

Virginia Standards of Learning Assessment
End-of-Course World History and Geography: 1500 A.D. (C.E.) to the Present
Performance Level Descriptors

Fail/Does Not Meet	Pass/Proficient	Pass/Advanced
<p>A student performing at this level should be able to identify major events and key figures in world history from 1500 to the present; locate physical, cultural, and historical features on a map from 1500 to the present; and recognize important political, social, and economic developments in world history from 1500 to the present.</p>	<p>A student performing at this level should be able to describe causes, development, and effects of cultural, political, economic, and social events from 1500 to the present; label and describe physical, cultural, and historical features on a map from 1500 to the present; and explain the roles and contributions of key figures from 1500 to the present.</p>	<p>A student performing at this level should be able to analyze the impact of cultural, political, economic, and social events from 1500 to the present; demonstrate the relationships among the physical, cultural, and historical features on a map from 1500 to the present; and evaluate the roles and contributions of historical figures from 1500 to the present.</p>