

# Worldview Studies - Class Guidelines

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## Materials Required for Class

Thinking Like a Christian (TLAC)	Bible
Countering Culture (CC)	Paper and pen/pencil
Blah, Blah, Blah (BBB)	3 Ring binder or 12 section accordion file

## Grades

I expect parents to work with students on class material. Depending on how we handle the exams, I will return them to parents with a percent grade at the top (i.e. 80%). It will be up to the parents to assign a grade, which will be reported on the report card to the umbrella school or local school district. There may be quizzes in class to assess student progress.

## Attendance

The content of this course is challenging. A lot of complex material will be covered in a short amount of time. Students who miss class will find it very difficult to keep up.

## Homework

Students are expected to read at least two chapters of the text each week. Chapters from Blah, Blah, Blah will also be assigned. Students will be required to locate and analyze news articles for discussion in class. Other material may be assigned from time to time.

## Internet News Sites

Students will be required to use the internet to locate and print articles for study and discussion. I encourage parents to take adequate precautions to insure that antivirus and anti spyware software is up to date and operational. Major news sites (ABC, NBC, CBS, Fox, etc.) should be alright. I have also posted links to some other safe sites on the [ffel.org](http://ffel.org) Worldview Studies page.

## High School Credit

In order to grant high school credit for this course, umbrella schools may require more hours of study and reading than covered by our class time and reading assignments. Suggestions for further study are provided at the end of each chapter of our texts. I also suggest optional additional material for study on weekly assignment sheets that are distributed to students and posted on the [ffel.org/worldview\\_studies.html](http://ffel.org/worldview_studies.html) page. Students will be given a copy of the grading checklist to help with assigning grades. This resource is also posted on the Worldview studies web page on [ffel.org](http://ffel.org).

**Parents - Please read Appendix C in the Thinking Like a Christian Text.**