**Grade 10 History Course Outline 2014/15**

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|  | **Unit** | **Approximate completion date** | **Assessment** |
| **QUARTER 1** | **Introduction to Modern World History Renaissance and Reformation*** Pre-Renaissance. (Feudalism, manorial system, plague)
* The Renaissance in Italy. (Humanism, art, city life, impact)
* The Northern Renaissance.
* The people of the Renaissance.
* The Reformation and the spread of information
 | September 12th 2014 | There are usually **THREE** major assessments per quarter each worth 25% of your quarter grade. The remaining 25% includes periodic homework assignments and class participation.*LATE POLICY: All assignments are due on the assigned day. Any assignments submitted after the due date will be penalized a 2% deduction per day including weekends. Homework should take about 30 minutes per night.*QUARTER 1 ASSESSMENTORAL/VISUAL PRESENTATIONS ON THE RENAISSANCE - 25%September 8 to 12ESSAY ON UNIT 1 – 25%September 29 to October 3rdIN-CLASS TEST ON UNIT 2 – 25%October 15 to October 21 |
| **Exploration, Enlightenment and the Scientific Revolution*** Reasons for Exploration, Enlightenment and the Scientific Revolution.
* Important figures from the Scientific Revolution.
* The lasting political, social and economic effects of the Scientific Revolution.
* Enlightenment thinkers, their ideas and impact
* Long and short term causes of Exploration and its impact on Europe and the New World.
* Slavery “Does slavery causes racism or does racism cause slavery?”
 | October 21st 2014 |
| **QUARTER 2** | **Unit** | **Approximate completion date** | **Assessment** |
| **England Develops a Limited Monarchy*** What provoked the growth of modern political institutions?
* Why those institutions have taken various forms?
* Why Britain established a constitutional monarchy?
* How did events in England affect America?
 | 25th November | There are usually **THREE** major assessments per quarter each worth 25% of your quarter grade. The remaining 25% includes periodic homework assignments and class participation.*LATE POLICY: All assignments are due on the assigned day. Any assignments submitted after the due date will be penalized a 2% deduction per day including weekends.*QUARTER 2 ASSESSMENTIN CLASS TEST ON ENGLAND – 20%November 24 to November 28HISTORY / SCIENCE CROSS CURICULAR PROJECT – 30%December 8th to December 12th AMERICAN REVOLUTION SOURCEWORKJanuary 8th |
| **The American Revolution*** Reasons for the settlement of the American colonies.
* The policy of mercantilism and the causes of conflict between the colonists and England.
* The ideals of the American Declaration of Independence.
* What happened during the American Revolution?
* Compare and contrast how Enlightenment ideas and other events influenced the American and Glorious Revolution.
* Was it really a revolution
 | 10th January 2014 |
| **QUARTER 3** | **Unit** | **Approximate completion date** | **Assessment** |
| **Absolute Monarchy and the French Revolution*** The structure of absolute monarchy in France.
* The growth of French power under Louis XIV.
* Why old regime collapsed and the key events of the early part of the French Revolution.
* How and why did the revolution turn violent?
* Reactions to the French Revolution.
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* GROUP OR INDIVIDUAL

March 16th to March 19th |
| **The Age of Industry 1750 - 1914*** Causes of the industrial revolution.
* Changes in Technology, labor systems and demographics.
* Life in the industrial age. (Working and living conditions)
* The spread of industry. (Compare Britain and one other society)
* Changing class systems, the role of women.
* Capitalism vs. the birth of socialism and labor movements.
 | March 19th 2015 |
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| **QUARTER 4** | **Imperialism and Nationalism** * Industrial revolution and its dramatic impacts on the world
* Forces that contributed to imperialism and nationalism
* Various forms of colonial control
* Imperialism in Africa and Asia and how it still affects the world today
* The reactions of regions of the world to Western economic domination
 | April 15th 2015 | There are usually **THREE** major assessments per quarter each worth 25% of your quarter grade. The remaining 25% includes periodic homework assignments and class participation.*LATE POLICY: All assignments are due on the assigned day. Any assignments submitted after the due date will be penalized a 2% deduction per day including weekends.* QUARTER 4 ASSESSMENT REDESIGNING THE MAP OF AFRICA– 25%April 25th to April 29th INDEPENDENT STUDY UNIT – 30% May 18th to 22nd WW1 SOURCE ANALYSIS ASSIGNMENTMay 25th to 29th |
| **World War 1*** The complexity of process that led the First World War (including nationalism, imperialism, militarism, alliance system).
* Why the war did not result in a quick victory.
* The influence technological innovations and tactical choices had on the course of WW1
* The concept of total war
* The terms of the peace treaties following WW1 and why the treaties were so controversial
 | May 29th 2015 |