

**American Studies History 8**  
**2022-2023 Syllabus**  
**Townsend Junior High School**

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Practice: Classwork/ Homework	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Classwork will be assigned daily and will become Homework if not completed in class.</li> <li>❖ Homework assignments are due the next class meeting if not completed during class time. Work assigned on Friday will be due the following week on Tuesday.</li> <li>❖ Homework is considered complete when: completed legible and colored neatly, if required.</li> <li>❖ <u>Late homework</u> will only be accepted for the current chapter of study and receive partial credit.</li> <li>❖ Interactive Notebook will be graded at the end of a chapter. Students will be given the grading rubric.</li> </ul>	<p>10-30 points</p> <p>50 points</p>
Interactive Notebook	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Students are to maintain an Interactive NoteBook, INB, in History which will contain Classwork/Homework including notes, foldables, graphic organizers and other graphics.</li> <li>❖ The purpose of the INB is to help students keep notes and work organized and available for review.</li> <li>❖ INBs will be graded informally during chapter and formally at the end of chapter.</li> </ul>	50 points
Quizzes: Formative Assessments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Quizzes allow students to monitor how well they know the content before the Summative Assessment.</li> <li>❖ There are no retakes on quizzes.</li> <li>❖ Quizzes will occur weekly/bi-weekly, unless there is a test, and are based on current unit/chapter of learning.</li> <li>❖ If absent for a quiz, student must take it within 5 days of their return, or it will become a ZERO in the gradebook!!</li> <li>❖ Quizzes may include: Tickets Out the Door, Group Quizzes, Google Forms, and others.</li> </ul>	Points vary, not more than 50
Tests: Summative Assessments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Tests allow students to monitor how well they know the content without using aids.</li> <li>❖ Tests will occur once a chapter/unit is completed.</li> <li>❖ If absent for a test, student must take it within 5 days of their return, or it will become a ZERO in the gradebook!!</li> <li>❖ Tests may include: Projects, Reports, Presentations, Google forms, and others.</li> </ul>	100 pts.
Absences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ The prior assignment given is due on the first day Student returns.</li> <li>❖ Each student is responsible to make-up notes and work missed due to absence.</li> <li>❖ All absent work is due within 5 days of return from absence for full credit.</li> <li>❖ In the case of prolonged absence, it is the student's responsibility to meet with the teacher to set up an acceptable time frame for make-up work.</li> </ul>	N/A
Academic Honesty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Any student found violating Academic Honesty will receive a zero credit for the assignment/assessment and follow Progressive Discipline.</li> </ul>	
Google Class Room, GCR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Login to the History Google Class Room daily, Monday- Friday.</li> <li>❖ Complete and turn in posted assignments and assessments by due date.</li> <li>❖ Have Charged Wi-Fi enabled device in class daily.</li> </ul>	

# BE SAFE

## BE RESPECTFUL

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### Recommended Supplies for Class:

Pencils with erasers  
Colored Pencils/  
Crayons  
3 Subject Notebook  
(8 ½ by 11)  
Correcting Pen  
Highlighters  
Glue Sticks/Glue  
Small Ruler  
Student Scissors  
Post-its

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### Class Expectations

- Be in assigned seat when tardy bell rings.
- Bring supplies to class each day.
- Record assignments in student agenda daily.
- Complete assigned CW/HW nightly.
- Respect other classmates, their opinions, and their property.
- Appropriately and actively participate in class discussions.

\*School progressive discipline will be followed; parents will be contacted.

\*\*Donations of Facial Tissue and Jolly Ranchers or small candy are always appreciated!

### Work Habits/Citizenship:

**student participation, work ethic,  
and behavior in class.**

O Outstanding  
S Satisfactory  
N Needs Improvement  
U Unsatisfactory

## BE RESPONSIBLE

### Grading Policy:

<b>Practice:</b>	<b>40%:</b>
-Classwork/Homework	30%
-Interactive Notebook	10%
<b>Assessment:</b>	<b>60%:</b>
-Formative	25%
-Summative	35%

### Grade Scale:

A	90-100%
B	80-89%
C	70-79%
D	60-69%
F	0-59%

AERIES gradebook will be updated regularly.

**WORKING HARD  
IS IMPORTANT.  
BUT THERE IS  
SOMETHING  
THAT MATTERS  
EVEN MORE:  
BELIEVING IN  
YOURSELF.**

*HARRY POTTER*