



# WAYNESBORO HIGH SCHOOL

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## Curriculum at a Glance

### WORLD HISTORY I

<u>Time Frame</u>	<u>Content (Nouns)</u>	<u>Skills (Verbs)</u>
4 Blocks	Geography/Prehistory/ Early Civilizations	Identify map projections Use Map exercises Group work analyzing illustrations Explain Power-points using Lecture Reading activities
3 Blocks	Fertile Crescent/Egypt	Analyze writing- (hieroglyphics, cuneiform) Interpret traits of a civilization Provide maps to identify locations Analyze trends in human migration & cultural interaction Compare various religious beliefs
3 Blocks	India/China	Compare locations with other Early River Valley civilizations Define a centralized government and how it compares to Harappa Analyze trends in religions

		(Hinduism/Buddhism) Explain the early dynasties of China
5 Blocks	Greece	Use story boards to explain the origins of Greece Compare the governmental styles of Athens Use graphic organizers to explain the differences in Sparta and Athens Identify the various conflicts (Trojan, Persian, & Peloponnesian Wars) Describe the Greek mythology & religion using videos & graphic organizers.
<b><u>Time Frame</u></b>	<b><u>Content (Nouns)</u></b>	<b><u>Skills (Verbs)</u></b>
6 Blocks	Rome	Compare the Roman mythology with the Greek mythology Using maps and illustrations identify the location of Rome and surrounding area Sequence events leading to the founding of the Roman Republic to the end of the Roman Empire Contrast the government of the Roman Republic to the United States government Identify the life of Julius Caesar using videos and

		storyboards and the relation to the end of the Roman Republic
3 Blocks	Byzantine Empire/Russia	<p>Explain the origins of Constantinople with maps &amp; lecture</p> <p>Analyze the advantages of Constantinople as a capital &amp; crossroads of trade</p> <p>Define the influence of Justinian through the expansion of the Empire, codification of laws, and the building of the Hagia Sophia</p> <p>Explain the splitting of the church in the Great Schism</p> <p>Identify the Orthodox church and influence on Russia</p> <p>Use maps and illustrations to explain the human migration and cultural influence from the Rus, Slavs, &amp; Mongols on Russia</p> <p>Compare the reigns of Ivan III &amp; Ivan IV</p>
3 Blocks	Early Middle Ages	<p>Explain the significance of the Roman Catholic Church through power points &amp; lectures</p> <p>Analyze the foundations of Early Medieval society</p> <p>Identify Gaul and the</p>

		<p>Franks through maps &amp; story boards</p> <p>Explain the role of Charlemagne on Europe and his influence on education and Christianity</p> <p>Explain the failure of the Treaty of Verdun and the beginnings of Feudalism</p> <p>Using graphic organizers analyze the various roles in feudalism in Medieval Europe</p> <p>Sequence events related to the invasions of the Angles, Saxons, Magyars, and Vikings</p>
<p>3 Blocks</p>	<p>Africa/Meso-America/ Japan &amp; Korea</p>	<p>Identify the location of African kingdoms using maps</p> <p>Explain the characteristics of civilizations in Africa</p> <p>Contrast the various civilizations of Zimbabwe, Axum, Ghana, Mali, &amp; Songhai using graphic organizers, songs, &amp; story boards.</p> <p>Use maps to identify the location of Meso-American civilizations</p> <p>Explain the differences &amp; similarities using power-points and lecture</p> <p>Compare the cultural similarities &amp; differences</p>

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		<p>between China, Japan, &amp; Korea.</p> <p>Identify the locations of Japan &amp; Korea and the significance of China on the development of their civilizations.</p>
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5 Blocks	Late Middle Ages/Renaissance & Reformation	<p>Analyze the effects of the Crusades using graphic organizers</p> <p>Explain the creation of nation states using power points, videos, &amp; graphic organizers</p> <p>Identify the artists &amp; writers of the Renaissance through illustrations &amp; graphic organizers</p> <p>Explain the role of Martin Luther during the Reformation using lecture and graphic organizers</p>
