Unit 7: Life in the Young Republic

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Unit 7: Life in the Young Republic

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Unit Overview

In Unit 4, students will investigate the first presidents, The Louisiana Purchase, The War of 1812, American Indians' Trail of Tears, Inventions, Roads, and Rails, and The California Gold Rush.

Enduring Understandings

- The United States grew rapidly during the early and mid-1800s.
- The leaders of the United States during this time had a profound impact on future governments, as well as on the ways in which the country grew.
- The War of 1812 challenged the young nation and helped build pride in America and establish an American identity.
- Westward settlement and land policies disrupted the traditions and lives of American Indians.
- Obtaining equal rights was a long process for African Americans, women, and many other groups.

Essential Questions

How do leaders shape a nation?

Exit Skills

By the end of Grade 5, Unit 7, the student should be able to:

- Define key terms
- Analyze a Graph
- Analyze events leading up the Indian Removal Act

- Identify points of view
- Analyze primary sources
- Write a narrative
- Draw Inferences

New Jersey Student Learning Standards (NJSLS)

SOC.5-8.1.1.2	Explain how major events are related to one another in time.
SOC.5-8.1.2.1	Select and use various geographic representations to compare information about people, places, regions, and environments.
SOC.5-8.1.3.1	Compare and contrast differing interpretations of current and historical events.
SOC.5-8.1.4.1	Select and analyze information from a variety of sources to present a reasoned argument or position in a written and/or oral format.

Interdisciplinary Connections

LA.RL.5.2	Determine the key details in a story, drama or poem to identify the theme and to summarize the text.
LA.RI.5.2	Determine two or more main ideas of a text and explain how they are supported by key details; summarize the text.
LA.W.5.9.B	Apply grade 5 Reading standards to informational texts (e.g., "Explain how an author uses reasons and evidence to support particular points in a text, identifying which reasons and evidence support which point[s]").
LA.SL.5.3	Summarize the points a speaker makes and explain how each claim is supported by reasons and evidence.
LA.SL.5.4	Report on a topic or text or present an opinion, sequencing ideas logically and using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace.

Learning Objectives
- Place key events and people of nineteenth-century America in a chronological sequence and within a spatial context.
- Analyze maps.
- Interpret timelines.
- Analyze the role of George Washington in creating the first cabinet and executive branch of the federal government.
- Compare and contrast the opinions of the Federalist and Democratic-Republican parties regarding issues such as the national bank.
- Summarize the events of John Adams election as second president and the events that led to the Alien and Sedition Acts.
- Summarize the causes and effects of the Louisiana Purchase.
- Describe the role that Daniel Boone, Lewis and Clark, Zebulon Pike, and John C. Fremont played in the westward expansion of the United States.

- Explain the importance of the Lewis and Clark expedition.
- Identify the causes of the War of 1812.
- List key battles and events of the War of 1812.
- Describe the context in which ''The Star-Spangled Banner" was written and the main ideas it expresses.
- Discuss the effects of the War of 1812, including the impact on how Americans viewed themselves.
- Explain the purpose of the Monroe Doctrine.
- Discuss the causes and effects of the Indian Removal Act and the Trail of tears.
- Describe the reasons for the influx of immigrants in the early and mid-1800s.
- Identify the cotton gin as one reason for the spread of slavery.
- Discuss how the growth of the country contributed to tensions between the North and the South.
- Identify major leaders of the abolitionist and women's rights movements and the roles they played.

Suggested Activities & Best Practices

Map & Graph Skills:

Interpret Cultural Data on Maps

Interpret Timelines

Literacy Skills:

- Compare and Contrast
- Sequence

Suggested Activities

- Rap About It
- Chapter Vocabulary Games
- Big Question Inter-activities
- Quest Challenges (Project-Based Learning)
- Field Trip videos
- Jumpstart Activity
- Tikatok

Assessment Evidence - Checking for Understanding (CFU)

