

# World Geography

Dear Parents and Students:

Welcome to World Geography! I look forward to working with all of you and assisting students in meeting the DODEA curriculum. Your child will be learning how to use maps, globes, charts, graphs and research to complete assignments and projects. I focus on the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Skills: personal responsibility, civic literacy and global connections. This will include the student's responsibility as a student, as a citizen of the U.S. and of the world . I do believe in homework because I feel children need to practice skills and work with information in order understand and be able to utilize it. Your child will have homework nightly to reinforce his/her classroom learning.

<b>Grading Scale:</b>	90-100%	A
	80-89	B
	70-79	C
	<b>60-69</b>	<b>D</b>

**To make an A on maps:**

- *You have latitude and longitude*
- *You have drawn the continent on plain white paper (provided).*
- *You have colored each country and labeled the key places listed in your textbook atlas.*

**Classroom Expectations:**

1. Come to class prepared: students come ready to learn: notebook, planner, text pencil/pen, handouts and completed HOMEWORK.
2. Use class time wisely
3. All work will have the proper heading on it in the upper right hand corner
  - a. Name:
  - b. Date:
  - c. Period
4. Students will be marked tardy if they are not in their seat when the bell rings.
5. During class listen carefully, raise hand to ask questions or get assistance and do the work as assigned.
6. At the end of class tidy your work area, put back supplies/books and be prepared to be dismissed by the teacher.
7. Keep your notebook organized.

**Classroom Rules**

Follow directions the first time

Use appropriate language

Keep hands, feet and objects to self

Keep hands off other's property

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns:

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