

8th Grade  
**SOCIAL STUDIES TIMETABLE**  
 2011-2012  
 24 Teaching Days

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Six Weeks</b>				
Date	Number of Days	Concept	Topics	TEKS
	4 weeks	Colonization	<b>Founding of 13 Colonies:</b> -Political -Social -Economic	1ABC, 2AB, 25AB, 23ACD
			<b>Geographic Influences:</b> -Economic Influences -Roots of Sectionalism	10AB, 11AC, 12BD, 23A
			<b>Representative Government:</b> -Founding Documents -Colonial Governments -William Penn	1C, 2B, 3ABC, 20A, 23B
	2 weeks	Revolution	<b>Road to Revolution:</b> -Mercantilism -French and Indian War -Proclamation of 1763 -Taxation without Representation	1ABC, 4AB, 12A, 14B, 20C, 23D,
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Six Weeks</b>				
Date	Number of Days	Concept	Topics	TEKS
	1 week		<b>Declaring Independence:</b> -Principles in the Declaration - Influential People	1BC, 4B, 15C, 19A, 20AB, 23DE, 26BC
	1 week	Revolution	<b>Revolutionary War:</b> -British/American - advantages/disadvantages -Major Events -Major Individuals	1B, 4BC, 10ABC, 12A, 22AB, 23D
	2 weeks	Confederation to Constitution	<b>Articles of Confederation:</b> -strengths/weaknesses -problems facing the new nation	6A, 15B
	1 week		<b>Constitutional Convention:</b> -New Jersey Plan -Virginia Plan -Great Compromise -Three-Fifths Compromise	1A, 4DE, 10A, 17A, 20A, 21C
	1 week		<b>Historical Documents:</b> -Influential Historical	15A, 26BC

			Documents -Art, Music, and Literature	
	1 week		<b>Constitution and Bill of Rights:</b> -Principles of the Constitution -Stronger National Government -Our Rights	1AB, 15D, 16A, 19B, 21B, 25C

<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Six Weeks</b>				
Date	Number of Days	Concept	Topics	TEKS
	2 weeks		<b>Constitution and Bill of Rights:</b> -Principles of the Constitution -Stronger National Government -Our Rights	1AB, 15D, 16A, 19B, 21B, 25C
	2 days		<b>Colonial Grievances:</b> -Declaration of Independence	15C
	3 days		<b>Supreme Court Cases</b>	18AB, 22A
	1 week		<b>Citizenship:</b> -Naturalization -Responsibilities -Rights	19CDEF
	1 week	New Republic	<b>Washington's Presidency:</b> -Problems of New Republic -Economics -Governmental Authority -Political Parties -Washington's Farewell Address	1B, 5ABCE, 12A, 14AB, 21A, 22A, 26BC
	1 week		<b>Final Exams</b>	

<b>4<sup>th</sup> Six Weeks</b>				
Date	Number of Days	Concept	Topics	TEKS
	2 days		<b>Adam's Presidency:</b> -Political Parties -Foreign Policy	1B, 5ACE, 14B, 21A, 22A, 26BC
	3 days		<b>Jefferson's Presidency:</b> -Louisiana Purchase - Marbury vs. Madison	1B, 5AE, 6BCE, 10A, 14AB, 18AB, 22A, 26BC,
	3 days		<b>Madison's Presidency:</b> -War of 1812 -McCullough vs. Maryland	1B, 5D, 13A, 14B, 22A, 26BC
	2 days		<b>Monroe's Presidency:</b> -Monroe Doctrine	1B, 5E, 22AB, 26BC

			-Gibbons vs. Odgen	
	3 days		<b>Jackson's Presidency:</b> -Democratic Party -Common Man -Spoils System -National Bank -Indian Removal/Trail of Tears -Nullification Crisis	1A, 5FG, 7A, 12A,17B, 26B
	2 weeks	Growth and Change of the United States	<b>Manifest Destiny:</b> -Westward Expansion -Migration -Oregon Trail -Gold Rush -Mexican War -Gadsden Purchase -Texas Annexation	1C, 6BCDE
	1 week		<b>Industrial Revolution:</b> -Cotton Gin -Interchangeable Parts -Factory System -Urbanization -Transportation	7B, 10B, 11AB, 12C,13B, 14B, 23B, 27ABDC, 28AB
	1 week		<b>Reform Movements:</b> -Temperance -Education -Prison -Women's Rights -Abolition -Care of Disabled	7BC, 8C,18C, 23B,24AB, 28A,

<b>5<sup>th</sup> Six Weeks</b>				
Date	Number of Days	Concept	Topics	TEKS
	6 weeks	Civil War and Reconstruction	<b>Causes of the Civil War:</b> -Compromises -State's Rights - Slavery -Economy -Social Influences -Election of Lincoln	1A, 7ABC, 8B, 17B, 18C, 24A, 26C
			<b>Civil War Events and Leaders:</b> -Fort Sumner -Gettysburg -Vicksburg -Emancipation Proclamation -Appomattox Court House -Lincoln -Davis -Lee -Grant	1AB, 8AB, 10A,22B, 26BC
			<b>Lincoln's Ideas:</b> -Emancipation Proclamation -Gettysburg Address	8C

			-Lincoln-Douglas Debates -First and Second Inaugural Addresses	
			<b>Reconstruction:</b> -Economic Challenges -Social Problems -13 <sup>th</sup> , 14 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> Amendments -Radical Republicans -Presidential Reconstruction -Congressional Reconstruction	1A, 9ABC, 10B, 23C

<b>6<sup>th</sup> Six Weeks</b>				
Date	Number of Days	Concept	Topics	TEKS
	1 week		TAKS Testing	
	4 weeks		Teacher Directed Independent Study Geography Preview	
	1 week		Final Exams	