

Mrs. Ray
AP World History
Summer Assignments

The successful completion of these assignments will be a good indicator of your ability to handle the extensive reading and assignment requirements of this AP World History course.

ASSIGNMENT 1:

Book: Guns, Germs and Steel: The Fates of Human Societies. Diamond, Jared.

Assignment: Read the book and prepare a three-sentence summary of each chapter. Please type your summaries.

There will be test over the book sometime during the first week of school.

Due Date: Tuesday, August 25th

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***No late assignments will be accepted.**

ASSIGNMENT 2

FOUNDATIONS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF WORLD RELIGIONS

RELIGION	LOCATION OF ORIGIN	DATE OF ORIGIN	PROPHET/ LEADER(S)	NAME OF GOD(S)	HOLY BOOK(S)	LOCATION TODAY	BRANCHES OF
Hinduism							
Buddhism							
Confucianism							
Daoism							
Shintoism							
Judaism							
Christianity							
Islam							

Chart: Foundations in the Development of World Religions

Assignment: On a separate sheet of paper, please research the information provided on the chart about each of the major religions listed. You may list the information or write in complete sentences-which ever is easier for you.

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