



Royal West Academy

Course Outline

Course: **20th Century World History**

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Texts/workbooks: 20th Century Viewpoints

Course description: The course is designed to give the students an overview of the major events of the 20th century

Evaluation

Term 1 (40%)		
<i>Competencies Targeted</i>	<i>Evaluation Methods</i>	<i>Timeline</i>
Competencies 1 and 2 Introduction to the 20 th Century and World War 1 The Russian Revolutions, the rise of Fascism and Nazism and the Great Depression World War 2	Projects, tests, formative evaluation	As required and at the end of each chapter. During the December exam period
<i>Communication to Students and Parents</i>	<i>Materials Required</i>	
Progress report, 1 st report card and directly to parents as required. Weighting of marks 20% class work 80% essays, projects and chapter tests.	Textbook and other materials distributed by the teacher. Students will require notebooks or binders with loose leaf.	

Evaluation (continued)

Term 2 (60%)		
<i>Competencies Targeted</i>	<i>Evaluation Methods</i>	<i>Timeline</i>
Competencies 1 and 2 The aftermath of World War 2 The Cold War The aftermath of the Cold War	Projects, tests and formative evaluation. June exam	As required and at the end of each chapter
<i>Communication to Students and Parents</i>	<i>Materials Required</i>	
2 nd report card and directly to parents as required. Weighting of marks: 20% class work. 30% essays, projects and chapter tests. 50% research essay	As for term 1	

Term 3 (0%) There is no Term 3 in 2021-2022

END OF YEAR RESULTS

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Term 1		Term 2					School Board		School Exam
40%	+	60%	+		=	70%	Exam	<u>or</u>	30%
							%		

70% (school mark) + 30% (exam mark) = END OF YEAR RESULT

Additional Information / Specifications

The primary aim of the course is to provide the student with an understanding of those events of the 20th century that have shaped the current century. A very important secondary aim is to introduce the student to the type of work required in a cegep-level social science course. The student will be responsible for note-taking and additional reading, among other things.

Late work will be penalised at 20% per day. Work is due at the beginning of the period on the due date, or will be subject to penalty.

The online platform for this class is MS-Teams. Students will abide by the provisions of the code of conduct for online classes.

The June exam is a school exam.

The policy on plagiarism found in the RWA Evaluation Policy and the Student Agenda will be rigorously enforced.

The use of electronic devices is forbidden without the teacher’s permission. Possession of electronic devices during evaluations is forbidden and violations may lead to a mark of 0%.

Remediation schedule

Day 1 at 12:30-1pm and Day 5 at 3-3:50pm in room 311

Due to Covid-19, it is possible that changes may need to be made to the course outline. Changes will be communicated as soon as possible. Any changes will be made with a goal of maximizing student success.

Parent Signature: _____

Student name (please print): _____