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SEPTEMBER	WHI.1 Historical     Research and     Geographical Analysis *(ongoing throughout year)	<ul> <li>identify, analyze, and interpret primary and secondary sources</li> <li>use maps, globes, artifacts, pictures</li> <li>identify major geographic features</li> <li>compare political boundaries with locations of ancient civilizations</li> <li>analyze trends in human migration</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teacher/Student Questioning</li> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> <li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li> <li>Project(s)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Powerpoint</li> <li>Moviemakers</li> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer Lab</li> <li>Class Games</li> </ul>
	WHI.2 Paleolithic Era to Agricultural Revolution	<ul> <li>explain impact of geography on huntergatherers</li> <li>list characteristics of hunter-gatherers</li> <li>describe technological and social advancements</li> <li>explain archaeological discoveries</li> </ul>		
	WHI.3 Ancient River     Valley Civilizations     (Mesopotamia & Egypt)	<ul> <li>determine time and place</li> <li>describe development of social, political, and economic patterns</li> </ul>		

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OCTOBER	<ul> <li>WHI.3 Ancient River Valley Civilizations (Mesopotamia &amp; Egypt)         <ul> <li>Continued</li> </ul> </li> <li>WHI.3/4 Ancient River Valley Civilizations (India &amp; China)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>explain development of religious traditions</li> <li>describe Judaism</li> <li>explain the development of language and writing</li> <li>determine time and place</li> <li>describe development of social, political, and economic patterns</li> <li>explain development of religious traditions</li> <li>explain the development of language and writing</li> <li>describe Persia, with emphasis on imperial bureaucracy</li> <li>describe India, specifically Aryan migration and caste system</li> <li>describe Hinduism</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teacher/Student Questioning</li> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> <li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li> <li>Project(s)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Powerpoint</li> <li>Moviemakers</li> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer Lab</li> <li>Class Games</li> </ul>

	<ul><li>describe Buddhism</li><li>describe China and the Great Wall</li></ul>	

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NOVEMBER	<ul> <li>WHI.3/4 Ancient River Valley Civilizations (India &amp; China) – Continued</li> <li>WHI.5 Ancient Greece</li> </ul>	describe impact of Confucianism, Taoism, and Buddhism      assess influence of geography on ancient Greece     describe Greek mythology and religion     identify social structure and development of Athens and Sparta     evaluate the significance of the Persian and Peloponnesian Wars     characterize life in Athens during the	<ul> <li>Teacher/Student Questioning</li> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> <li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li> <li>Project(s)</li> <li>1st QUARTER TEST (Geography, Early Man, Ancient Mesopotamia, Ancient Egypt, Ancient India, &amp; Ancient China)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Powerpoint</li> <li>Moviemakers</li> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer Lab</li> <li>Class Games</li> </ul>

	Golden Age of Pericles  • cite contributions made in drama, poetry, history, sculpture, architecture, science, mathematics, and philosophy
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DECEMBER	WHI.5 Ancient Greece – Continued	explain the conquest of Greece by Macedonia and the spread of Hellenistic culture by Alexander the Great	<ul> <li>Teacher/Student Questioning</li> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> <li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li> <li>Project(s)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Powerpoint</li> <li>Moviemakers</li> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer Lab</li> <li>Class Games</li> </ul>
	WHI.6 Ancient Rome	<ul> <li>assess the influence of geography on ancient Rome</li> <li>describe Roman mythology and</li> </ul>		

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JANUARY	WHI.6 Ancient Rome – Continued	assess impact of military conquests on the army, economy, and social structure of Rome     assess the roles of Julius and Augustus Caesar and the rise of imperial monarchs     explain the economic, social, and political impact of Pax Romana     describe Christianity     explain the development and	<ul> <li>Teacher/Student         Questioning</li> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> <li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li> <li>Project(s)</li> <li>1st SEMESTER         EXAM</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Powerpoint</li> <li>Moviemakers</li> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer     Lab</li> <li>Class Games</li> </ul>

	significance of the Church in the late Roman Empire  Ilist major contributions  cite reasons for the decline and fall of the Western Roman Empire
WHI.7 Byzantine Empire     & Development of Russia	<ul> <li>explain establishment         of Constantinople</li> <li>identify Justinian and         his contributions to         the Byzantine Empire</li> </ul>

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FEBRUARY	WHI.7 Byzantine Empire     & Development of Russia     – Continued	characterize Byzantine art and architecture     explain split between Roman Catholic Church and Greek Orthodox Church     assess impact of Byzantine influence and trade on Russia and Eastern Europe	<ul> <li>Teacher/Student Questioning</li> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> <li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li> <li>Project(s)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Powerpoint</li> <li>Moviemakers</li> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer Lab</li> <li>Class Games</li> </ul>

• WHI.8 Islam	<ul> <li>describe origins, beliefs, traditions, customs, and spread of Islam</li> <li>assess influence of geography on Islamic economic, social, and political development</li> <li>identify historical turning points that affected the spread and influence of Islamic civilization, with emphasis on the Sunni-Shi'a division</li> <li>cite cultural and scientific contributions</li> </ul>
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MARCH	WHI.9/12 Early and Late Middle Ages	<ul> <li>sequence events         related to the spread         of Christianity         throughout Europe</li> <li>explain feudal         structure</li> <li>explain the rise of</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teacher/Student Questioning</li> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Powerpoint</li> <li>Moviemakers</li> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer Lab</li> </ul>

	Frankish kings, especially Age of Charlemagne • sequence events related to invasions and settlements, especially Angles, Saxons, Magyars, Vikings • describe emergence of nation-states (England, France, Spain, Russia) • explain conflicts among Eurasian powers, including Crusades, Mongol conquests, and fall of Constantinople • identify patterns and crisis and recovery related to the Black Death	<ul><li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li><li>Project(s)</li></ul>	• Class Games
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APRIL	WHI.9/12 Early and Late Middle Ages –	<ul> <li>explain the preservation and transfer to Western Europe of Greek,</li> </ul>	Teacher/Student     Questioning	<ul><li>Powerpoint</li><li>Moviemakers</li></ul>

WHI.10 Trade & Ancient Japan      WHI.10/11 Ancient Africa and Ancient Americas	Roman, and Arabic philosophy, medicine, and science  • locate major trade routes • identify technological advances and transfers • describe Japan, with emphasis on Chinese influence  • describe east African kingdoms and west African kingdoms • describe geographic relationships among American civilizations • describe cultural patterns and political and economic structures in the Americas	<ul> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> <li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li> <li>Project(s)</li> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> QUARTER TEST (Byzantine Empire, Russia, Islam, Early and Late Middle Ages)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer Lab</li> <li>Class Games</li> </ul>
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MAY	WHI.13 Renaissance	identify the economic foundations of the Renaissance     sequence events related to the rise of Italian city-states and their political development     cite artistic, literary, and philosophical creativity     compare the Italian Renaissance with the Northern Renaissance	<ul> <li>Teacher/Student Questioning</li> <li>Classwork</li> <li>Homework</li> <li>Game(s)</li> <li>Quiz(zes)/Test(s)</li> <li>Project(s)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Powerpoint</li> <li>Moviemakers</li> <li>Video Clips</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Computer Lab</li> <li>Class Games</li> </ul>
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JUNE	Post-SOL Exam Studies	*(Dependent upon Teacher preference)	*(Dependent upon Teacher preference)  2 <sup>nd</sup> SEMESTER EXAM	*(Dependent upon Teacher preference)