

Participation.....	8%
Quizzes/Journals.....	12%
Midterm Exam.....	30%
Group Project.....	20%
Final Exam.....	30%

Students will be expected to participate in class discussions, either voluntarily or when they are asked to participate. Comments should be thoughtful, reflect an understanding of the assigned readings and course material, and be respectful of the others in the class. Participation, of course, requires presence. Thus, students should attend class regularly and be prepared to comment on assignments. Knowledge of current events will assist students in participation. Students should concentrate on international news. It may be useful for final projects to bring questions and comments about these events.

Over the course of the semester, several oral quizzes will be administered to test the comprehension of required readings and will generally be several or more.

Oct. 6	Review and Group Work	Midterm Review and Group Work
Oct. 8	Midterm Exam	Midterm Exam
Oct. 13	Conflict: International	*** Gartzke, Erik. 1998. "Kant We All Just Get Along? Opportunity, Willingness, and the Origins of the Democratic Peace." <i>American Journal of Political Science</i> . 42(1):1-27.
Oct. 15	Conflict: International	*** Huntington, Samuel P. 1993. "The Clash of Civilizations?" <i>Foreign Affairs</i> . 72(3): 22-49.
Oct. 20	Conflict: Civil	Lecture Notes
Oct. 22	Conflict: Civil	*** James D. Fearon and David D. Laitin. 2003. "Ethnicity, Insurgency, and Civil War." <i>American Political Science Review</i> 97(1): 75-90.
Oct. 27	Terrorism	*Chapter 8 ** Juergensmeyer, Mark. 2003. <i>Terror in the Mind of God: The Global Rise of Religious Violence</i> . Berkeley, CA: U of C Press. EXCERPT
Oct. 29	No Class – Fall Holiday	No Class – Fall Holiday
Nov. 3	Terrorism	*** Pape, Robert. 2003. "The Strategic Logic of Suicide Terrorism." <i>American Political Science Review</i> . 97(3): 343-363.
Nov. 5	International Political Economy	*Chapter 7 Note: Nov. 6 is the last day to drop classes
Nov. 10	International Political Economy	*** Will be assigned later in the semester
Nov. 12	Transnational Issues	*Chapter 9
Nov. 17	Transnational Issues	*Chapter 10
Nov. 19	Class Presentations	Class Presentations
Nov. 24	Class Presentations	Class Presentations
Nov. 26	No Class – Thanksgiving Holiday	Happy Thanksgiving
Dec. 1	Class Wrap Up	*Chapter 12
Dec. 3	Bonus Assignments Discussion	Bonus Assignments Due Discussion of Assignments
Dec. 7	Final Exam	Final Exam: 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

*From Textbook

**Readings available on Moodle

***Locate readings through library resources