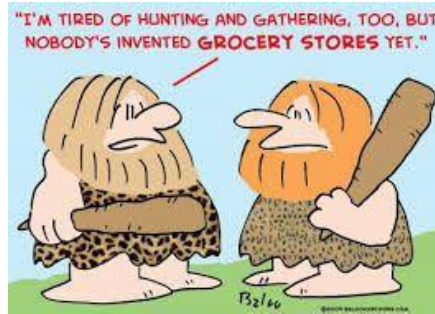


HONORS WORLD HISTORY SUMMER ASSIGNMENT



Welcome to Honors World History! In preparation for our busy year, you are expected to complete the following assignment over the summer. Please review the description of the assignment below and turn in the assignment on the **first** day of class, whether that be the first day in the fall semester or the first day in the spring semester.

Assignment – You will write a 2-3 page paper, double spaced, font size 12. This paper will be about a pivotal moment in human history: the Neolithic Revolution. Please answer the following questions in your essay:

1. What was the Neolithic Revolution?
2. What plants and animals were the first to be domesticated?
3. Where did the Neolithic Revolution first occur? Why might this be?
4. How did domestication change the lives and societies of humankind?

Assessment- Your paper will be graded based on the following criteria:

1. Content (18 points): You answer all four of the above questions completely and in depth with specific details and examples; it is clear you conducted thorough research of this topic
2. Organization (10 points): The essay is well structured and clearly organized; the reader understands how each paragraph connects to the others; there is an introduction and a conclusion
3. Grammar (8 points): You follow English grammar, spelling, and punctuation rules

Have a great summer and I look forward to exploring World History with you!

Sincerely,

Ms. Slein