

World Civilizations/Geography

I can Statements

UNIT	UT CORE	ESSENTIAL QUESTION	CONTENT BIG ROCKS	DAILY TARGETS
1	Geo for Life: 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 4.1	How does Geography Impact human history?	I can investigate how geography impacts human history.	<p>Map Basics: I can analyze maps and identify the world in spatial terms.</p> <p>1- I can identify the 7 continents and 5 oceans. 2- I can identify important lines of latitude and longitude, and use them to find places on the map. 3- I can identify and analyze the purpose of different map types. 4- I can analyze characteristics of maps.</p> <p>5 Themes of Geography: I can analyze the 5 Themes of Geography.</p> <p>1- I can define location and give examples of it. 2- I can define place and give examples of it. 3- I can define Human/Environment interaction and give examples of it. 4- I can define movement and give examples of it. 5- I can define region and give examples of it. 6- I can analyze the characteristics and distributions of human populations.</p>
2	World Civ: 5.1, 5.3 Geo For Life: 2.3	Why is it important for neighboring countries to work together?	I can identify and compare and contrast two North American countries.	<p>North America: I can identify major regions in North America.</p> <p>1- I can locate current countries of North America 2- I can locate major physical features of North America 3- I can analyze the importance of interaction between neighboring countries of North America.</p>
3	World Civ: 1.1, 1.2, 1.3 Geo for Life: 2.3	What are necessary factors for the development of civilization?	I can identify and analyze the necessary factors for the development of civilization.	<p>Ancient Civilizations: I can examine the causes of the rise of civilizations.</p> <p>1- I can analyze the reasons for the rise of civilizations. 2- I can identify major accomplishments of Mesopotamia. 3- I can identify major accomplishments of the Nile river valley civilization. 4- I can identify major accomplishments of the Yellow River valley civilizations 5- I can identify major accomplishments of the Indus river valley civilizations</p>

4	World Civ: 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5,	What are the major contributions of Classic Civilization?	I can identify and understand the contributions of Classic Civilization.	<p>Ancient Europe: I can examine the foundation for Western Civilization.</p> <p>1- I can locate the current countries of Europe. 2- I can analyze the birth of democracy and the Republic and their impact on modern governments. 3- I can analyze the cultures of Ancient Greece and Ancient Rome. 4- I can define characteristics of the Dark Ages including the Crusades, the Feudalistic system, and the Plague.</p>
5	World Civ: 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 4.1, 4.3	What was the significance of intellectual and cultural change in early modern society?	I can examine the significance of intellectual and cultural change in early modern society.	<p>Revolutionary Europe: I can analyze the origins and effects of Western social and political revolutions.</p> <p>1- I can define the Renaissance and its historical effects. 2- I can identify key reformers and their impact on Europe. 3- I can define Industrialization and its impact on the world.</p>
6	World Civ: 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 5.2, 5.3 Geo for Life: 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 5.1	What are the major reasons for world conflict in the 20th century?	I can examine how different economic and political systems create conflict.	<p>Modern Europe: I can analyze major world conflicts of the western civilizations during the 20th century.</p> <p>1- I can analyze the major causes and effects of World War I. 2- I can examine the cause and effect of the Russian Revolution. 3- I can investigate the connections between WWI and WWII. 4- I can analyze the major causes and effects of WW II. 5- I can investigate the cause and effect of the Holocaust. 6- I can differentiate various forms of government and economies. 7- I can analyze the causes and effects of the Cold War.</p>
7	World Civ: 4.2 Geo for Life: 4.2, 4.3	How does Latin America affect the United States?	I can examine how Latin American countries impact the United States.	<p>Latin America: I can examine past and present major issues in Latin America.</p> <p>1- I can locate the current countries of Latin America. 2- I can analyze the cause and effect of European explorers in the region. 3- I can identify the causes and effects of modern immigration. 4- I can examine the current drug wars in Latin America.</p>
8	World Civ: 4.4 Geo for Life: 6.2	What are the causes and effects of major problems with in African countries?	I can identify major problems with in Africa and create realistic solutions.	<p>Africa: I can examine major world issues in Africa.</p> <p>1- I can critique the establishment of apartheid in South Africa. 2- I can analyze the causes and effects of different genocides throughout Africa, mainly Rwanda and Darfur 3- I can identify major problems in modern African nations and develop practical solutions.</p>

<p style="font-size: 48pt; text-align: center;">9</p>	<p>World Civ: 5.4 Geo for Life: 5.1, 5.2</p>	<p>What is the importance of understanding the similarities and differences of world beliefs?</p>	<p>I can understand the difference between the world's major religions.</p>	<p>Ancient Middle East: I can examine the foundations of Middle Eastern culture. 1- I can locate the current countries of the Middle East region. 2- I can examine basic beliefs of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. Modern Middle East: I can analyze the origins of conflict in the Middle East and their effects on the World. 1- I can examine the source and consequences of the Israel/Palestine conflict 2- I can examine the evolution of terrorism in the Middle East and its impact on the world. 3- I can investigate the current unrest in the Middle East Region.</p>
<p style="font-size: 48pt; text-align: center;">10</p>	<p>World Civ: 2.1, 2.2, 2.5, 5.1 Geo for Life: 4.2, 4.3</p>	<p>How do differing economic systems create conflict in the world?</p>	<p>I can examine how different economic and political systems create conflict.</p>	<p>Ancient Asia: I can examine the foundations of Asian culture. 1- I can locate the current countries of Asia 2- I can explain the basic belief systems of Buddhism, Hinduism and Confucianism 3- I can examine the importance of the Silk Road to history. Modern Asia: I can identify the events and conflicts in Asia during the 20Th Century. 1- I can evaluate the role and contributions of Gandhi. 2- I can analyze the causes and effects of WWII in the Pacific. 3- I can evaluate the effect of the Cold War on Asia, including the Korean and Vietnam wars. 4- I can describe the events in China leading from Imperialist government to modern government.</p>
<p style="font-size: 48pt; text-align: center;">11</p>	<p>World Civ: 4.4 Geo for Life: 5.1, 5.2</p>	<p>How have humans adapted to live among and with in such harsh living environments?</p>	<p>I can compare and contrast the variety of indigeneous life of different world regions.</p>	<p>Oceania/Australia: I can analyze and identify the unique variety of life in this region of the world. 1- I can locate the current countries of Oceania/Australia 2- I can distinguish the unique variety of plant and animal life in the region and why it has evolved into such a diverse and unique region of the world.</p>