

Hello! I am **Samantha Acord**, one of the history teachers at **St. Joseph Catholic HS**. I am responsible for 10th - 12th and dual credit History courses. Raised and educated in the state, I am a WV girl through and through.

Information about our program:

•We offer American history from the founding of the "New World" and formation of a nation, to the current position of the United States as a world leader.

•In Ancient History students explore early forms of civilization as empires our built, thrive and prosper, and even their ultimate demise as forces change and shift through the rise of new groups of people.

•World History has students examining how Western Civilization came to dominate and become the center of two major World Wars that then culminates into a Cold War that left an entire world choosing sides.

• Civics studies our nation's government and how it has changed and adapted to the modern society.

•Students can receive up to 12 hours of college credit in our dual credit courses if they meet certain academic criteria.

History Path

Freshman year	Ancient
Sophomore year	American
Junior year	American
Senior year	World/Civics

History Honors Path

Freshman year	Ancient
Sophomore year	American
Junior year	Dual American
Senior year	Dual World

What's New?

We are starting an annual **Social Studies Fair**, with the first one Fall of 2018.

Our Books:

- Traditions and Encounters
- American Pageant
- Making America
- We the People
- The Making of the West

Questions? Email me: samantha.acord@stjosehhs.org