Hendrix U.S. History School Year: 2018-2019

### CLASS EXPECTATIONS

#### Rules | Routines | Non-Negotiables

## Be the best person you can be each day!

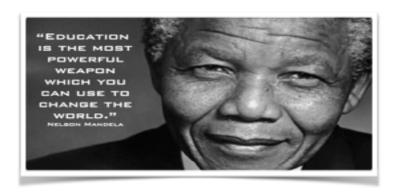
- -Do the best you can, with what you can, while you can, and success if inevitable (Dr. Steve Maraboli).
- -Don't let anyone's ignorance, hate, drama, or negativity stop you from being the best person you can be!

# Respect other's ideas & opinions.

During discussions, respect other student's comments, opinions, and ideas. When possible, make statements like, "I agree with John, and I also feel that..." or "I disagree with Sara. She makes a good point, but I feel that..." or "I think Victor made an excellent observation, and it made me think..."

## Mistakes are proof that you are trying!

If you are not making mistakes, it means you are not trying hard enough! Accept constructive criticism! This leads to exponential growth in our classroom!



#### Ways to better yourself & our class:

- Make eye contact. When Mrs. Hendrix or someone in the class is speaking, keep your eyes on him or her at all times. If someone makes a comment, turn and face that person.
- •Do not smack your lips, roll your eyes, or other disrespectful gestures to your teacher or your peers. This behavior will not be tolerated.
- •Be honest always, and stand up for what you believe in. Be open to what others believe in.

#### Classroom Expectations:

- \*NO PHONES. Adhere to the phone jail policy.
- \*No charging phones anywhere in the classroom. If I see you doing this, you will be forced to adhere to the phone jail policy.
- \*You will receive 2 bathroom passes per 6 weeks. If you need a 3rd, you will serve a D-hall for me at 6:45 AM. Use wisely!
- \*We will say please and thank you in this classroom!
- \* I will be strict. I will be tough on you. In these tough, possibly frustrating, moments... remember what my job is. My job is NOT to be your friend- my job is to TEACH you and help you reach your potential. Enter each day with a positive attitude.



