

## Freshmen World Cultures Registration Form

### Course Overview

Traditionally, World Cultures has been a sophomore level high school course. However, in the 2007-2008 school year, Brawley Union High School offered a select number of incoming freshmen the possibility of enrolling in World Cultures. This action has allowed for those students to have the choice and possibility of enrolling in Advanced Placement World History their sophomore year, thus beginning to take more rigorous courses that will better prepare them for college at an earlier stage of their High School career. BUHS offers nine advanced placement courses of which only AP World History is available before their junior year.

The *World Cultures* course meets the World History requirement for graduation as well as for college admission. This course focuses on the California Standards in World History. Upon successful completion of this course students will have the possibility and choice of enrolling in AP World History. Students may choose to not take AP World History and enroll in an elective course their sophomore year.

### Course Requirements

Because of limits to the number of students at the freshman level who can take World Cultures, the following information will be reviewed in placing students:

Grades in History and English Courses (Minimum of "B")  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade CST scores in both History and English

**Parent/Guardian: By signing below you acknowledge that you and your child have read and understand the requirements and implications of the Freshmen World Cultures course, and that you would like for your child to be enrolled in the course.**

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Middle School Attended:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Grade Point Average:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade in English Language Arts:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade in 8<sup>th</sup> grade History class:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please attach a copy of current report card with this form. Submit completed form to Counseling Center at Brawley Union High School.**

**If you have any questions on any issue relating to the course overview or requirements please contact:**

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