

Jon Maccarello

Education and Credentials

State University at Stony Brook (2018)

- Masters of Arts in Teaching Social Studies
- Grade point average 3.81

State University at Stony Brook (2016)

- Bachelors of Arts in Anthropology with honors
- Grade point average 3.63
- Minored in History

New York State Professional Certificate for Secondary Social Studies, Grades 7-12 (2022)

- Professional 5-6 Extension
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Career Progression

Great Neck Public School District

Social Studies Teacher at Great Neck High School South/Great Neck South Middle School (2025-Present)

Established Practices:

- Taught 8th Grade Social Studies, 9th Grade Global History Regents, ELL Global History, 10th Grade Global History Regents

Elwood Union Free School District

Social Studies Teacher at John Glenn High School (2023-2025)

Established Practices:

- Taught AP United States Government and Politics, Regents United States History, ICT Regents United States History and United States History Honors
- Planned school events and executed district wide fundraisers as the 2023-2024 All-School Student Government Advisor
- Model United Nations club Founder and Advisor
- Member of the AI Committee, AI Detection Committee, Shared Decision Making Committee, Memorial Day Committee, and Academic Awards Committee
- Advisor for the Names Not Numbers program where I facilitated the creation of a documentary where students interview a Holocaust Survivor
- Presenter at the March 2025 Superintendent's Conference day where I taught fellow educators how to use Brisk AI for education

Smithtown Central School District

Social Studies Teacher at Smithtown High School East/Smithtown High School West/Great Hollow Middle School (2018- 2023)

Established Practices:

- Taught 7th Grade Social Studies, inclusion 7th Grade Social Studies, Global 9 Honors and Regents classes, ICT Global History, Economics, and Leadership
- Prepared students for work at the collegiate level
- Implemented fundraisers and events for the community to contribute to school spirit by teaching Leadership
- Guided student initiatives for fundraisers and school beautification
- Facilitated the Veterans of Foreign Wars Essay Contest for Smithtown East from 2020 to 2023
- Incorporated new technology and software to evolve with the Coronavirus pandemic
- Embedded my passion for history into the classroom through coins and immersive storytelling
- Provided home instruction for students with disabilities
- Participated in curriculum writing for Human Conflict and 8th Grade Honors Social Studies

Student Teaching Experience

Smithtown High School East (2018)

- Taught two 11th grade inclusion Regents U.S. History classes
 - Incorporated accommodations for special-needs students
 - Assisted in the instruction of 11th grade Advanced Placement U.S. History classes
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