

Social Studies Model Curriculum Correlations



Grade 6

Theme	<i>Regions and People of the Eastern Hemisphere</i>
Strand	<i>Government</i>
Topic	Civic Participation and Skills Civic participation embraces the ideal that an individual actively engages in his or her community, state or nation for the common good. Students need to practice effective communication skills including negotiation, compromise and collaboration. Skills in accessing and analyzing information are essential for citizens in a democracy.
Content Statement	<i>9. Different perspectives on a topic can be obtained from a variety of historic and contemporary sources. Sources can be examined for accuracy.</i>

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Lesson – [Judging Propaganda](#)

NOTE: This lesson also works well for Grade 6 English Language Arts: Strand=Speaking and Listening; Topic=Comprehension and Collaboration; Standard Statements #1,2,3.

Theme	<i>Regions and People of the Eastern Hemisphere</i>
Strand	<i>Government</i>
Topic	Roles and Systems of Government The purpose of government in the United States is to establish order, protect the rights of individuals and promote the common good. Governments may be organized in different ways and have limited or unlimited powers.
Content Statement	<i>10. Governments can be categorized as monarchies, theocracies, dictatorships or democracies, but categories may overlap and labels may not accurately represent how governments function. The extent of citizens' liberties and responsibilities varies according to limits on governmental authority.</i>

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Lesson – [Types of Government](#)