SUBJECT: World Geography I	**GRADE: 11, 12**
Unit Title: Introductory Unit	
UNIT OVERVIEW	
The Introductory Unit provides the foundation for the course. Critical concepts include the 5 themes of geography.	
LRG SKILLS AND DISPOSITIONS	**PA STANDARDS**
	7.1.12 A,B 7.2.12 A,B 7.3.12 A 7.4.12 A,B (PA Standards taken from the SAS site: https://www.pdesas.org/standard/view/)
COMPETENCIES	**LEARNING TARGETS**

Historical Tools and Practices: I can use historical tools and practices to analyze maps, charts, sources, and vocabulary. Culture: I can analyze the development and changes of civilizations and cultures. People, Places, and Change: I can investigate how people interact with places and environments they encounter.	7.1.12.A I can use geographic tools to recognize, understand, and analyze information about the interaction between people, places, and the environment. 7.1.12.B I can recognize, understand, and assess how physical changes to a region may have global impact. 7.2.12.A I can recognize, understand, and analyze the physical characteristics of places and regions, including the interrelationships among the components of Earth's physical systems. 7.2.12.B I can recognize, understand, and analyze the significance of physical processes in shaping the character of places and regions. 7.3.12.A I can recognize, understand, and analyze the human characteristics of places and regions using the following criteria: Population, Culture, Settlement, Economic activities, Political activities 7.4.12.A I can recognize, understand, and analyze the global effects of changes in the physical systems. 7.4.12.B I can recognize, understand, and analyze the global effects of human activity on the physical systems.

SUBJECT: World Geography	GRADE: 11, 12
Unit Title: South America	
UNIT OVERVIEW	
The South America Unit will consist of an overview of the continent including highlights of basic elements of geography and the physical, political, and cultural aspects of various countries on the continent.	
LRG SKILLS AND DISPOSITIONS	**PA STANDARDS**
	7.1.12 A,B 7.2.12 A,B 7.3.12 A 7.4.12 A,B

COMPETENCIES	LEARNING TARGETS
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SUBJECT: World Geography	GRADE: 11, 12
Unit Title: GPS	

UNIT OVERVIEW

The GPS Unit focuses on hands-on activities using GPS technology. Students will learn how to use hand-held GPS devices and how this technology connects to the five themes.

LRG SKILLS AND DISPOSITIONS	PA STANDARDS
Collaboration & Teamwork S1C	7.1.12 A 7.4.12 B

COMPETENCIES	LEARNING TARGETS

Historical Tools and Practices: I can use historical tools and practices to analyze maps, charts, sources, and vocabulary.	7.1.12.A I can use geographic tools to recognize, understand, and analyze information about the interaction between people, places, and the environment.
People, Places, and Change: I can investigate how people interact with places and environments they encounter.	7.4.12.B I can recognize, understand, and analyze the global effects of human activity on the physical systems.
Science, Technology, and Society: I can trace the development and influence of science and technology on society.	7.2.12.A I can recognize, understand, and analyze the physical characteristics of places and regions, including the interrelationships among the components of Earth's physical systems.

SUBJECT: World Geography	**GRADE: 11, 12**
Unit Title: Travel Planner Project	
UNIT OVERVIEW	

The semester will culminate with a student-centered project integrating the five themes of geography. Students will begin working on this project approximately midway through the semester with final submission before the conclusion of the course.

LRG SKILLS AND DISPOSITIONS	PA STANDARDS
Critical Thinking & Problem Solving S2C	7.1.12 A,B 7.3.12 A 7.4.12 B
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SUBJECT: World Geography	GRADE: 11, 12
Unit Title: Asia	

UNIT OVERVIEW
The Asia Unit will consist of an overview of the continent including highlights of the basic elements of geography and the physical, political, and cultural aspects of various countries on the continent.

LRG SKILLS AND DISPOSITIONS	PA STANDARDS
Communication & Empathy S2C	7.1.12 A,B 7.2.12 A,B 7.3.12 A 7.4.12 A,B

COMPETENCIES	LEARNING TARGETS

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