

The 2021-2022 academic year will be a very busy one as we prepare for the Advanced Placement exam in May 2022. APUSH is a rigorous college-level course that will require extensive background knowledge in US History and well-developed historical analysis skills.

Due to the nature of the course, much of the burden of learning the content **will be placed on you, the student**—we will not be able to accomplish everything during class time alone and it is important that class time is spent focusing on the development of AP Skills. As a result, being a student in APUSH will require outside work coupled with effective time-management skills, as many of you will be very busy with other courses and activities as well. To demonstrate your abilities as a self-directed learner, every APUSH student will be required to complete the following **summer assignment that will be due and tested on the first week of school. This is a requirement to stay enrolled in the course.** *If you know you're not going to do the summer assignment or put forth the effort you are best reaching out to Dr. Acar/Mr. Ozdil in advance to avoid any scheduling conflicts your Junior year of HS.*

Steps That Need to Completed By You:

- 1) Join the Google Classroom for next year, **this is where the summer assignment is posted** and what we'll use for communication:
<https://classroom.google.com/c/MjkwNjY4MjUwMDc5?cjc=sw5hrbm>
Google Class Code: **SW5HRBM**
MUST USE RCSA EMAIL
- 2) Consider if you're willing to put forth the effort that an AP Course requires, this is a daunting course with a lot of information. You will not pass the AP Exam/the class with solely working in class alone. US History EOC is required for both courses and graduation, AP is college level course and high expectations, so consider what you're getting yourself into.
- 3) Acknowledge that the summer assignment is required to stay enrolled in the course and it will be tested on in the first week of school.
Google Form Link: <https://forms.gle/rNHN19dkeDRus5kDA>

Looking forward to a great upcoming school year, I can easily be reached throughout the summer if you have any questions pertaining to the course or the summer assignments.

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Kind Regards,
Mr. Plummer