This Summer

- Become familiar with a few of the key religions, as well as the Mongols by reading these pages in the book. There is not an assignment to turn in for this, but know the basics about each topic.
  - Buddhism & Hinduism pp. 179-185
  - Christianity pp. 227-229
  - Islam pp. 260-264
  - The Mongols pp. 358-361
- You will be having a test on the two maps in this packet on the first Friday of the school year. You may want to study those in the summer so you aren't cramming the first week of school.

Textbook Information

Traditions and Encounters, 5th Edition by Bentley and Ziegler. Please check out a book from our library before the end of the school year.

I would also recommend purchasing a copy of your own if you are able to. This is entirely optional but the advantage is that you are able to write in the book and annotate in order to help you study. You can see a list of used Traditions and Encounters, 5th Edition books that may be reasonably priced by going to this shortened Amazon.com address: www.tinyurl.com/buyapwhbook

APWH Review Books

Also recommended, but not required, are AP World History prep books that help students prepare for the AP test with summaries, timelines, practice tests, test-taking strategies, and more. I strongly recommend the edition by AMSCO, called Advanced Placement World History: Modern. This edition will be available for order September 1st. Visit tinyurl.com/apwhreviewbook2020 to pre-order now.

Contact Information

I will be checking email all summer long and you can contact me if you have any questions.
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Remind text group: I will be using texts regularly to send class news, reminders, and links. This will be one of the primary ways that class information will be communicated. Students and parents should join immediately. Text to 81010 and enter @apwhfong as the message.
Test on both maps on Friday, August 23

Students need basic geographical knowledge in order to understand world history. Geospatial awareness is also essential for students to build an understanding of the cross-cultural contacts, trade routes, migrations, etc., which are important concepts in the AP World History course.

The two maps that follow give students a starting point for identifying regions and their locations relative to other regions and landforms. These maps are a reference point for teachers and students alike. Because geographic naming conventions are not universal, these maps define regions and show the locations and commonly used names of regions that students are likely to encounter on the AP World History Exam.

**AP World History: World Regions—A Big Picture View**
Test on both maps on Friday, August 23