

## Mr. Ollivier

### World History Classroom Rules

#### I. Introduction

A. Rules and procedures are fundamental in life. We follow rules and procedures in our daily lives for things such as approaching a traffic light and driving a car. There are also rules and procedures in this classroom. These rules and procedures ensure a positive atmosphere in the classroom. They contribute to a controlled learning environment for everyone. Rules will not be negotiated.

#### II. Procedures for Entering the Classroom

##### A. HOW TO ENTER THE CLASSROOM

1. You are not to stand or wait around in the hallway or outside my door.
2. You enter the classroom quietly without running or pushing your classmates.
3. You take your assigned seat
4. If there is a warm up question on the board you are to work on it and remain quiet.
5. Wait for further instructions from me

#### III. Late for Class

##### A. YOU ARE LATE TO CLASS IF YOU ARE NOT INSIDE THE CLASSROOM WHEN THE BELL RINGS.

1. If you are late for class walk in quietly while making as little noise as possible.
2. Sign-in at the Tardy Sheet. (Name, date, time)
3. If you have a pass leave it in the folder.
4. If you do not have a pass you will have points deducted from your grade.
5. Take your assigned seat. Join the activity in progress. If you do not know what the class is doing raise your hand until I see you.

#### IV. If You Are Absent

##### A. IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO MAKE-UP ANY ASSIGNMENTS / QUIZZES / NOTES IF YOU ARE ABSENT

1. You are in high school now and it is your responsibility to make up work you missed. I am not going to hunt you down for missing assignments and quizzes. All missed assignments will be given a ZERO until handed in
2. If you need to make-up a test you must make arrangements with the teacher during the last 5 minutes of class. Tests can only be made up after school or during lunch and only if previous arrangements have been made.

#### V. Bathroom / Drink / Locker Procedure

##### A. YOU CANNOT LEAVE THE CLASSROOM DURING THE 1<sup>ST</sup> 15 MINUTES and LAST 15 MINUTES OF CLASS

1. Before using the bathroom you must sign in and out with your agenda book and I must sign it before you leave.
2. You must also sign out of my classroom on the "Sign In / Out Sheet". It is located on the filing cabinet by the door.

3. **NO MORE THAN 1 PERSON** can be out of the classroom when people are signed out for a drink/ bathroom/ locker
4. You are **NOT** permitted to leave the classroom more than **ONE** time during our time in class.
5. **MY TIME IS IMPORTANT SO I CAN TEACH YOU.** Listen, you are allowed to use the bathroom and get a drink in class, but in order to make sure you don't abuse bathroom / drink / locker privilege you will only be allowed **3 BATHROOM / LOCKER / DRINK BREAKS PER WEEK.** I will record how many times you leave the classroom. If you go past your 3 passes, **YOU ARE NOW WASTING MY TIME.** My time is important and so is yours because I need to teach you. If you go past your 3 bathroom breaks in a single week you will stay for a 10 minute detention after school.

## **VI. Respect**

### **A. WHEN THE TEACHER IS TALKING YOU ARE NOT. WHEN YOUR CLASSMATE IS TALKING YOU ARE NOT**

1. We should not hear your comments from the class when I or someone else is talking. This is how we will **RESPECT EACH OTHER.**
2. If you interrupt me or a student when they are talking you will either be sent out into the hallway until I speak to you or you will be sent to TPC and you will be written up. I will give you time to talk in class. When it is my turn to talk you will listen. When it is your classmates turn to talk you will listen. **NO EXCEPTIONS**
3. If you have a question or if you would like to answer a question you **MUST RAISE YOUR HAND.** We will not be yelling out or shouting out demands, answers, opinions. **WE RAISE OUR HANDS.** If you yell out of turn I will not help you.
4. My name is Mr. Ollivier or Mr. O. I do not answer questions or help students who call me Mr.
5. **STUDENTS MUST REMAIN SEATED AT ALL TIMES** unless you raise your hand and get permission
6. There is a line of RED TAPE in the front of the classroom. I call this the 38<sup>th</sup> Parallel. If you cross the red tape during class without my permission you will stay after school for a 10 minute detention. There is no reason for you to be up in the front of the room when I am teaching. If you have to use the bathroom or sharpen your pencil you raise your hand for permission. If you need a tissue or need to throw something in the trash can there is a trash can in the back of the room in front of the white board.

## **VII. No Cell phone and headphone use**

### **A. CELL PHONE AND HEADPHONE USE IS ABSOLUTELY NOT PERMITTED IN MY CLASSROOM**

1. When you walk into the classroom all headphones and the cell phones are to be put **AWAY.** I do not want to see them. That means they are not on your desk, they are not hanging around your ears, head or neck. **ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES ARE AWAY.**
2. If I see your cell phone or electronic devices on your desk or in your hand I will take them and points will be deducted from your grade. If you refuse to give me the device or refuse to go to detention I will write it up twice.
3. If you are worried that you might violate this rule. I have you covered. I have a clear plastic bin. When you come into class put your phone in the bin and I will place the bin in my closet where no one can steal your phone. I will return your phone at the end of the period or before lunch.
4. The reason for **NO CELLPHONE / HEADPHONE USE** is that I need you guys to stay focused at the subject at hand. You are in school for one purpose only and that is to learn not to SNAPCHAT and BOOKFACE

**VIII: Dismissal**

A. THE BELL DOES NOT DISMISS YOU. I DISMISS YOU.

1. All students are to remain in their seat until the bell rings. If you do not follow this rule points will be deducted from your grade

**IX: Grades**

A. YOU DETERMINE YOUR GRADES BY YOUR EFFORT AND PERFORMANCE.

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**Grades**

**A = 93-100**

**B = 85-92**

**C = 77-84**

**D = 70-76**

**F = 0-69**

**Name (Print):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_