

**Southern Regional High School**  
Manahawkin, New Jersey  
**Course Syllabus**

**Department:** Social Studies

**Course:** World History Advanced

Marking Period 1

Topics/Units to be covered:

- Classroom Expectations/Grading
- Geography and Map Skills
- Comparative World Religions
- Review: Concepts of Greek Democracy and Roman Government
- Middle Ages Review
  - Rise and fall of feudalism and the developments of self-rule
- Quarterly

Marking Period 2

Topics/Units to be covered:

- The Renaissance
- Protestant Reformation
- Jewish Persecution in the Modern Era
- Age of Exploration
  - New technologies, Growth of Global Economy with Triangular Trade, Mercantilism and the development of the middle passage and slavery practices in the new world
- Quarterly

Marking Period 3

Topics/Units to be covered:

- Rise of Absolutism and Strong Nation States
- Age of Enlightenment & Scientific Revolution
- French & Latin American Revolutions and the rise of democracy
- Industrial Revolution and its social, cultural and political impact.
- Quarterly

Marking Period 4

Topics/Units to be covered:

- Imperialism
  - Analyze the motives for and impact of European Imperialism
- WWI & Russian Revolution
- Post WWI
  - Emerging new Political Ideologies, women's suffrage, Great Depression)
- Israeli/Palestinian Conflict
- Quarterly