



Social Studies 6

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The Archdiocese of Baltimore's 6th grade social studies curriculum is the second half of the Ancient Culture course of study. This course focuses on the Ancient World through an examination of geography, culture, economics and political organization and institutions. Throughout the course students are engaged in rigorous learning experiences that both develop and challenge their thinking skills. Students begin the year with an introduction to social studies skills and processes and continue to apply them throughout the course. The course continues with a geographic study of Ancient Greece and Rome as the foundation of government in western societies that follow. The course continues with a view of life during early Islamic civilizations, the Middle Ages, and, finally, the Renaissance era in Europe. This segues into the 7th grade Early American course which starts with the Age of Exploration, moving through to Modern American History.
