Main Criteria: Rhode Island World-Class Standards

Secondary Criteria: Social Studies Online

Subjects: Science, Social Studies

Grade: 6

Correlation Options: Show Correlated

Rhode Island World-Class Standards

Science

Grade: 6 - Adopted: 2013

DOMAIN	NGSS.MS -PS.	PHYSICAL SCIENCE
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	MS-PS1.	Matter and Its Interactions
GSE STEM		Students who demonstrate understanding can:
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS-PS1- 3.	Gather and make sense of information to describe that synthetic materials come from natural resources and impact society.

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DOMAIN	NGSS.MS -LS.	LIFE SCIENCE
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	MS-LS1.	From Molecules to Organisms: Structures and Processes
GSE STEM		Students who demonstrate understanding can:
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS-LS1- 4.	Use argument based on empirical evidence and scientific reasoning to support an explanation for how characteristic animal behaviors and specialized plant structures affect the probability of successful reproduction of animals and plants respectively. Social Studies Online How Coral Reefs Are Formed
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	5.	Construct a scientific explanation based on evidence for how environmental and genetic factors influence the growth of organisms. Social Studies Online Galapagos Islands How Coral Reefs Are Formed
SPECIFIC INDICATOR		Gather and synthesize information that sensory receptors respond to stimuli by sending messages to the brain for immediate behavior or storage as memories.

Social Studies Online

Who Lives On a Coral Reef?

DOMAIN	NGSS.MS -LS.	LIFE SCIENCE
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	MS-LS2.	Ecosystems: Interactions, Energy, and Dynamics
GSE STEM		Students who demonstrate understanding can:

SPECIFIC MS-LS2- Construct an explanation that predicts patterns of interactions among organisms across multiple ecosystems. **INDICATOR** 2. **Social Studies Online** African Safari Amazon Rainforest - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - Grades 6-8 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Canada: Coast to Coast Galapagos Islands How Coral Reefs Are Formed National Parks - Alaska & Hawaii The Sahara Desert Who Lives On a Coral Reef? SPECIFIC MS-LS2- Develop a model to describe the cycling of matter and flow of energy among living and nonliving parts of an INDICATOR ecosystem. Social Studies Online Amazon Rainforest - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - Grades 6-8 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Galapagos Islands Who Lives On a Coral Reef? SPECIFIC MS-LS2- Construct an argument supported by empirical evidence that changes to physical or biological components of **INDICATOR** 4. an ecosystem affect populations. Social Studies Online Amazon Rainforest - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - Grades 6-8 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Canada: Coast to Coast Galapagos Islands How Coral Reefs Are Formed National Parks - Alaska & Hawaii National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado The Sahara Desert Who Lives On a Coral Reef? SPECIFIC MS-LS2- Evaluate competing design solutions for maintaining biodiversity and ecosystem services. **INDICATOR** 5. Social Studies Online African Safari Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Canada: Coast to Coast Galapagos Islands National Parks - Alaska & Hawaii National Parks - Nevada, California National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado National Parks - Wyoming, Utah Who Lives On a Coral Reef?

DOMAIN	NGSS.MS -ESS.	EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCE
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	MS- ESS2.	Earth's Systems
GSE STEM		Students who demonstrate understanding can:

SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS- ESS2-1.	Develop a model to describe the cycling of Earth's materials and the flow of energy that drives this process. Social Studies Online Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Galapagos Islands
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS- ESS2-2.	Construct an explanation based on evidence for how geoscience processes have changed Earth's surface at varying time and spatial scales. Social Studies Online National Parks - Alaska & Hawaii National Parks - Nevada, California National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado National Parks - Wyoming, Utah
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS- ESS2-3.	Analyze and interpret data on the distribution of fossils and rocks, continental shapes, and seafloor structures to provide evidence of the past plate motions. Social Studies Online National Parks - Alaska & Hawaii National Parks - Wyoming, Utah
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS- ESS2-5.	Collect data to provide evidence for how the motions and complex interactions of air masses results in changes in weather conditions. Social Studies Online Canada: Coast to Coast
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS- ESS2-6.	Develop and use a model to describe how unequal heating and rotation of the Earth cause patterns of atmospheric and oceanic circulation that determine regional climates. Social Studies Online

Galapagos Islands

DOMAIN	NGSS.MS -ESS.	EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCE
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	MS- ESS3.	Earth and Human Activity
GSE STEM		Students who demonstrate understanding can:

SPECIFIC MS- Construct a scientific explanation based on evidence for how the uneven distributions of Earth's mineral, INDICATOR ESS3-1. energy, and groundwater resources are the result of past and current geoscience processes.

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SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS- ESS3-3.	Apply scientific principles to design a method for monitoring and minimizing a human impact on the environment.
		Social Studies Online African Safari Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Canada: Coast to Coast Galapagos Islands National Parks - Alaska & Hawaii National Parks - Nevada, California National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado National Parks - Wyoming, Utah Who Lives On a Coral Reef?
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS- ESS3-4.	Construct an argument supported by evidence for how increases in human population and per-capita consumption of natural resources impact Earth's systems. Social Studies Online Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Who Lives On a Coral Reef?
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	MS- ESS3-5.	Ask questions to clarify evidence of the factors that have caused the rise in global temperatures over the past century. Social Studies Online Canada: Coast to Coast National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado Who Lives On a Coral Reef?

