

Welcome to 6th Grade Social Studies with Ms. Grady

Text: World History Journey Across Time- The Early Ages

*This book is also available on-line for your convenience. See enclosed directions to link.

Expectations:

- ❖ Students will be expected to maintain a binder, which will include notes, vocabulary, map skills, current events, etc. Binder checks will be done on occasion and points will be awarded.
- ❖ Students are expected to bring all necessary materials to class.
- ❖ Homework must be completed at the time it is due in order to receive full credit. Late work turned in no later than the following day will receive ½ the available points, after which a zero will be given.
- ❖ Students will be learning to take notes using the Cornell Note taking system (I notes)
- ❖ Students will be using a variety of learning techniques and styles.
- ❖ Students learn how to work successfully in cooperative learning groups.
- ❖ Students are expected to have all the designated materials.

Grading:

- ✓ The trimester grade is a reflection of the total percentage of accumulated points earned by the student. Tests, quizzes, and projects will carry a significantly higher point value.
- * Work Habit Points: 10% of final grade
- * Daily Work & Assignment Points: 30 % of final grade
- * Tests, Quizzes, & Extended Project Points: 40% of final grade

✓ Points will be awarded for daily assignments, work habits, binders, cooperative learning activities, quizzes, tests, projects, independent reading, etc.

✓ 100-90 A

✓ 80-89 B

✓ 70- 79 C

✓ 60- 69 D

✓ 59-below F

Extra credit points may be given on occasion.

For course outline, please refer to the 6th grade packet.