

Mrs. Lee
AP World History



Schedule for Sept. 5- Sept. 15, 2006

<i>Date</i>	<i>A – block (Section 1)</i>	<i>C-Block (Section 2)</i>
Tues, Sept. 5 (Day 1)	Course Expectations and Syllabus; Summer Reading Quiz <i>HW:</i> 1) <i>Get supplies and expectations letter signed by parents</i> 2) <i>Textbook Scavenger Hunt</i> 3) <i>Begin Historiography Assignment (FRI)</i>	Course Expectations and Syllabus; Summer Reading Quiz <i>HW:</i> 1) <i>Get supplies and expectations letter signed by parents</i> 2) <i>Textbook Scavenger Hunt</i> 3) <i>Begin Historiography Assignment (FRI)</i>
Wed, Sept. 6 (Day 2)	Notebook structure; Study Groups Mapping; Periodization; AP Themes and Habits of Mind <i>HW:</i> 1) <i>Finish Historiography Assignment/Socratic Seminar</i> 2) <i>Work on Summer Reading Assignments</i>	No Class Meeting
Thur., Sept. 7 (Day 3)	No Class Meeting	Notebook structure; Study Groups Mapping; Periodization; AP Themes and Habits of Mind <i>HW:</i> 1) <i>Finish Historiography Assignment/Socratic Seminar</i> 2) <i>Work on Summer Reading Assignments</i>
Fri., Sept. 8 (Day 4)	Socratic Seminar: Historiography <i>HW: Summer Reading – Monkey Assignment – Due on Monday in class</i>	Socratic Seminar: Historiography <i>HW: Summer Reading- Monkey Assignment – Due on Monday morning (Please put on Mrs. Lee’s office desk)</i>
Mon, Sept. 11 (DAY 5)	*MONKEY Assignment DUE* Activity: Archaeology and Chronological Records in World History <i>HW:</i> 1) <i>Begin Ch. 2 in Spodek – take outline notes and use one of the “Doing World History” methods to process chapter.</i> 2) <i>Read Handout “Civilization” and respond to Part II</i>	*MONKEY Assignment DUE* <i>(Please put on Mrs. Lee’s office desk)</i> No Class Meeting
Tues, Sept. 12 (DAY 6)	No Class Meeting	Activity: Archaeology and Chronological Records in World History <i>HW:</i> 1) <i>Begin Ch. 2 in Spodek – take outline notes and use one of the “Doing World History” methods to process chapter.</i> 2) <i>Read Handout “Civilization” and respond to Part II</i>
Wed, Sept. 13 (DAY 7)	Human Web Activity and Discussion <i>HW: Summer Reading Essay</i>	Human Web Activity and Discussion <i>HW: Summer Reading Essay</i>
Thur, Sept. 14 (DAY 8)	No Class Meeting	No Class Meeting
Fri., Sept. 15 (DAY 1)	*Summer Reading Essay DUE* Discussion on rise of Civilizations and Ch. 2; Activity: Guns, Germs, Steel by Diamond <i>HW: Finish Ch. 2 in Spodek (Notes, DWH, CE)</i>	*Summer Reading Essay DUE* Discussion on rise of Civilizations and Ch. 2; Activity: Guns, Germs, Steel by Diamond <i>HW: Finish Ch. 2 in Spodek (Notes, DWH, CE)</i>

(schedule subject to changes – will be announced in class)

Assignments listed are **due the next class period, unless otherwise noted.

Dear AP World History Students:

Welcome to my class! I am looking forward to working with you this year to teach you as well as learn from you. For the first two weeks of school, I want to spend some time going over some of the important skills you will need to be an effective historian for my class. Being a historian is like being a good detective. What skills would Sherlock Holmes employ?

AP World History may be a little overwhelming at first. We basically cover 8500 years of history in little less than 6 weeks! Another analogy you'll hear me use often is the "forest not the trees." AP World History is a study of the entire forest. It's big, broad and expansive, but hopefully at some point, you'll be able to appreciate the big picture approach to world history.

I make a bi-weekly schedule like this one to give you a heads up for what we will be doing in class. If there are any changes in the schedule, I will let you know in advance. We follow pretty close to this schedule because of the fast pace of this course. You can access this same schedule on my website: <http://mrslee.us> or linked to the Weston High School Homeworkknow.com page which is accessible through <http://www.homeworknow.com>.

Since I am here only half the day (I usually leave by 11:15), my time to meet with you may be limited. However, I am usually here at school before 7:00 AM and you can reach me through email (leea@mail.weston.org) or by AIM. My screenname is mrslee55555.

And now...off we go!

Calvin and Hobbes cartoon