

0414 Global Studies 2**Category:** Social Studies **Grade:** 10 **No. of trimesters:** 3 **Credits:** 1

Global Studies 2 continues the study of world history to the present time. Major areas of emphasis will include: the Industrial Revolution; the rise of nationalism in Europe; the Age of Imperialism in Africa and Asia; World War I; World War II; the Cold War; developments in the modern world; and conclude with a unit on Economics. Students will work on projects, complete research, write essays, participate in discussions, do outside reading, and complete research papers. Connecting the past to the present through discussion of current events and geography is an integral part of class. This course is geared to students planning to attend a two or four year college.

0415 Honors Global Studies 2**Category:** Social Studies **Grade:** 10 **No. of trimesters:** 3 **Credits:** 1

Honors Global Studies 2 continues the study of world history to the present time. Major areas of emphasis will include: the Industrial Revolution; the rise of nationalism in Europe; the Age of Imperialism in Africa and Asia; World War I; World War II; the Cold War; developments in the modern world; and conclude with a unit on Economics. Students will work on projects, complete research, write essays, participate in discussions, do outside reading, and complete research papers. Connecting the past to the present through discussion of current events and geography is an integral part of class. This course is geared to students preparing for AP level courses and/or highly competitive four-year colleges. Therefore, courses at the honors level are designed for students with high level reading and writing proficiency.

0457 Tech Prep U.S. History**Category:** Social Studies **Grade:** 11 **No. of trimesters:** 3 **Credits:** 1

This course will focus on American History from the Civil War to the present. Primary emphasis will be placed on the 20th century, as well as the relevance of historical events to current issues. A focus unit on civics and US Government will also be incorporated during the year. Students in this course will participate in class discussions, presentations, debates and projects. Students are also expected to complete a term paper.

0458 College Prep U.S. History**Category:** Social Studies **Grade:** 11 **No. of trimesters:** 3 **Credits:** 1

The expectations for this course are modeled on college expectations. Students will be expected to do independent research, complete assignments independently, and be prepared for rigorous class discussions. In addition to the focus on the twentieth century for which the textbook will serve as a guide, other readings will be an important component of the curriculum. The completion of a term paper on a public policy issue, is one of several long term projects. A focus unit on civics and US Government will also be incorporated during the year.

0454 AP U.S. History**Category:** Social Studies **Grade:** 11-12 **No. of trimesters:** 3 **Credits:** 1

The curriculum will cover the period of American History from discovery to the present day. Students will use and analyze primary sources, including documentary material, maps, statistical tables, pictorial and graphic evidence to study historical events. A focus unit on civics will follow the AP Exam. STUDENTS MUST TAKE THE AP EXAM.