

Cocalico School District

Year-at-a-Glance - Curriculum Overview

Department: Social Studies

Course: Social Studies

Grade Level: 6

Big Ideas

- The workings of government vary dependent on how the government has the authority to govern.
- The exchange of ideas, goods, and services affects the common welfare and the balance of freedom and liberty.
- The phenomena of the earth, its physical features, places and resources, have been and will be an influence upon civilization.
- The study of the past gives information to contextualize the origins of civilization.

Units of Study	% of Course Time	Textbooks & Supplemental Materials	Assessments	Standards Addressed
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early Humans and Beginning Civilizations 	35%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>World History: Ancient Civilizations Through the Renaissance</i> textbook • SheppardSoftware, LizardPoint website resources • <i>Ancient Civilizations for Children</i> DVD Series • Student-g geared news outlets - Current Event Connections • Multimedia and Print Resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quizzes • Chapter Test • Projects • Homework 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5.1.6.B • 6.2.6.A • 6.3.6.B • 7.4.6.A • 7.4.6.B • 8.1.6.A • 8.4.6.A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civilizations of Eastern and Central Asia 	20%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>World History: Ancient Civilizations Through the Renaissance</i> textbook • SheppardSoftware, LizardPoint website resources • <i>Ancient Civilizations for Children</i> DVD Series • Student-g geared news outlets - Current Event Connections • Multimedia and Print Resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quizzes • Chapter Test • Projects • Homework 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5.1.6.B • 6.2.6.A • 6.3.6.B • 7.4.6.A • 7.4.6.B • 8.1.6.A • 8.4.6.A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundational Development and Ideas of Western Civilization 	40%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>World History: Ancient Civilizations Through the Renaissance</i> textbook • SheppardSoftware, LizardPoint website resources • <i>Ancient Civilizations for Children</i> DVD Series • Student-g geared news outlets - Current Event Connections • Multimedia and Print Resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quizzes • Chapter Test • Projects • Homework 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5.1.6.B • 6.2.6.A • 6.3.6.B • 7.4.6.A • 7.4.6.B • 8.1.6.A • 8.4.6.A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global Effects of Western Expansion and Development 	5%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>World History: Ancient Civilizations Through the Renaissance</i> textbook • SheppardSoftware, LizardPoint website resources • <i>Ancient Civilizations for Children</i> DVD Series • Student-g geared news outlets - Current Event Connections • Multimedia and Print Resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quizzes • Chapter Test • Projects • Homework 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5.1.6.B • 6.2.6.A • 6.3.6.B • 7.4.6.A • 7.4.6.B • 8.1.6.A • 8.4.6.A



Eagle P.A.C.T. Course Connections:

6th Grade Social Studies inspires students to participate in reflective, in-depth collaborative discussions of historical facts and information to better understand our world and our historical present-day role as global citizens.