

Canadian and World Politics CPW4U

<p>Course Description:</p> <p>This course explores various perspectives on issues in Canadian and world politics. Students will explore political decision making and ways in which individuals, stakeholder groups, and various institutions, including governments, multinational corporations, and non-governmental organizations, respond to and work to address domestic and international issues. Students will apply the concepts of political thinking and the political inquiry process to investigate issues, events, and developments of national and international political importance, and to develop and communicate informed opinions about them. .</p>	<p>Level: Academic</p> <p>Credit Value: 1.0</p> <p>Pre-requisite: 11 M/ U</p> <p>Department: Social Science</p> <hr/> <p>Course Fees:</p>
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<p>Textbooks & Resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Growing Success: Assessment, Evaluation and Reporting in Ontario Schools, 2010 • The Ontario Curriculum, Grades 11 and 12: Canadian and World Studies, 2015 • Canadian and World Politics, 2005, Emond Montgomery
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<p>Course Evaluation: Student Evaluation consists of three components...</p>					
<p>1) Learning Skills & Work Habits: Students are evaluated on 6 Learning Skills & Work Habits. They are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responsibility • Organization • Independent Work • Collaboration • Initiative • Self-Regulation 	<p>These six attributes are evaluated on a scale of Excellent (E), Good (G), Satisfactory (S) & Needs Improvement (N) and reported on the report card. They are not included in the course mark, unless specified in the curriculum expectations.</p>				
<p>2) Term Mark (Assessment of Learning): Student performance standards for knowledge and skills are described in the curriculum Achievement Chart. The curriculum is assessed in four categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge and Understanding 25% • Thinking and Inquiry 25% • Communication 25% • Application 25% 	<p>Evaluation of these four categories generates the term mark. The term mark accounts for 70% of the final mark.</p> <p>It is the student's responsibility to submit evidence of learning.</p>				
<p>3) Final Evaluation (Assessment of Learning): The final evaluation, administered at or towards the end of the course is based on the evidence shown to the right. The final evaluation accounts for 30% of the final mark.</p>	<table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Research Essay</td> <td style="text-align: right; padding: 2px;">15%</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Exam</td> <td style="text-align: right; padding: 2px;">15 %</td> </tr> </table>	Research Essay	15%	Exam	15 %
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<p>Final Mark = 70% Term Mark + 30% Final Evaluation</p>					
<p>For a detailed description on Course Evaluation, see "How Did I Get That Mark!" at www.satec.on.ca</p>					

<p>Course Conduct Policies: See Student Agenda.</p>
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Course Outline:

Unit	Description	Approximate Length	Major Unit Evaluation
The Nature of Politics	This unit analyses the participation of government and non-governmental organizations in the global community and the effects on national sovereignty on the trend towards global decision making	5 weeks	Test 1 Presentation Formal Essay
Decision Making and Participation	This unit analyses the factors that determine the power and influence of a country and evaluates Canada's role and influence in international relations	5 weeks	Test 2 Presentation
The Politics of Internationalism	This unit identifies major influences on the development of international relations from antiquity to 1945. It also examines the major challenges and conflicts caused by the end of the Cold War	5 weeks	Formal Essay Test 3
The Global Community	This unit explains the types of commitments made by Canada to other nations and international or extranational organizations. It also provides opportunities to examine how Canada tries to settle its' external conflicts	3 weeks	Test 4 Presentation Formal Essay

Note: The order of the units of study may change due to student needs and resources available during the course.

General Information:

Additional resources will be provided as they are needed throughout the duration of the course.

Extra Help: If a student requires extra help, please consult your teacher for available after school

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