

# OHHS (Social Studies) Department

## Course Syllabus



**Course Name:** United States History

**Course Code:** SSO30A

**Course Description:** United States History survey course covering 1890-Present

**Prerequisites:**

None. *Graduation Requirement*

**Course Resources**

Textbook- History Alive! Pursuing American Ideals

**Course Outline/Instructional Units:**

- 1- Review of American Founding Ideals
- 2 - Industrialism and Reform (end of 1800's-1920)
- 3- Expanding American Global Influence (19<sup>th</sup> century-1921)
- 4- The Roaring Twenties and the Great Depression (1914-1944)
- 5- World War Two and the Cold War (1917-1960)
- 6- The Search for a Better Life (1945-1990)
- 7- Tumultuous Times (1954-1980)
- 8- The Making of Modern America (1980-Present)

**Major Assessments**

- Chapter quizzes
- Document Based Question essays
- Final exams

OHHS Grading	
Letter Grade	Percentage to earn
A	93% and above
A-	90% - 92%
B+	88% - 89%
B	83% - 87%
B-	80% - 82%
C+	78% - 79%
C	73% - 77%
C-	70% - 72%
D+	68% - 69%
D	60% - 67%

F	59% and below
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### Weighted Categories

Category	Percentage of overall grade
Assessments	65
Daily Work	20
Exams	15

### Re-Do Policy

- Assessments are eligible for redo up to 100%, except Final
  - Students are eligible to redo assessments when key supporting assignments are complete. Key assignments provide evidence that students are ready to show mastery of a standard
- Students are eligible to redo key assignments as long as they have excused absences.
- Re-do's must be done within the time frame given.
- There are assignments that may not be redone because they do not bear enough weight or the learning target for that assignment will be measured on another larger assignment.

### Extra Help

Teacher will provide information regarding tutoring in classroom procedures.

### OHHS Plagiarism Policy

Any student, who knowingly turns in any work that has been done by someone other than himself or herself, and fraudulently represents it as his/her own, shall be considered to have cheated. Cheating also includes: aiding someone else in cheating, the use or preparation of written, pictorial, or other materials not authorized by the instructor during a test or assignment, the use of testing materials obtained previous to the test date, or plagiarism of any kind. Students found cheating will also be subject to an office referral, which could result in a suspension. As an effort based school, students who have plagiarized/cheated must still demonstrate their learning. Thus, students will be given the opportunity to complete the work. This will fall under the "Late Work Policy" of the teacher where total possible points may be reduced.

