**8th Grade Social Studies** (980) 343-3830

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Welcome to 8th Grade Social Studies!

This school year students will study US and NC History. Topics include: NC

Geography, Colonization, Revolutionary War, US Expansion, Civil War,

 Industrialization, WWI and WWII, Civil Rights Movement, and Financial

 Literacy

Grading Policy

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2. **Late/missing work** must be turned in **before** the last five days of each quarter to receive **credit**.
3. **Late formal grades will receive a reduction of 10 points for each day late.**
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**Supplies**

Students are responsible for having the following supplies:

* A 3-ring binder or two pocket folder and single subject notebook
* Colored pencils (preferably) or markers
* Loose leaf paper
* #2 pencils
* Blue or black ink pens (no colored ink pens)

**Non-Negotiables**

* Be Open to New Ideas
* Think Before You Speak
* Respect Others
* Be Ready to Work every day with proper materials
* Never Knock Others Down to Build Yourself Up

**Textbooks**

We have a new textbook this year for Social studies. Your scholar will be receiving a textbook and a workbook at some point during the first few weeks of school. Additionally, we use a variety of online resources that they will be introduced to.

**Remind**

Interested in receiving text messages for important Social Studies assignments, HW and test reminders, and general Social Studies information? Sign up for Remind! We will discuss how to sign up during class and on open house

Donations are greatly appreciated of tissue, colored printer paper, white printer paper, markers or colored pencils, Lysol or Clorox wipes, and hand sanitizer.

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| The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character – that is the goal of true education.-Dr. Martin Luther Ling |

Please sign below and return to Mr. McClintock acknowledging your understanding of the expectations of 8th grade Social Studies.

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

