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HFS22QQB

Economics

Course Description

“Economics, the Enterprise System, and Finance” examines the principles of the United States free market economy in a global context. Students will examine their individual responsibility for managing their personal finances. Students will analyze the role of supply and demand in determining the prices individuals and businesses face in the product and factor markets, and the global nature of these markets. Students will study changes to the workforce in the United States, and the role of entrepreneurs in our economy, as well as the effects of globalization. Students will explore the challenges facing the United States free market economy in a global environment and various policy-making opportunities available to government to address these challenges.
(NYSED)

NYS Learning Standards for Social Studies

-Standards: (1,2,3,4,5)

Class Rules and Expectations

- Arrive to class on time.
- Permission must be granted for all breaks and bathroom usage.
- Cell phones, headphones, and electronics must always be away, unless permission is granted.
- Hand in all assignments on time, late work will be penalized.
- Be respectful to Mr. Brandes, your classmates, and yourself.
- Actively participate in class by raising your hand, calling out will not be tolerated.
- Use our indoor voices.

Grading Procedure

Behavior / Participation / Classwork - 50 %

Projects- 30 %

Homework- 20 %

Attendance Policy

Regular and prompt class attendance and participation is an essential part of the educational experience. Manhattan High School expects students to exercise good judgment regarding attendance and absences. Students will accept full responsibility for ensuring their work does not suffer because of absences. All students are expected to attend every scheduled class on time. Exceptions may be made for illness and valid emergencies with proper documentation.

Homework Policy

Homework will be given approximately four days a week. It will be collected at the beginning of class the following day. It is YOUR responsibility to complete homework assignments. **Late homework will be accepted with 65%.**

Attendance / Classwork / Participation Policy

Behaving and doing classwork is extremely important and greatly affect your grade. I will be calculating this into your grades daily. If the classroom rules and expectations are not followed, your grade will suffer, and I will be notifying parents / guardians regularly. **If you are not here you will receive a zero. If you loose any assignments, they will be available on Pupil Path**

Classroom Scope and Sequence

Unit 1: INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY AND THE ECONOMY

Unit 2: INDIVIDUALS AND BUSINESSES IN THE PRODUCT AND FACTOR MARKETS

Unit 3: THE IMPACT OF AMERICAN CAPITALISM IN A GLOBAL ECONOMY

Unit 4: THE TOOLS OF ECONOMIC POLICY IN A GLOBAL ECONOMY:

Student

I _____ have read the syllabus in its entirety and

(Print Name)

understand the classroom policies, expectations and procedures. I understand that not following what is expressed in the syllabus will affect my grade.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____