

**TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
SOCIAL STUDIES CURRICULUM
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OVERVIEW - GRADE 5

MARKING PERIOD	PREVIEW	TITLE
1	Chapter Overview	American People, American Land
1	Chapter 1	Life in the Western Hemisphere
1	Chapter 2	Native Americans of North America
2	Chapter 3	Life in the Eastern Hemisphere
2	Chapter 4	Spain Builds an Empire
2	Chapter 5	The Struggle to Found Colonies
3	Chapter 6	Life in the English Colonies
3	Chapter 7	The Fight for a Continent
4	Chapter 8	The Road to War
4	Chapter 9	Winning the Revolution

*Implementing Geography Skills throughout the year from Nystrom Our World Today Atlas and Activity Map Program.

Reviewing Geography Skills Lessons 1-4

Lesson #1 Introducing the Atlas
Lesson #2 Introducing the Activity Map
Lesson #3 Reviewing Map Skills
Lesson #4 Identifying Map Symbols

World Lessons 1-7

Lesson #1 Introducing the World
Lesson #2 Exploring Land and Water
Lesson #3 Locating Countries & Cities
Lesson #4 Climate and Latitude
Lesson #5 Polar Regions
Lesson #6 Exploring the Oceans
Lesson #7 Population

North America Lessons 1-12

Lesson #1 Introducing North America
Lesson #2 Exploring Land and Water
Lesson #3 Locating Countries & Cities
Lesson #4 Comparing Dry Regions
Lesson #5 Comparing Rainy Regions
Lesson #6 Settling Canada
Lesson #7 Great Lakes
Lesson #8 U.S. Commercial Agriculture
Lesson #9 U.S. Megalopolises
Lesson #10 Major Industries in Mexico
Lesson #11 Volcanoes of Middle America
Lesson #12 Comparing Cultures