**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 ASSESSMENT  ORAL/VISUAL PRESENTATIONS ON THE RENAISSANCE - 25%  September 8 to 12  ESSAY ON UNIT 1 – 25%  September 29 to October 3rd  IN-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 ASSESSMENT  IN CLASS TEST ON ENGLAND – 20%  November 24 to November 28  HISTORY / SCIENCE CROSS CURICULAR PROJECT – 30%  December 8th to December 12th  AMERICAN REVOLUTION SOURCEWORK  January 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. | February 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 3 ASSESSMENT  MULTIMEDIA ASSIGNMENT LED BY MR GILDART TBA  February 16th to 18th – 25%  IN CLASS TEST ON THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION – 25%  February 23rd to February 28th  EMPATHEIC / CREATIVE ASSIGNMENT ON THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION   * DIARY, DRAMA, NEWSCAST – 25% * 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 ASSIGNMENT  May 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 |