- Admit Tickets
- Anticipation Guide
- Common Benchmarks
- Compare & Contrast

- Create a Multimedia Poster

- DBQ's

- Define

- Describe

- Evaluate

- Evaluation rubrics

- Exit Tickets

- Explaining

- Fist- to-Five or Thumb-Ometer

- Illustration

- Journals

- KWL Chart

- Learning Center Activities

- Multimedia Reports

- Newspaper Headline

- Outline

- Question Stems

- Quickwrite

- Quizzes

- Red Light, Green Light

- Self- assessments

- Socratic Seminar

- Study Guide

- Surveys

- Teacher Observation Checklist

- Think, Pair, Share

- Think, Write, Pair, Share

- Top 10 List

- Unit review/Test prep

- Unit tests

- Web-Based Assessments

- Written Reports

Primary Resources & Materials

MyWorld Interactive text and digital resources

Ancillary Resources

Internet Resources:

www.pearsonrealize.com

www.history.com

www.stopbully.gov

www.edutopia.org

Technology Infusion

MyWorld Interactive Digital platform

Chromebook

Google Classroom

Win 8.1 Apps/Tools Pedagogy Wheel

Podcasts
Photostory 3
Kid Story Builder
Music Maker Jam
Paint A Story
Office 365
MS PowerPoint
Stack 'Em Up
NqSquared Numbers
Physamajig
Xylophone 8

Wikipedia
Skydrive
Lync
SkyMap
Skype
Office 365
Puzzle Touch
Easy QR
Memorylage
Life Moments
Word Cloud Maker

Where's Waldo?
MS Excel   Office 365
Flipboard   Nova Mindmapping

Ted Talks
Record Voice Pen

Activities

Podcasts   Texts
Digital Stories   Apps
Notebooks   Movies
Surveys   Music
Presentations
Websites
Animations
Paintings

Blog Journal
Diagraming
Bing Search Documenting
Mind mapping
Commenting
Word processing
Social Networking
Recounting

Manipulate
Drawing
Diagraming
Animating
Journals
Photography
Movie Making
Music Making
Story Telling
Scrapbooks

Graphing   Voting
Mindmapping   Reading comprehension
Peer Assessment Judging Spreadsheets
Surveying   Summarising   Listening
Mapping   Comparing

Blogging
Commenting
Voting
Surveys
Quizzes
Peer assessment
Self Assessment
Debating
Collaging

Action Verbs

Transform   Recognise
Imagine Teach   Describe Identify
Design Construct   Infer   Retrieve
Rearrange   Match   Locate
Invent   List

Rate   Understand
Opinion   Create
Critique   Evaluate   Apply
Collaborate
Assess Debate   Analyse
Justify   Survey   Deduce
Prioritise   Infer   Differentiate
Sequence
Contrast   Examine
Outline   Compare

Use   Demo
Teach   Record
Share   Draw
Simulate
Create
Construct

Alignment to 21st Century Skills & Technology

Upon completion of this section, please remove all remaining descriptions, notes, outlines, examples and/or illustrations that are not needed or used.

Mastery and infusion of **21st Century Skills & Technology** and their Alignment to the core content areas is essential to student learning. The core content areas include:

- English Language Arts;
- Mathematics;
- Science and Scientific Inquiry (Next Generation);
- Social Studies, including American History, World History, Geography, Government and Civics, and Economics;
- World languages;
- Technology;
- Visual and Performing Arts.

21st Century Skills/Interdisciplinary Themes

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Please list only the **21st Century/Interdisciplinary Themes** that will be incorporated into this unit.

- Communication and Collaboration
- Creativity and Innovation
- Critical thinking and Problem Solving
- ICT (Information, Communications and Technology) Literacy
- Information Literacy
- Life and Career Skills
- Media Literacy

21st Century Skills

- Civic Literacy
- Environmental Literacy

- Financial, Economic, Business and Entrepreneurial Literacy
- Global Awareness
- Health Literacy

Differentiation

Differentiations:

- Small group instruction
- Small group assignments
- Extra time to complete assignments
- Pairing oral instruction with visuals
- Repeat directions
- Use manipulatives
- Center-based instruction
- Token economy
- Study guides
- Teacher reads assessments allowed
- Scheduled breaks
- Rephrase written directions
- Multisensory approaches
- Additional time
- Preview vocabulary
- Preview content & concepts
- Story guides
- Behavior management plan
- Highlight text
- Student(s) work with assigned partner
- Visual presentation
- Assistive technology
- Auditory presentations
- Large print edition
- Dictation to scribe
- Small group setting

