

# Geography/Technology Syllabus

## Mrs. Davenport

We will study the basic concepts of Geography and the regions of Latin America. We will read the information together in class & students will have notes that they will complete on their own. We will then discuss the information again. Student notes can be found in their **Classroom** account.

**Student Projects:** I do not give traditional homework, but students will complete technology projects in class over the information that we have learned. Students are given adequate time in class to complete projects as long as they use their time wisely and efficiently.

With each project, I give students a rubric that clearly states my expectations in detail. This is sent to students through Classroom <https://classroom.google.com/>

➤ I will allow students to redo projects for an improved grade but they **must turn in the graded rubric in order for me to regrade their project.**

**TESTS:** Students can study using their notes that we have completed in class and on <https://quizlet.com/> (search judydavenport sets are located in the geography folder) We usually review in class the day before the test, so it is very beneficial if students have studied before that review day.

I will send a **REMIND** out several days before the test, thus the importance of signing up for Remind.

Students will need to study for tests as they will be more difficult than what they are used to. In 6th grade we are very focused on not only teaching new curriculum but also in preparing students for junior high. We want students to start establishing good study skills and give them different types of opportunities to study so they can find the method that works best for them.