



Global History 12

Course Syllabus

Global History 12 is an asynchronous, self-paced course. This means you can take the course wherever you want, at any time of day, and go at your own pace.

Meet with Mentor

You will be required to meet online with your Mentor no fewer than 10 times, for 30 minutes each time. As follows:

- After Lesson 5 in each unit
- At the end of each unit

Time Requirement

You have 18 months to complete the course work.

You should expect to dedicate 100 hours to this course, plus reading and study time. For example, if you want to complete this course in a semester, you should spend at least 5 hours per week on the course.

You will need to factor your Mentor's availability into planning your timeline, as they may or may not be able to meet with you if you make a last-minute request. Remember to be respectful when arranging meetings

Technical Requirements

- A PC, laptop or Chromebook (a phone can be used, but may be less than ideal).
- Phone or camera to photograph/scan work, which can then be uploaded into the LMS (Moodle)
- An internet connection.

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Course Outline

Your course grade will be based on the following breakdown:

Unit 1: 20%	Unit 3: 20%
Unit 2: 20%	Unit 4: 20%
Final Project/Presentation: 20%	

Unit 1 The Global Historian:

- 1.1 Global Race for a Superconductor Revolution
- 1.2 What is Global History?
- 1.3 Why Do We Have to Study History?
- 1.4 Primary and Secondary Sources
- 1.5 Explore the Power of Interdependence
- 1.6 Tools of the Historian
- 1.7 How Did We Get Here?
- 1.8 Learning from History
- 1.9 Constructing a Timeline
- 1.10 Identifying Cause and Effect

Unit 2 The East-West Divide:

- 2.1 The Liberal World Order
- 2.2 The Roots of the Cold War
- 2.3 Propaganda During the Cold War
- 2.4 The Berlin Wall
- 2.5 The Nuclear Arms Race
- 2.6 Space Race and Technology Race
- 2.7 Proxy Wars and Cold War Confrontations
- 2.8 Canada in the Cold War
- 2.9 Current Global Challenges
- 2.10 Reflecting on the East-West Journey

Unit 3 The Disparity Between the Global North and South

- 3.1 Introduction to the Global North and Global South
- 3.2 Economic Disparities
- 3.3 Social Disparities
- 3.4 Environmental Disparities
- 3.5 Political and Civil Rights Disparities
- 3.6 Migration, Displacement, and Urbanization
- 3.7 Cultural and Media Representation
- 3.8 Agriculture and Land Rights
- 3.9 Wealth and Power
- 3.10 Balancing Inequities

Unit 4 Pursuit of Justice in a Time of Technological and Social Change

- 4.1 Post-War Justice and Human Rights Foundations
- 4.2 The Evolution of Global Justice
- 4.3 Social Movements and Civil Society
- 4.4 Contemporary Challenges in Universal Justice
- 4.5 The Future of Justice in a Globalized World
- 4.6 The Digital Revolution and Its Impact on Society
- 4.7 The Influence of Social Media on Public Discourse
- 4.8 Technology and Ethics in the 21st Century
- 4.9 Shaping the 21st Century and the Future of Humanity
- 4.10 Designing a Research Project