Kemper Academy

6th Grade World History

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Course Objective: *World History* guides students through the story of history, starting with creation and continuing to the present. Students will analyze five key themes throughout history from a biblical perspective: justice, power, citizenship, environment, and world religions. They will also do specific studies on Africa, the East, Asia, pre-colonization Americas, and empires in Africa, India, and Asia. As they trace the major patterns in world history, they will see how those themes point more and more clearly to the triumph of the kingdom of God.

Listing of the course material to be covered:

- 1. Preparing World Studies
- 2. Emergence of Europe
- 3. Kingdoms of Asia and Mongol Empire
- 4. Renaissance and Reformation
- 5. Age of European Exploration
- 6. Africa and the Rise of Slave Trade
- 7. Colonization of the Americas
- 8. Empires of Eurasia
- 9. Changes in European Power and Thought
- 10. Oceania
- 11. The Atlantic Revolutions
- 12. The Industrial Revolution
- 13. Radical Movements
- 14. Colonial Africa
- 15. Russia
- 16. War, Instability, and Depression
- 17. World War II
- 18. The Cold War
- 19. Africa, Asia, and Middle East
- 20. Events of Islamic World

Supplies Required:

- 2 inch three-ring binder
- I pack of wide ruled notebook paper to be left in class.
- 1 pack of colored pencils
- Pack of number 2 pencils
- 2 packs of dividers

The supply list is available on <u>https://www.teacherlists.com</u>. Under the Parent tab, click on "Find a List". Enter "39328" as the zip. Click on Kemper Academy school. Items from the list can be immediately added to an Amazon cart making school supply shopping quick and easy!

iGrade:

All parents will have access to the parent portal in our schools grading system, **iGrade**. In order to take advantage of this parent portal, a valid email address must be on file. Parents are able to view assignments and grades as they are entered into the system. Please note that each teacher reserves the right to alter grades as necessary once posted. Parents are more than welcome - and encouraged! - to contact the school office to set-up a parent/teacher conference at any point during the school year.

Grading Scale:

Each student's final grade is determined as follows:

- Fall Semester Grade: 50%
 - o 50% First Nine Weeks, 50% Second Nine Weeks
- Spring Semester Grade: 50%
 - o 50% Third Nine Weeks, 50% Fourth Nine Weeks

Each student's Nine-Week grade is determined as follows:

- Daily participation: 15%
- Graded homework: 15%
- Subject quizzes: 50%
- Nine-week test: 20%