

Mr. Pedota/ Mrs. Koob/
Global History and Geography 2019/2020

Name _____
Date _____

Welcome to Global History and Geography. Global History and Geography is a two year course. Students are in their second year of Global History. In June, students will take a Regents Exam based on 10th grade Global Studies Curriculum.

Classroom Rules:

1. Be on time to class. Students must be in their seat when the bell rings. Walking in the classroom when the bell rings does not count. If you are late three times, this will result in a referral.
2. Be prepared and be ready to learn each day. Bring the necessary materials to class. The “Do Now” and homework will be posted on the Smart Board every day. Make sure you complete the “Do Now” and Exit Ticket.
3. Cell phones and other technologies need to be silenced and should be kept on desk and not used.
4. Homework will be given on a regular basis. Homework needs to be on your desk when the bell rings.
5. Respect the rights and dignity of others and their property.
6. Observe and follow all the rules as stated in the John Jay’s Code of Conduct.
7. Misbehaving, excessive talking, excessive lateness, doing no work, and or rude conduct will result in a referral, a phone call home and lunch detention(s).

Necessary Materials:

Each student is required to have a 1” or 1.5” binder, two pens, two pencils, looseleaf paper, and a highlighter. The classroom rules need to be signed by a parent/ guardian and returned the next school day.

Grading will be based on a points system.

100 Points--- Tests, Essays, and Projects
50 Points--- Quizzes
10- 30 Points--- Homework
10 Points--- “Do Nows” and Exit Tickets
20-50 Points--- Classwork Activities and Participation

Tests, Quizzes, and Projects: We will review before a test or quiz. However, it is the student’s responsibility to review the material at home before the test or quiz. Anything covered in class, the student is responsible for. This includes notes, articles, classwork, group activities, readings, and classroom discussions. Students will be given a review sheet that they need to complete and know for tests and quizzes.

Homework: Homework will be assigned on a regular basis and checked on the day it is due. Late homework will not be accepted unless you were absent on the day the homework was assigned or absent on the day the homework was due. Late essays and projects will be accepted but points will be deducted. *If you were absent on the day the homework was assigned or checked, it is the student’s responsibility to get the homework and show the teacher the completed homework the next school day.*

Classwork and Participation: Students are expected to complete classwork and try their best every day. It is expected that students take notes, complete worksheets, and participate in large and small group activities, and class discussions. Students also need to be cooperative during class.

“Do Nows” and Exit Tickets: Students will need to complete “Do Nows” and Exit Tickets.

Parents/ Guardians:

I will contact you if the need arises. Please feel free to contact me at John Jay High School at 897-6700 extension 30090 or 30088 or email me at joseph.pedota@wcsdny.org if you have any questions or concerns.

Please sign the form below and return it to me through your son or daughter. Thank you for your support and I hope to see you at Open House!

Sincerely,

Mr. Pedota

Parent _____

Work Phone _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Number _____

Email _____