Hi-Prep Differentiations:

- Alternative formative and summative assessments
- Choice boards
- Games and tournaments
- Group investigations
- Guided Reading
- Independent research and projects
- Interest groups
- Learning contracts
- Leveled rubrics
- Literature circles
- Multiple intelligence options
- Multiple texts
- Personal agendas
- Project-based learning
- Problem-based learning

- Stations/centers
- Think-Tac-Toes
- Tiered activities/assignments
- Tiered products
- Varying organizers for instructions

Lo-Prep Differentiations

- Choice of books or activities
- Cubing activities
- Exploration by interest
- Flexible grouping
- Goal setting with students
- Jigsaw
- Mini workshops to re-teach or extend skills
- Open-ended activities
- Think-Pair-Share
- Reading buddies
- Varied journal prompts
- Varied supplemental materials

Special Education Learning (IEP's & 504's)

- printed copy of board work/notes provided
- additional time for skill mastery
- assistive technology
- behavior management plan
- Center-Based Instruction
- check work frequently for understanding
- computer or electronic device utilizes
- extended time on tests/ quizzes
- have student repeat directions to check for understanding
- highlighted text visual presentation
- modified assignment format
- modified test content
- modified test format
- modified test length
- multi-sensory presentation
- multiple test sessions

- preferential seating

- preview of content, concepts, and vocabulary

- Provide modifications as dictated in the student's IEP/504 plan

- reduced/shortened reading assignments

- Reduced/shortened written assignments

- secure attention before giving instruction/directions

- shortened assignments

- student working with an assigned partner

- teacher initiated weekly assignment sheet

- Use open book, study guides, test prototypes

English Language Learning (ELL)

- teaching key aspects of a topic. Eliminate nonessential information

- using videos, illustrations, pictures, and drawings to explain or clarif

- allowing products (projects, timelines, demonstrations, models, drawings, dioramas, poster boards, charts, graphs, slide shows, videos, etc.) to demonstrate student's learning;

- allowing students to correct errors (looking for understanding)

- allowing the use of note cards or open-book during testing

- decreasing the amount of workpresented or required

- having peers take notes or providing a copy of the teacher's notes

- modifying tests to reflect selected objectives

- providing study guides

- reducing or omitting lengthy outside reading assignments

- reducing the number of answer choices on a multiple choice test

- tutoring by peers

- using computer word processing spell check and grammar check features

- using true/false, matching, or fill in the blank tests in lieu of essay tests

At Risk

- allowing students to correct errors (looking for understanding)

- teaching key aspects of a topic. Eliminate nonessential information

- allowing products (projects, timelines, demonstrations, models, drawings, dioramas, poster boards, charts, graphs, slide shows, videos, etc.) to demonstrate student's learning

- allowing students to select from given choices

- allowing the use of note cards or open-book during testing

- collaborating (general education teacher and specialist) to modify vocabulary, omit or modify items to reflect objectives for the student, eliminate sections of the test, and determine how the grade will be determined prior to giving the test.

- decreasing the amount of workpresented or required
- having peers take notes or providing a copy of the teacher's notes
- marking students' correct and acceptable work, not the mistakes
- modifying tests to reflect selected objectives
- providing study guides
- reducing or omitting lengthy outside reading assignments
- reducing the number of answer choices on a multiple choice test
- tutoring by peers
- using authentic assessments with real-life problem-solving
- using true/false, matching, or fill in the blank tests in lieu of essay tests
- using videos, illustrations, pictures, and drawings to explain or clarify

Talented and Gifted Learning (T&G)

- Above grade level placement option for qualified students
- Advanced problem-solving
- Allow students to work at a faster pace
- Cluster grouping
- Complete activities aligned with above grade level text using Benchmark results
- Create a blog or social media page about their unit
- Create a plan to solve an issue presented in the class or in a text
- Debate issues with research to support arguments
- Flexible skill grouping within a class or across grade level for rigor
- Higher order, critical & creative thinking skills, and discovery
- Multi-disciplinary unit and/or project
- Teacher-selected instructional strategies that are focused to provide challenge, engagement, and growth opportunities
- Utilize exploratory connections to higher-grade concepts
- Utilize project-based learning for greater depth of knowledge