



***8th grade Social Studies MSAD 60 SCOPE AND SEQUENCE DOCUMENTS**

Directions: NHS **Subject-Area Coordinators**, please submit the "Year at a Glance," "Standards Alignment," and "Graduation Standards Alignment" information to **Ali** for each core course in your department. Please submit by **October 27, 2014. (Reviewed 1/15/25)**

Year at a Glance:

List each unit of instruction that will occur in each semester. Include a descriptive title and an approximation of how many days each unit will take to teach.

Example:

Grade: 8

Course: Social Studies

Semester 1

Unit	Descriptive Title	Approx: Time
Unit 1	Identity Unit: Community Building/European Geography now done in Seminar (Barr) (Heritage Chart)	5-10 days
Unit 2	Western Civilization (Black Death DBQ)/(Seterra (Quizzes))	One Month
Unit 3	Native Americans of The Northeast/ Exploration and Colonization (Chart)	One Month
Unit 4	Current Event (cnn10) (Quizziz and Google Forms)	1 Day Per Week
Unit 5	Common Social Studies Vocabulary (Quizlet Quizzes)	6 Days

Semester 2

Unit	Descriptive Title	Approx: Time
Unit 1	The Holocaust (Primary and Secondary Source Citation CPA) Modern History of Europe (Conflicts) (DBQ Choice)	One Month
Unit 2	Modern History of Africa (Conflicts)(DBQ) Geography of Africa (Ilike2Learn Quizzes)	One Month
Unit 3	*Modern History of the Middle East (Conflicts)	One Month
Unit 4	Current Events (Political Cartoon CPA)	Daily

Standards Alignments

For each unit listed above, copy and paste the standards (CCSS, NGSS or MLRs) that will be taught to mastery in each unit.

Focus Standards:

Key Ideas and Details:

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CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.1

Cite specific textual evidence to support analysis of primary and secondary sources. **(S1/U2, S2/U1)**

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.2

Determine the central ideas or information of a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of the source distinct from prior knowledge or opinions. **(S1/U2, S2/U1)**

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.3

Craft and Structure:

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.4

Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text, including vocabulary specific to domains related to history/social studies. **S1 (U2-6), S2 (U1-5)**

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.5

Describe how a text presents information (e.g., sequentially, comparatively, causally). **S1 (U2,4), S2 (U1 and 3)**

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.6

Identify aspects of a text that reveal an author's point of view or purpose (e.g., loaded language, inclusion or avoidance of particular facts). **S1 (U2, U5), S2 (U1, U5)**

Integration of Knowledge and Ideas:

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.8

Distinguish among fact, opinion, and reasoned judgment in a text. **S1 (U2,5), S2 (U1, U3,U5)**

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.9

Analyze the relationship between a primary and secondary source on the same topic. **S1 (U2), S2 (U1)**

Range of Reading and Level of Text Complexity:

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RH.6-8.10

By the end of grade 8, read and comprehend history/social studies texts in the grades 6-8 text complexity band independently and proficiently. **All Units.**

Graduation Standards Alignment

For each unit above, include a listing of the Graduation Standard(s) in which students will have the opportunity to demonstrate proficiency.

Unit Title	GS:1	GS: 2	GS: 3	GS: 4	GS: 5	GS: 6
Unit 1: Identity Unit: Community Building		X				
Unit 2: Native Americans of The Northeast and Colonization	X					X
Unit 3:European Geography	X				X	
Unit 4: Current Events	X	X				
Unit 5: Common Social Studies Vocabulary	X	X	X	X	X	X

Semester 2

NHS Social Studies Department Graduation Standards

Unit Title	GS:1	GS: 2	GS: 3	GS: 4	GS: 5	GS: 6
Unit 1:The Holocaust :Modern History of Europe (Conflicts)	X					X
Unit 2: Modern History of Africa (Conflicts) Geography of Africa	x			X	x	X
Unit 3: Modern History of The Middle East (Conflicts)			X			X
Unit 4: Current Events	X	X				

Maine Learning Results

Semester 1

Unit Title	MLR A 1,2,3	MLR B 1,2,3	MLR C 1,2	MLR D 1,2	MLR E 1,2
Unit 1: Identity Unit: Community Building	A2				
Unit 2: Native Americans of The			C1, C2	D1, D2	E1, E2

Northeast/E xploration and Western Civilization					
Unit3: European Geography				D1	
Unit 4: Current Events	A1, A2	B2			
Unit 5: Common Social Studies Vocabulary	A1, A2, A3	B1, B2, B3	C1, C2	D1, D2	E1, E2

Maine Learning Results

Semester 2

Unit Title	MLR A 1,2,3	MLR B 1,2,3	MLR C 1,2	MLR D 1,2	MLR E 1,2
Unit 1:The Holocaust Modern History of Europe (Conflicts)	A1	B3			E1, E2
Unit 2: Modern History of Africa (Conflicts) Geography of Africa	A1		C1	D1	E1
Unit 3: Modern History of The Middle East (Conflicts)	A1		C1	D1	
Unit 4: Current Events	A1, A2	B2			

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