information that you need to complete the project is on this page. Do not contact me during summer to ask for information that is found on this page. Read the directions.

Follow these directions carefully:

Use a solid notebook (you may need more than one), NOT a loose-leaf binder or spiral notebook. Your grade will be based upon: neatness, thoroughness, and attention to detail.

This project is worth 100 points. I advise you to take it seriously. Work a bit at a time and do not put it off until the last minute. The assignment must be complete but concise; and hand written. If you take shortcuts, I will know...and I will grade accordingly. Your score on the summer project will be divided by four, and the points distributed throughout all four academic quarters in blocks of 25 possible points per quarter.

CHAPTER OUTLINES FOR SUMMER PROJECT ARE ON CANVAS, UNDER "PAGES", AND "FILES" (SAME DOCUMENT)

THE ASSIGNMENT (Due the first day of school):

1) On canvas under "pages" (or "files") you will find 32 outlines, one for each chapter. Your assignment is to outline the outlines, in your notebook, by hand, keeping the original format structure.

Meaning, read each outline carefully, and take notes on it...outline it.

Each chapter outline should be about one and a half, but no longer than two pages hand written.

While working, be mindful of these themes, as they are the basis of the AP Exam and the course:

Theme 1: Interaction Between Humans and the Environment

Theme 2: Development and Interaction of Cultures

Theme 3: State (Nation) -Building, Expansion, and Conflict

Theme 4: Creation, Expansion, and Interaction of Economic Systems

Theme 5: Development and Transformation of Social Structures

Go to the AP World History website (link is below) for further explanation that will help you to understand the "5 Themes". Do this, or you will not do well.

2) At the end of each outline, label each theme as above, and list a few (at least 3) examples from the outline that fit the particular theme. The theme title with bullet points under it is fine, but be sure to list concepts, not single words.

3) For more information about the themes, the course, and the exam, visit <https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/courses/ap-world-history-modern> This is the page for AP World History.

This site has tons of information about the course and the exam. Take advantage of it.

Be advised that it is your responsibility to become familiar with the navigation and content of the AP World History College Board webpage.

It is also your responsibility to become familiar with navigation of the textbook website.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

YOU CANNOT REMAIN IN THE A.P. CLASS WITHOUT DOING THE SUMMER PROJECT.

LATE OR INCOMPLETE PROJECTS WILL RECEIVE A MANDATORY DEDUCTION OF 30 POINTS

ONCE THE PROJECT IS COMPLETED. IF YOU DO NOT INTEND TO DO THE PROJECT COMPLETE

AND ON TIME, DROP THE CLASS.

Now go back and read the directions a few more times.