

Society Today

Department: Social Studies School Year: 2015-2016 Course: Society Today Grade Level: 10-12 Required Materials: textbook, notebook, writing utensil		Course Resources: Holt "Sociology: The Study of Human Relationships" Prerequisites: There are no prerequisites for this course.		
<p>Course Description: Society Today focuses on sociology, which is the study of human behavior as it occurs in groups. This course examines the nature of people and their relationships with society. The first part of the course will look at things like culture, race, social control, socialization & stratification. The second part will examine things such as adolescence, dating, marriage, deviance, crime, gender & family.</p>				
<p>Units Covered: Culture and Social Structure, The Individual in Society, Social Inequality, and Social Institutions</p>				
Summative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chapter Quizzes • Unit Tests • Final Test • Projects 		Formative Assessments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily work/tasks • Entrance/Exit Slips • Participation 		
Courses at BDHS run in a flexible schedule format. See selection to right for this course's format:	<u>One-Term 90</u>	<u>Two-Term 45 X</u>	<u>All-Year 45</u>	<u>Other</u>
School-wide Grading Procedures: Assessments 85% <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formative 30% (of assessment grade) • Summative 70% (of assessment grade) 				
Cumulative Final 15%				
<p><u>Summative Assessments:</u> (this shall constitute 70% of the term grade) Our goal is to assess what the students have learned from what we have taught. Summative assessments reflect the format and content of the formative learning opportunities.</p> <p>Make-up Policy for Summative Assessment: The student may redo the summative assessment one time within one week after completing all formative tasks, and necessary additional learning. It is the student's responsibility to advocate for this opportunity and make the necessary arrangements.</p> <p><u>Cumulative Final:</u> At the end of the semester, there will be a cumulative final exam. Students will not be allowed to retake this assessment. This will comprise 15% of the semester grade.</p>				
School-wide Grading Scale:		Contact Information:		
A+	98-100	C+	77-79	Teacher Name: Stephanie Ziegler Teacher Email: zieglers@bdusd.org Teacher Phone: 920-885-7520 ext. 4718 TeacherWebsite: www.beaverdam.k12.wi.us/faculty/zieglers
A	93-97	C	73-76	
A-	90-92	C-	70-72	
B+	87-89	D+	67-69	
B	83-86	D	63-66	
B-	80-82	D-	60-62	

