

# Grading

Your overall course grade will come from a combination of weekly reading responses, written essays, and in-class exams.

Your grade for the course will be determined from the following:

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| Weekly Quizzes and Responses   | 15% |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Short, 5-minute in-class quizzes and weekly online responses.</li><li>• Both are based on the assigned readings for the week.</li><li>• In-class quizzes take place at the start of our class meetings and are not made up, so it is important to arrive on time and prepared.</li></ul> |     |
| Interpretive Essays (3)  | 30% |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 3-to-4 page essays on <i>Gilgamesh</i>, <i>Clouds</i>, and images of the ancient world.</li></ul>  |     |
| Midterm  | 20% |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• In-class 75-minute midterm exam.</li></ul>   |     |
| Final  | 35% |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• End-of-term in-class final exam.</li></ul>   |     |