

Winter Lakes High School

2021 - 2022

Real World Civics

Instructor:	Meeting Time:	Google Classroom Code:
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Course Description:

Civics isn't just a subject that students study in school, it's all around us. At its core, civics are the duties and responsibilities that citizens of the United States engage in. If you engage in civics while away from school, this course is for you. This can mean that you registered for the draft, or studied the USCG regulations and took a test. You can get credit for studying civics on your own, and while you get certified in something that is of genuine interest to you. If you have questions about if your certification qualifies, simply reach out to me and we will figure it out.

Quarks:

Quarks are awarded based on how much work you put into a certification. Depending on how much studying was involved, you can earn just a few quarks, to over a whole unit! It really depends on how much effort it took for you to succeed in your task. Below is an example of how many quarks will generally be awarded for specific tasks.

Registering for Selective Service(The Draft)	5 Quarks
Studying for Certification	10 Quarks
Passed an Assessment for Certification	5 Quarks

Please reach out to me so we can discuss and plan for how many quarks a certification is worth and to set up a meeting so I can track your progress.

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Grades:

Real World Civics is a Pass/No Pass course. If you pass the assessment that goes along with a certification, it will be considered a pass. If you do not pass, it is a no pass. You must provide proof of a successful completion of a certification in order to be awarded a pass and earn your respected quarks. If you put in the work for a certification but did not earn said certification, you can still earn the quarks eligible for the studying portion of the certification. You must meet with me so we can discuss this change.

Assessment:

None given in my class, most certifications will have their own assessment you must pass in order to earn your certification.

Standards:

HS. 13	Examine and analyze provisions of the Oregon Constitution and the U.S. Constitution.
HS. 10	Explain the roles and responsibilities of active members of a democracy and the role of individuals, social movements, and governments in various current events.
HS. 6	Examine the institutions, functions, and processes of Oregon's state, county, local and regional governments.