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| **Checklist for Review of Secondary Curriculum Matrices** | | | | | | | |
| **Course: AP World- Humanities** | | | | | | | **Reviewer: Honness**  **Review Date: 8/1/2013** |
| **MATRICES: How does the current matrix reflect the criteria below?** | | | | | | | |
|  | **Not Present** | | **Good Start** | | **Well on the Way** | **Exemplar** | **Evidence** |
| **Learning Focus** | | | | | | | |
| Does the matrix show a clear learning focus for the course? | NP | | GS | | WW | E | Essential Questions and list of topics are all clear |
| Is it clear what concepts are to be taught and assessed during the course? | NP | | GS | | WW | E | MYP concepts are there |
| Is it clear which of the Common Core Learning Standards (CCLS) are to be taught and assessed during the course? | NP | | GS | | WW | E | CCLS are included |
| Are all CCLS that need to be taught and assessed during the course included on the matrix? | NP | | GS | | WW | E | NA |
| Does the matrix show necessary additional standards (NYS or other) that are to be taught and assessed? | NP | | GS | | WW | E | SS listed |
| Is it clear that content/skills are to be taught in service of the larger concepts/standards identified? | NP | | GS | | WW | E | There is a flow established from topics to objectives/standards to assessment |
| Assessments | | | | | | | |
| Are the assessments aligned with the concepts and standards that are the focus of the course? | NP | GS | | WW | | E | Showing the specific standards measured by each assessment will make alignment more clear |
| Are the assessments varied and valid per IB requirements (e.g. open-ended problem-solving activities, investigations, organized debates, hands-on experimentation, analysis and reflection)? | NP | GS | | WW | | E | MYP tasks need to be labeled and created if those originally conceived are no longer appropriate. Assessments are varied |
| **Recommendations:** | | | | | | | |
| Link standards to assessments that measure them  Label &/or create MYP assessments  Review for implications of new NYS curriculum/ AP changes | | | | | | | |