

**WELCOME TO NEWPORT SEA BASE'S****CITIZENSHIP IN THE WORLD!**

**Thank you for your class registration; we're excited to have you aboard!**

**Course Description:**

Participants will discover that they are already citizens of the world. How good a world citizen each person is depends on his/her willingness to understand and appreciate the values, traditions, and concerns of people in other countries. Compare the duties, rights and obligations of citizens in the United States to those of citizens in other countries. Learn what types of governments exist, how international law differs from national law and why countries must cooperate to thrive economically. Study world events in relation to security, health, values, geography, natural resources and climate.

**Below is information you'll find valuable in helping you prepare for the class:**

- Be sure your camper picks up a syllabus from the instructor on the first day of class and reviews the syllabus with parents/guardians.
- Most of the merit badge requirements and course information are covered and discussed in class, however we do also assign homework for certain classes.
- Families may check in at the pedestal directory/site map at the Building C staircase or visit the NSB office upstairs.
- Campers **MUST WEAR CLOSED TOED SHOES AT ALL TIME**. No sandals, Crocs, or roller shoes are permitted.
- Electronics and other valued items should be left at HOME.
- Campers can carry their belongings with them to class; Sea Base is not responsible for any damaged or lost items.
- Snacks and drinks are recommended if your camper is participating at NSB for an extended period of time.
- Campers are not permitted to leave the Sea Base without a parent/guardian.
- Campers should label all personal belongings.
- Scouts must bring blue cards on the last day of class. Instructors will not hold blue cards for students before the last day of class.
- Some classes will include a free pontoon/whaler boat field trip in which Sea Base provides life vests for all campers. Life vests **MUST** be worn on docks and boats! Campers should bring sun block and extra drinking water especially if their class involves being out in the sun.

**Thanks again for your participation at the Newport Sea Base. Have a GREAT class!**

**NEWPORT SEA BASE STAFF**

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