

Advanced Placement World History
Summer Reading and Writing Assignment

Read *The Human Web*, ISBN: 978-0-393-92568-5, by J.R. McNeill and William McNeill. Write a 1000 word essay that summarizes the book's description of the effects of human technological developments, inventions that assist food production, communication etc, on the course of history. Include what you consider to be positive and negative impacts of technology. Use MLA Format for this essay. It is due the first full day of school. Be prepared to discuss the book in class.

Sincerely,

Mr. Chisholm