

ALL MIDDLE SCHOOL AND ELEMENTARY PRINCIPALS AND APS: 6th Grade World History Course
Category: For Your Information

Audience: Principals/APs (Elementary), Principals/APs (Middle)

Due Date: n/a

Meeting Date: n/a

Attachment(s): [6th Grade World History NGSSS-SS Benchmarks.doc](#)

To provide the new course codes to be used in the 6th grade World History course for the 2012-2013 academic year.

- Beginning academic year 2012-2013, the following Florida Department of Education approved course codes should be used for 6th grade social studies:
 - 2109010 M/J World History
 - 2109020 M.J World History Advanced
 - **6th grade World Geography will NO LONGER be the required course for 6th grade social studies.**
 - The new course titled World History or World History Advanced, emphasizes World History, specifically from the time span of early humans up through and including the Middle Ages.
 - The Division of Social Sciences and Life Skills will be posting new pacing guides to support the transition to the new course; target publishing date: April 2012.
 - The new course still requires the teaching of geography skills, which is done by embedding these skills into the study of World History.
 - Attached are the Next Generation Sunshine State Standards for 6th grade World History as a reference for teachers to begin to plan for the upcoming academic year.
 - Should you have questions or require additional information, you may email rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net or see the contact information below.
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