

Social Studies B – U.S. History

Welcome to U.S. history! You will need to bring several pencils with you to class each day. A notebook and a folder will be provided for you to use in class. The course syllabus is as follows:

Weeks 1 & 2	The Growth of a New Nation
Weeks 3 - 6	A Nation Divided Competency Test 1
Weeks 5 & 6	A Growing Nation Competency Test 2
Weeks 7 - 9	Becoming a World Leader Competency Test 3
Weeks 9 & 10	Years of Uncertainty Competency Test 4
Weeks 11 - 13	The United States in Crisis Competency Test 5
Weeks 14- 17	A Changing Society and Years of Change Competency Test 6
Week 18	A New Century

GRADING:

1. Classwork will be assigned and graded.
2. Tests will be given at the end of each unit of study.
3. There will be a review before each test.
4. The 9 weeks grade will consist of 33% tests, 33% graded classwork, and 33% participation.


COMMUNICATION:

1. A mastery of 70% of the competencies within the functional social studies curriculum is the goal for each student. A checklist will be kept for each student.
2. Individual progress reports will be sent each 9 weeks.
3. The completed competency checklist will be available for parent review.

RULE AND CLASSROOM BEHAVIOR:

All school rules will be enforced in this classroom. See handbook for specifics.

1. Verbal warning by teacher.
2. Parental contact by teacher.
3. ISS and Discipline Referral.
4. Immediate Discipline Referral for serious disruptive behavior.



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child this semester. Please call me at Dorman if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Young
582-4347 ext.2218

Please return this portion of the letter. Thank you.

I have read the class procedures for this class for 2010-2011.

_____ Parent/Guardian Signature

_____ Student Signature