

Fifth Grade Departmentalized (**Social Studies – 5021050**)

Unit of Study	Time Frame	Content Block Benchmarks	Studies Weekly Adopted Textbook Resources
Geography	August 10 – September 22	SS.5.G.1.1, SS.5.G.1.2, SS.5.G.1.3, SS.5.G.1.4, SS.5.G.1.6, SS.5.G.4.1, SS.5.G.4.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 1 • Founders Month (Sept) • 9/11 Hero's Day (Sept/11)** • Constitution Day (Sept 17) • Hispanic Heritage Month (9/15 – 10/15)
Historical Text Analysis & Pre-Columbian Native Americans	September 26 – November 3	SS.5.A.1.1, SS.5.A.1.2, SS.5.A.2.1, SS.5.A.2.2, SS.5.A.2.3, SS.5.E.1.1 (Benchmark Integration: SS.5.G.1.1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 2 • Unit 3 • Founders Month (Sept) • Hispanic Heritage Month (9/15 – 10/15) • Celebrate Freedom Week (Sept 18 – 22)
Holocaust Education	November 6 – November 10	SS.5.HE.1.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 10**
Exploration and Colonization of North America	November 13 – January 12	SS.5.A.3.1, SS.5.A.3.2, SS.5.A.3.3, SS.5.A.4.1, SS.5.A.4.2, SS.5.A.4.3, SS.5.A.4.4, SS.5.A.4.5, SS.5.A.4.6, SS.5.E.1.1, SS.5.E.1.2, SS.5.E.2.1, SS.5.G.1.5, SS.5.G.3.1, (Benchmark Integration: SS.5.A.1.1, SS.5.A.1.2, SS.5.G.1.1, SS.5.G.1.4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 4 • DBQ: Jamestown: Why Did So Many Colonists Die? • Veteran's Day (11/10)
American Revolution & Birth of a Nation	January 16 – February 29	SS.5.A.5.1, SS.5.A.5.2, SS.5.A.5.3, SS.5.A.5.4, SS.5.A.5.5, SS.5.A.5.6, SS.5.A.5.7, SS.5.A.5.8, SS.5.A.5.10, SS.5.CG.1.1, SS.5.CG.1.2, SS.5.CG.1.3, SS.5.CG.1.4 (Benchmark Integration: SS.5.A.1.1, SS.5.A.1.2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 5 • Unit 6 • DBQ: Valley Forge: Would You Have Quit? • Black History Month (Feb)
Growth and Westward Expansion	March 1 – April 19	SS.5.A.5.9, SS.5.A.6.1, SS.5.A.6.2, SS.5.A.6.3, SS.5.A.6.4, SS.5.A.6.5, SS.5.A.6.6, SS.5.A.6.7, SS.5.A.6.8, SS.5.A.6.9, SS.5.E.1.3, SS.5.G.2.1; (Benchmark Integration: SS.5.A.1.1, SS.5.G.1.1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 7 • DBQ: The California Gold Rush: A Personal Journal • Black History Month (Feb) • Women's History Month (Mar) • Medal of Honor Day (3/25)
Constitution and Roles of Citizens	April 22 – May 30	SS.5.CG.2.2, SS.5.CG.2.3, SS.5.CG.2.4, SS.5.CG.2.5, SS.5.CG.2.6, SS.5.CG.3.1, SS.5.CG.3.2, SS.5.CG.3.3, SS.5.CG.3.4, SS.5.CG.3.5, SS.5.CG.3.6, (Benchmark Integration: SS.5.A.5.10)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit 8 • Unit 9 • DBQ: What Types of Citizens Does a Democracy Need? • Asian American and Pacific Islander Month (May) • Memorial Day (5/28)

*Required Instruction is through Social Studies when time permits. Please follow the state statute for required instruction.

More information in Teacher Canvas Docs.

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