

7TH GRADE SOCIAL STUDIES SYLLABUS

Adventure Awaits

WELCOME!

Welcome to my class! I am excited to begin a new year with you. In this syllabus you will find useful information for the year. Please read over the syllabus and let me know if you have any questions!

Sincerely,
Ms. A. Mac

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MATERIALS REQUIRED EVERYDAY

1. Social Studies Binder with paper
2. Pencil
3. Agenda



*Whenever you go, go with all your heart
~Confucius*

CLASS WEBSITE

- Check out our site for information, games, & videos! <http://scmshistory7.weebly.com>

UNITS FOR THE YEAR

- Historical Thinking
- Archaeology & The Stone Age
- Mesopotamia & The Fertile Crescent
- Ancient Egypt
- Ancient India & China
- Ancient Greece & Persia
- Ancient Rome
- The Middle Ages
- Renaissance & Reformation

TEXT ALERTS & REMINDERS

Text the message @amacsc to the number 81010.



If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting @amacsc to (502) 257-7181.

* Standard text message rates apply.



HOW WILL I BE GRADED?

- Grades will be out of 100%
- Grades come from two categories:
 - “Try It” Assignments (40%)
 - “Prove It” Assignments (60%)

1. “TRY IT” ASSIGNMENTS are to practice what we have learned in class. These assignments include assigned homework and activities that you were not able to finish during class time. In addition, we learn vocabulary each unit that you are responsible for practicing.

2. “PROVE IT” ASSIGNMENTS show me what you’ve learned. These include quizzes, tests, and projects. Tests and quizzes will be announced in advance as you are EXPECTED to STUDY! Additionally, we will work on hands-on & in-depth research projects to help use our historical skills.

WORK EXPECTATIONS

- Must be of high quality & effort. Work not meeting expectations will be redone for partial credit.
- Must be legible- If I cannot read it, I cannot grade it, and must have your name on it.
- Must be your own, unless it is part of a group activity.
- Must be turned in on the due date unless you are absent. Please see the team late work policy.
- It is your responsibility to get make-up work when you miss school. Each day’s assignments are posted in folders. If you do not make up work in a timely manner, you will receive a “0”.

CLASSROOM EXPECTATIONS

I will practice Kindness, Respect, Responsibility, Honesty, Preparedness, & Diligence

1. Be Kind
2. Be Respectful
3. Be Responsible
4. Be Honest
5. Be Prepared
6. Be Diligent

WHEN EXPECTATIONS ARE NOT MET...

1. If you are having difficulty meeting our class expectations, we will meet to develop a plan for your success.
2. If you choose to treat other people poorly you will be given an opportunity to make things right. If you continue to treat others with disrespect, you will meet with our administrators for further consequences.
3. If you misbehave with a substitute teacher, you will receive 3D when I return.
4. If you are dishonest by cheating or copying on an assignment, quiz, test, etc. you will receive a zero.

