

World History I
Bal

FAQs: World History Tests, Quizzes, and Quizzes

Q: What is the difference between a “quiz,” “quest,” and a “test”?

A: The only difference is how much they will count towards your final grade for the quarter. Quizzes are worth 30-50 points, quests between 50-75, and tests are usually worth 75-100 points.

Q: What kinds of questions will be on the quiz or test?

A: Almost all of the assessments for this class will include multiple choice, matching, fill-in-the-blank, and short answer questions.

Q: How should I prepare (study) for the test?

A: You should start studying by completing your study guide. Many of the questions on your test will come directly from this. Be prepared to answer all the Unit Questions on the front of your homework packet as well. Look over class notes, video questions, maps, additional readings, and refresh your memory on what we learned in class about the unit. Consider visiting the online textbook quizzes and study tools to help you study.

Q: What should I bring to class the day of a test or quiz?

A: You must bring a #2 pencil for the Scantron sheet (where you will bubble your answers to the multiple choice like MCAS), if you prefer pen, you can bring one for any writing portions. You can always write on my tests. You should also bring something quiet to do afterwards if you finish before the rest of the class. Lastly, be sure to bring your completed Unit Portfolio to hand in at the beginning of class.

Q: How should I behave during the testing block?

A: Arrive on time on the day of a quiz/test. At the sound of the bell, clear your desk and be ready to begin. During the quiz or test, you may not leave the room and all electronic devices must be put away and remain in your bag. Please remain silent until EVERYONE in the class is finished. If you need clarification on any questions, please ask!

Q: What if I don't finish within the block?

A: The quizzes and tests are designed to be finished in a block, and you are expected to do so with few exceptions. If you have an educational plan that allows you to have extra time, please make arrangements before the test or quiz with Ms. Bal so that you can finish it after school or during academic support the same day. In special circumstances, students may be allowed to finish their test or quiz at another time but this must be done within the same or following day at the latest, either during a free block or after school. You are responsible for arranging the time!

Q: What if I'm absent on the quiz or test day?

A: You must schedule a make-up as soon as possible, preferably for the day you return.

Q: When will I get my quiz or test grade back?

A: Ms Bal will return your test when they're graded. Asking won't help you get them back any sooner, so please don't ask. After you see your test grades, Ms. Bal keeps all of her tests in the classroom so that you have them to study for the final at the end of the year.