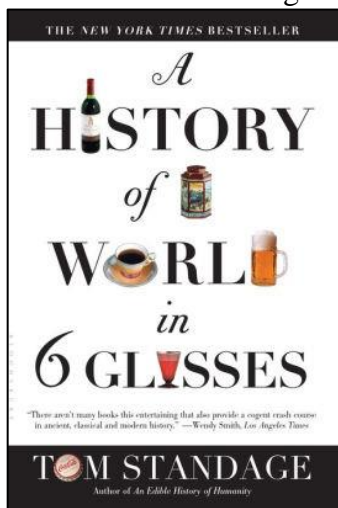


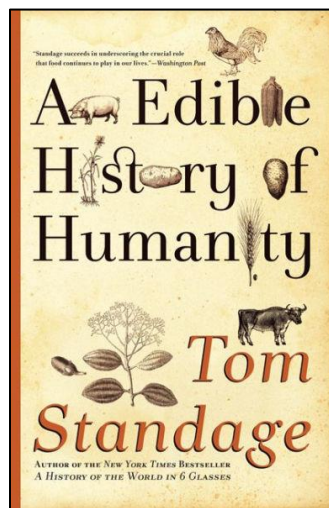
Summer Assignment: **Honors World History**  
Delaware Military Academy – Ms. Aunet – 50 Points

The following Honors World History summer assignment should be typed and emailed to Ms. Aunet (jenny.aunet@dma.k12.de.us) by the first day of school, regardless of if you have Honors World History in the first semester or second semester!

1. Choose one of the following two books:



Standage, Tom. *A History of the World in 6 Glasses*, 2006.



Standage, Tom. *An Edible History of Humanity*, 2010.

Note: Both books are readily available on Amazon or at your local library

2. Select three (of six total in each book) sections/topics to read from your chosen book—each section/topic is two chapters long.
3. Three Selected Topics: Complete the following for each of the three selected sections/topics:
  - Write a 2-3 paragraph (a paragraph is 5-7 sentences) summary of the author's main points:
    - For *A History of the World in 6 Glasses*: Explain when, where, why and how that beverage became important and what effect it had on world history. Give at least three specific examples of how the beverage affected history.
    - For *An Edible History of Humanity*: Explain the when, where, how, and why certain foods changed human existence. Give three specific examples of how food affected history during that section/topic's time frame.
4. Conclusion/Opinion: Complete the following based on all three selected sections/topics:
  - Write a 1-2 paragraph (a paragraph is 5-7 sentences) response to the following:
  - What, overall, is the main point(s) being made by the author in this book?
  - Do you agree with the author's overall premise? Explain, with specifics, why or why not.

**Note:** This assignment is to be completed on your own. Cadets should not copy or plagiarize this assignment in any way. If sources outside the selected book are used, they should be properly cited.

Rubric: Honors World History Summer Work Assignment – 50 Points

	0 Points	1 Point	2 Points	3 Points	4 Points	5 Points
<b>Content –Selected Topic #1 – Overall Background Info</b>	missing	unclear and inaccurate	unclear or inaccurate	accurate with minimal details	clear and accurate with few details	clear and accurate with ample details
<b>Content –Selected Topic #1 – Historical Example #1</b>	missing, unclear or inaccurate	accurate with minimal details	clear and accurate with few details	clear and accurate with ample details		
<b>Content –Selected Topic #1 – Historical Example #2</b>	missing, unclear or inaccurate	accurate with minimal details	clear and accurate with few details	clear and accurate with ample details		
<b>Content –Selected Topic #1 – Historical Example #3</b>	missing, unclear or inaccurate	accurate with minimal details	clear and accurate with few details	clear and accurate with ample details		
<b>Content –Selected Topic #2 – Overall Background Info</b>	missing	unclear and inaccurate	unclear or inaccurate	accurate with minimal details	clear and accurate with few details	clear and accurate with ample details
<b>Content –Selected Topic #2 – Historical Example #1</b>	missing, unclear or inaccurate	accurate with minimal details	clear and accurate with few details	clear and accurate with ample details		
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<b>Content – Conclusion/Opinion</b>	missing	unclear and inaccurate	unclear or inaccurate	accurate with minimal details	clear and accurate with few details	clear and accurate with ample details
<b>Writing Style – Spelling, Proofreading, Grammar, and Mechanics</b>	Ideas are not presented in a logical and organized way. Excessive errors noted in sentence structure, spelling, punctuation.	Ideas are presented in a fairly logical way. Errors noted in sentence structure, spelling, punctuation, and grammar.	Ideas are presented in a fairly logical way. Minimal sentence structure, spelling, punctuation, and/or grammatical errors noted.	Ideas are presented in a fluid and logical way that engages readers. Sentence structure, spelling, punctuation and grammar are excellent.		