# United States History and Government

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### Units of Study

Colonial Foundations 1607 - 1763	Constitutional Foundations (163-1824)	Expansion, Nationalism, and Sectionalism (1800-1865)	Post-Civil War (1865-1900) and Civil Rights (1865 – Present)
Industrialization and Urbanization (1870 – 1920)	Rise of American Power (1890 – 1929)	Depression (1929 – 1941) - World War II (1935 – 1945)	Cold War, Economic and Social Change, and the United States in a Globalizing World (1945 – 1990),

# Grading - Total Point System

Homework: This year homework will be optional. A Castlelearning assignment will be placed online every week and due Friday at the end of the day. If students do the assignment and get over a 70, they will get full credit for doing their homework. If students chose to not do the assignment they will receive no grade. Castlelearning assignments will be locked every Friday and not accepted late.

Quizzes: There will be a quiz most Fridays. Quizzes will consist of 10 to 20 questions. Each question will be worth 2 points. Students will only have one week to make up their work or do quiz corrections on Castlelearning.

Tests – There will be up to three tests a unit. Tests will be worth 50 to 100 points. All review materials will be on Schoology so students are expected to take the test even if they are not in school the previous day. Students will have up to one week to retest if they fail or to take their test if they were not in school.

Essays – Students will be given essays on a regular basis. Essays will be worth 25 to 50 points. All essays will be done in class.

Class Work – Students will have 5 to 15 points of classwork every day. Most classwork will be done on Schoology so students can do it if they are absent. Class work assignments will be locked a week after they are due. After that time, late work will not be accepted.

### Classroom rules:

- 1. Arrive to class on time.
- 2. Stay in class and have a pass to travel to public spaces.
- 3. Be safe and respect others' personal dignity and space.
- 4. Listen, acknowledge, and respond to directives and requests.
- 5. Use appropriate and respectful language with peers and adults.

### ONE VOICE!!

Attendance Policy – All work is on Schoology. Students are expected to make up work when absent.

The best way to reach me is through my email.