



## **World History - Course Syllabus**

## **Description:**

From the beginning of civilization to the 20th century rise of globalism, this course will enable students to see God's purpose and plan in human events. The students will study the beginning of nations at the Tower of Babel, the beginning of writing in Sumer, the rise of republican government in Rome, the revival of humanities in the Renaissance, the rise of exploration from Europe, and the consequences of Communism in Russia. With timelines of events, over 300 photographs of important people and places in history, section and chapter reviews, plus maps of the world, students will have a firm grasp of world events and cultures.

**Textbook:** World History and Cultures (A Beka – Code 202304)

### **Course objectives:**

- Students will learn World History from the Beginnings of Civilizations to present times, from a Christian perspective.
- Show understanding of material through written assignments, quizzes, and final exam.

#### **Contents:**

#### Semester A

Unit 1 – Asia and Africa: The Beginnings of Civilization	(Chapters 1-6)
Unit 2 – Europe: Beginnings of Western Civilization	(Chapters 7-10)
Unit 3 – The Middle Ages: From the Ancient to the Modern	(Chapters 11-13)

### **Semester B**

Unit 4 – The Reformation Era: The Modern Age Begins	(Chapters 14-16)
Unit 5 – The Age of Ideas: Revolution, Revival, and Reform	(Chapters 17-21)
Unit 6 – Twentieth Century: A World at War	(Chapters 22-27)

# Grading Scale

Grading Scale	<b>Grade Weighting</b>	
A = 90-100%	Quizzes35%	
B = 80-89%	Written Assignments 35%	
C = 70-79%	Final Exam 30%	
D = 60-69%	100%	
F = under 59%		