

AP World History Students for the 2019-2020 school year

There are no summer assignments for AP World History.

If you would like to spend time during summer reviewing world history or learning new information here are some options:

1. Crash Course World History (YouTube) – Episodes 1 – 42 and 201 – 230
2. Khan Academy (khanacademy.org) – Select “Courses” and then choose World History
3. Freeman-pedia.com – AP World History
4. Watch movies, series, documentaries, or videos about world history. Historical Fiction is okay. Look up the historical accuracy after you watch. Here is one option:
 - Mankind: The Story of All of Us (You **might** find it here: History Channel, Netflix, YouTube)
5. Read a book about world history. Historical Fiction is okay. Look up the historical accuracy after you read. Here are a few options:
 - A History of the World in 6 glasses – Tom Standage
 - Salt – Mark Kurlansky
 - The Good Earth – Pearl Buck
 - Guns, Germs, and Steel and Collapse – Jared Diamond
 - Shogun – James Clavell
 - Child 44 and The Secret Speech – Tom Rob Smith
 - The Source, Poland, Caribbean, or any book by James A. Michener
 - The Other Boleyn Girl, The Constant Princess or any book by Philippa Gregory
 - The Pillars of the Earth, World Without End, Column of Fire, Fall of Giants, Winter of the World, Edge of Eternity – Ken Follett

***Important Information** – The new AP World History curriculum will have 9 units and cover c. 1200 CE – the present. This is a change from 6 units covering c. 8000 BCE – the present. If you choose to spend time reviewing/studying world history this summer, you do not have to limit it to information between 1200 CE – the present. Your knowledge of c. 8000 BCE – 1200 CE will help with understanding the background of more recent history.