

WELCOME TO CURRICULUM NIGHT!! (AND TO HISTORY OF SPORTS!)



ABOUT ME

- My name is Ellie Shane and this is my fifth year at IHS.
- I grew up in Seattle and went to Ballard High School.
- I then attended Western Washington University and received my BA in History/Social Studies.
- I also attended Woodring College of Education and received my teaching credentials.
- I recently graduated from Northern Arizona University with a Masters in Education for Educational Technology



SPORTS HISTORY! (WHAT DO WE LEARN?)

○ Just a Few of the Interesting Topics of Study:

- Origins of the ancient Greek Olympics and the reemergence of the modern Olympic Games
- Political, social, & economic moments in sports history that changed perceptions in society
- Superstitions & curses in sports
- Corruption in Sports
- How do we create sports villains & heroes
- Many More!!!



HISTORICAL SKILLS

- Analysis, Evaluation, Argumentative Writing, Summarizing, and Comparing & Contrasting, are some focus skills for this semester!
- A course outcome:
 - Students will be expected to utilize evidence, including from primary sources, to develop historical arguments, formulate a position, and analyze information and ideas.



LATE WORK POLICY

- I accept late work for 80% credit for 1 week after the day it was due.
- After that, I will accept late work for 50% credit until 1 week before the end of the semester.
- Assignments turned in late due to an excused absence will be accepted for full credit.
 - You will have the number of days you were absent to turn in the assignments you missed before credit is docked.



EXTRA CREDIT

- I do not offer extra credit
- Students will always have the opportunity to revise work to attempt to make up credit and improve their grade.



GRADE BREAKDOWN

○ Grade Breakdown

- Projects 40%
- Homework/Notebook Checks 10%
- Current Events 5%
- Classwork/Quizzes 30%
- Final Project 15%



WEBSITE

- IHS Website → Staff → Teacher Websites → Social Studies Department → Ellie Shane
 - Or msshanehistory.weebly.com
- The best resource for checking assignment due dates (calendar), locating files for assignments (Units tab → specific folder based on unit), and getting announcements about what we did in class (daily announcements tab)
- Best place to look if your student is absent!



HOW TO CONTACT ME

- Email is the quickest and most direct form of communication.
 - shanee@issaquah.wednet.edu
- Phone: (425) 837-6069
 - Please only call this number after school hours. If there is an emergency and you need to reach your student, please call the main office.



HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR STUDENT SUCCEED IN HISTORY OF SPORTS!

- Encourage your student to take charge of their learning and education!
 - Student emails teacher
 - Revising work to improve grade, as well as practice skills and content
 - Ask them how their day went
 - Reinforce that hard work can earn the results that they desire!
 - Support them academically, read their writing, help them edit
 - Encourage reading for fun and/or for school
 - Suggest a planner for students to learn time management

