

Course Outline

Human Geography

Block A

Room C101

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If you or your parents/guardians have questions about the class, send me an email or message me on Teams. I will check and respond to emails/messages between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. on school days.

Welcome to Human Geography! Human Geography looks at the relationship between people and their environment. We will explore topics such as demography, urbanization, and industry. We will also develop our geographical thinking skills:

1. Sense of place
2. Evidence and interpretation
3. Patterns and trends
4. Geographical value judgements
5. Geographical importance
6. Interactions and associations

Supplies

- Binder
- Lined paper
- Pencils and eraser

To be successful in the course, keep all your work neatly filed in your binder.

Assessment

In all grade 10-12 courses, students are assigned a percentage on their report cards. Student's grades will be determined by their understanding of course content and competencies as shown on tests and assignments.

Cell Phone Policy

Students are not permitted to use their phones in class except when instructed by the teacher for educational purposes. Phones must remain out of sight and notifications

must be silenced. If phones are being misused, I will confiscate them for the duration of the block. This policy is in line with the B.C. Ministry of Education's initiative to restrict cell phone use in schools.

Absences

If you must be away from school, ensure that your parent/guardian calls the school office to excuse you. Make sure to acquire all the work that you missed upon your return.

Lates

If you are late, discreetly enter the classroom and take your seat. Quietly discern what the class is working on and find an appropriate moment to ask me for any handouts that you need.