

ACALANES UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
FINAL COURSE MARK DETERMINATION COMPONENTS
CURRICULAR AREA - SOCIAL SCIENCE

COURSE: United States History and Geography

Area of Evaluation	Descriptors of Area	Percentage of final course mark
Course work	<p>Types: Homework and classwork may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small projects • Textbook and source readings • Note-taking, graphic and concept mapping • Writing process • Writing assignments • Discussions • Debates/simulations <p>Purpose: Practice towards mastery</p>	25-35%
Assessments	<p>Types: Tests and projects may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quizzes • Tests • Projects and presentations • Writing (essays, short responses, research paper) • Formal class discussion • Debate/simulations <p>Purpose: Assessment of mastery</p>	55-65%
Final Assessment	<p>Types: Tests or projects may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written response • Project • Presentation • Test <p>Purpose: Assessment of mastery</p>	10-15%