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District Instructional Guide

7th grade Social Studies - Contemporary Global Studies

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Time	Theme	Historical Content	Standards
Year Long	Relationships and interactions between societies and cultures	United States history as it intersects with major global issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Inquiry<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Develop Questions and Supporting Questions (7.SP1.4, 7.SP3.2)○ Provide evidence using multiple sources (7.SP4.3)○ Construct Arguments using evidence from multiple sources (7.SP4.3)○ Evaluate Credibility of Primary vs Secondary Sources (7.SP4.4)● Geography<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Use and construct maps to explain cultural and environmental characteristics (7.G1.1)○ Analyze various geographic representations (7.G1.2)● Disciplinary Skills<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Analyze connections between historical events (7.SP1.1-2)○ Impact of past events on lives of students (7.SP1.3)○ Multiple perspectives and their influences on historical records(7.SP2.1-.3)○ Limitations of historical record (7.SP3.1)○ Relevance of sources (7.SP3.3)○ Influences of cause and effect (7.SP4.1-2)● History<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Analyze the rise and decline of interactions between cultures and societies (7.H1.1)○ Explain influences of individuals and groups on

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> people, societies and historical events (7.H3.4) ○ Investigate a significant historical topic that has significance to an issue today (7.H3.5) ○ Evaluate how diversity impacts social and political norms of societies (7.H4.1)
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1st Quarter	World Geography & Cultures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● World Geography ● Cultures ● Types of governments ● Types of economic systems ● World religions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Geography <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Analyze cultural and environmental characteristics of various places (7.G2.1-2, 7.G4.1) ○ Analyze global changes in population patterns (7.G4.3) ● History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Compare religious and non-religious worldviews (7.H3.1) ○ Analyze how economic and political motivations impact people and events (7.H3.2) ○ Trace how individual rights and responsibilities have evolved over time (7.H3.3) ● Economics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Compare various economic systems (7.E5.2)

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2nd Quarter	Innovations and Societal Changes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Industrialization● Urbanization● Inventions● Immigration● Global Depression	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Civics<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Compare historical and modern ways in which society has changed to promote the common good (7.C4.1)● Economics<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Effects of economic decisions on society and individuals (7.E2.1)○ Evaluate current economic issues (7.E2.2)○ Explain roles of buyers, sellers and labor in financial markets (7.E3.1) (7.E3.4)○ Analyze relationship between supply and demand (7.E3.2)○ Analyze influence of labor unions on markets (7.E3.3)● Geography<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Explain how changes in communication and transportation influence spatial connections among people (7.G3.1-3)● History<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Trace the development of innovations within historical time periods (7.H1.2)○ Evaluate changing patterns in class, ethnic, racial and gender structures and relations (7.H4.2)

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3rd Quarter	War and Peace	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Civil War• Spanish American War• WWI• WWII• Cold War• Korea• Vietnam• Arab/Israeli• Gulf War	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• History<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Investigate how conflicts can unify and be divisive in societies (7.H2.1)○ Compare multiple causes and effects of conflicts and approaches to peacemaking (7.H2.2)• Civics<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Asses rules and laws that address public problems (7.C4.2)○ Analyze the purpose of societies (7.C4.3)
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4th Quarter	Current Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Connections between current and historical events	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Economics<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ International trade dependency and influence of trade barriers (7.E5.1)○ Evaluate current economic issues (7.E2.2)○ Explain benefits and costs of trade policies on individuals and societies (7.E5.3)○ Explain how environmental characteristics influence global trade patterns (7.G4.2)