COURSE SYLLABUS

WORLD WAR 2 HISTORY DEPARTMENT
ARTHUR A. MARTONE TERM COURSE

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course seeks to put the Second World War into the context of world and military history, with a special emphasis on U.S. participation and the campaigns of the European & Pacific Theatres of war. Topics covered include the economic and political causes of the war; military weaponry and doctrine and their development throughout the war; social and cultural implications; significant air, sea, and land campaigns of the war; the aftermath and consequences of the war; and perspectives on the meaning and place of World War II in history and in our lives today.

At the completion of one term .33 credits are earned.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

The student will need:

1. A notebook or notebook section

BASIS FOR GRADING:

The student's grade will be determined by the completion of the following requirements:

A=	93-100
B+=	90-92
B=	85-89
C+=	82-84
C=	75-81
D=	70-74

ACTIVITY	NUMBER	POINTS
Chapter Test	5	225 pts.
Powerpoint Project*	1	30 pts.
Participation		30 pts.
		TOTAL 285 pts.

The student's grades can be accessed using the schools internet grading system. The student's grades will be available on-line by the beginning of the next class. A secondary copy of this Syllabus/TLU is available on Mr. Martone's homework site. Since all dates for tests and subject matter are listed on this Syllabus/TLU and the homework site, no excuses for missed work or non-preparedness will be accepted.

Students are advised to save a copy in their server folders of all graded work generated by computer and a hard copy of all other work. In the event of a missing assignment, the burden of proof that the assignment was completed by the deadline rests with the student. Students should also save all graded and returned papers in case of a grade question.

*Powerpoint Project: Each student is asked to complete a 15 slide presentation on any subject pertaining to the Second World War in agreement with the instructor. Each slide must contain facts and the inclusion of 1 picture/map. Each picture/map and text is equal to 1 pt. culminating in 2 pts. per slide.

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Day	Lesson + AM assembly ° Mid Term _*PM Assembly_	Assessment	PTS.
01 11/30 [Part1]	Chapter 1: The Great War & the Uneasy Peace		
02 12/02	Chapter 2: Hoping for Peace: The Rise of the Dictators 1933-1939		
[Part 2]	Chapter 3: Invading Eastern Europe: Hitler's Power Grows, 1939		
03 12/06	Chapter 4: Blitzkrieg in Europe: World War II Begins (pt.1-5) (Fall of Poland)	Part 1 Review	
04 12/08+	Chapter 4: Blitzkrieg in Europe: World War II Begins (pt.6-10) (Fall of France)	Part 1 Test	25 pts.
05 12/12	Chapter 4: Blitzkrieg in Europe: World War II Begins (pt.11-13) (Battle of Britain)		
06 12/14	Chapter 5: The Ultimate Battle: Hitler VS Stalin (Invasion of Russia-Operation Barbarossa)		
07 12/19	Chapter 6: America on the Sidelines: 1933-1941 (The U-Boat Threat)		
08 12/21	Chapter 7: Collision in Asia: Japan & America, 1937-1941 (Pearl Harbor)		
09 01/03	Lost Evidence "Pearl Harbor"		
10 01/05 [Part 3]	Chapter 8: Taking North Africa, Sicily and the Boot (Battle of Kasserine Pass)	Part 2 Review	
11 01/09	Lost Evidence "Sicily" (Invasion of Sicily)	Part 2 Test	50 pts
12 01/11	Chapter 9: Germany: A Three-Time Looser (pt.1) (Battle of Stalingrad)		
13 01/17	Chapter 9: Germany: A Three-Time Looser (pt.2-3) (Battle of Kursk)		
14 01/19°	Chapter 10: Midway, New Guinea & Guadalcanal: Japan's 3 Strikes (pt.1-3) (Battle of Midway)		
15 01/23	Chapter 10: Midway, New Guinea & Guadalcanal: Japan's 3 Strikes (pt.4-6) (Battle of Guadalcanal)		
16 01/25 [Part 4]	Chapter 11: The Italian Campaign & Soviet Victories in the East (Battle of Monte Cassino)	Part 3 Review	
17 01/27		Part 3 Test	50 pts.
18 01/31+	Chapter 12: Liberating Europe: From Normandy, to Paris (pt.1-5) (D-Day-The Invasion of Normandy)		
19 02/02	Chapter 12: Liberating Europe: From Normandy, to Paris (pt.1-5) cont. (D-Day-The Invasion of Normandy)		
20 02/06	Chapter 12: Liberating Europe: From Normandy, to Paris (pt.6-9) (Battle of the Bulge)		
21 02/08	Chapter 13: Japan Begins to Crack (Battle of Leyte Gulf)		
22 02/10	[Part 5] Chapter 14: Ending the War in the West: The Final Offensive (Battle of Berlin)	Part 4 Review	
23 02/14*	Presentation "Hitler's End"	Part 4 Test	50 pts.
24 02/16	Chapter 15: The Japanese Defeat (pt.1-4) (Battle of Iwo Jima)		
25 02/22+	Dogfights: Kamikaze		
26 02/24	Chapter 15: The Japanese Defeat (pt.5-7) (Battle of Okinawa)		
27 02/28		Part 5 Review	
28 03/01		Part 5 Test	50 pts.