

MODERN US HISTORY

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Course Description:

This course addresses the social, economic, political, and military aspects of the United States from the Civil War to the present. The course will emphasize the important people, issues, and events of the 19th century through our present day. This two-semester course is a District 205 graduation requirement.

Grading Scale

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

This course will cover the following topics:

- **The Civil War**
- **Industrial Revolution**
- **Move to the West**
- **Imperialism**
- **World War I**

Class Expectations

1. All District 205 rules will be enforced. This includes no fighting. IDs must be worn around your neck and displayed throughout the class period.
2. You are expected to be in the classroom on time.
3. Be courteous to your classmates and teacher. Putdowns, profanity, and using the word shut-up will not be tolerated.
4. Please read the board when you enter the room. Test dates, assignments and class expectations will be listed.
5. All assignments must be written in ink and labeled properly. Assignments written in pencil or not properly labeled will be handed back without a grade.
6. You are expected to do your best and ask for help when needed.