Rho de Island World-Class Standards Social Studies

Grade: 6 - Adopted: 2012

DOMAIN	RI.C&G.	Civics & Government
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	C&G 1.	People create and change structures of power, authority, and governance in order to accomplish common goals.
GSE STEM	C&G 1 (5-6)-1.	Students demonstrate an understanding of origins, forms, and purposes of government by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	C&G 1 (5-6)-1.a.	Identifying the basic functions of government. Social Studies Online Barcelona
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	C&G 1 (5-6)-1.b.	Listing and defining various forms of government (e.g., dictatorship, democracy, parliamentary, monarchy). Social Studies Online Ancient China - Shang & Zhou Dynasties Canada: Our Northern Neighbor

DOMAIN	RI.C&G.	Civics & Government
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	C&G 2.	The Constitution of the United States establishes a government of limited powers that are shared among different levels and branches.
GSE STEM	C&G 2 (5-6)-1.	Students demonstrate an understanding of United States government (local, state, national) by

SPECIFIC INDICATOR	C&G 2 (5-6)-1.a.	Identifying and describing the function of the three branches (i.e., checks and balances, separation of powers). Social Studies Online Washington, DC - Grades 6 - 12
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	C&G 2 (5-6)-1.b.	Identifying how power is divided and shared among the levels of the United States government.
		Social Studies Online Washington, DC - Grades 6 - 12

DOMAIN	RI.C&G.	Civics & Government
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	C&G 4.	People engage in political processes in a variety of ways.
GSE STEM	C&G 4 (5-6)-1.	Students demonstrate an understanding of political systems and political processes by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	C&G 4 (5-6)-1.c.	Identifying, comparing, and contrasting different "political systems" (e.g., monarchy, democracy, feudal).

Social Studies Online
Canada: Our Northern Neighbor

DOMAIN	RI.C&G.	Civics & Government
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	C&G 5.	As members of an interconnected world community, the choices we make impact others locally, nationally, and globally.
GSE STEM	C&G 5 (5-6)-1.	Students demonstrate an understanding of the many ways Earth's people are interconnected by

SPECIFIC	C&G 5	Identifying, describing, and explaining how people are socially, technologically, geographically, economically,
INDICATOR	(5-6)-1.a.	or culturally connected to others.

Social Studies Online

Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Canada: Our Northern Neighbor

Exploring Cuba

SPECIFIC C&G 5 Locating where different nations are in the world in relation to the U.S. INDICATOR (5-6)-1.b.

Social Studies Online
Canada: Coast to Coast
Canada: Our Northern Neighbor

DOMAIN	RI.C&G.	Civics & Government
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	C&G 5.	As members of an interconnected world community, the choices we make impact others locally, nationally, and globally.
GSE STEM	C&G 5 (5-6)-2.	Students demonstrate an understanding of the benefits and challenges of an interconnected world by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	C&G 5 (5-6)-2.a.	Identifying and discussing factors that lead to the breakdown of order among societies (e.g., natural disasters, wars, plagues, population shifts, natural resources).

Social Studies Online

Exploring Cuba

DOMAIN	RI.C&G.	Civics & Government
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	C&G 5.	As members of an interconnected world community, the choices we make impact others locally, nationally, and globally.
GSE STEM	C&G 5 (5-6)-3.	Students demonstrate an understanding of how the choices we make impact and are impacted by an interconnected world by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	C&G 5 (5-6)-3.b.	Explaining how actions taken or not taken impact societies (e.g., natural disasters, incidences of social injustice or genocide).

Exploring Cuba

DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 1.	History is an account of human activities that is interpretive in nature.
GSE STEM	HP 1 (5- 6)-1.	Students act as historians, using a variety of tools (e.g., artifacts and primary and secondary sources) by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	HP 1 (5- 6)-1.c.	Asking and answering historical questions, organizing information, and evaluating information in terms of relevance.

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Ancient Egypt - Land of the Pharaohs
Ancient Egypt - Land of the Pyramids
Ancient Greece
Ancient Mayan Civilization

Ancient Dome

Ancient Rome

Canada: Coast to Coast Rome - The Eternal City

DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 1.	History is an account of human activities that is interpretive in nature.
GSE STEM	HP 1 (5- 6)-2.	Students interpret history as a series of connected events with multiple cause-effect relationships, by
SPECIFIC	HP 1 (5-	Investigating and summarizing historical data in order to draw connections between two events and to answer

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Ancient Egypt - Land of the Pyramids

Ancient Greece

Ancient Mayan Civilization

Ancient Rome

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GSE STEM HP 2 (5-6)-2. Students chronicle events and conditions by	

SPECIFIC HP 2 (5-INDICATOR 6)-2.b.

Summarizing key events and explaining the historical contexts of those events.

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DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 3.	The study of history helps us understand the present and shape the future.
GSE STEM	HP 3 (5- 6)-1.	Students demonstrate an understanding of how the past frames the present by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	HP 3 (5- 6)-1.a.	Identifying historical conditions and events that relate to contemporary issues (e.g., separation of church state, treatment of Native Americans, immigration, gender issues).
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National Parks - Wyoming, Utah

HP 3 (5-**SPECIFIC** INDICATOR 6)-1.b.

Answering "what if" questions and using evidence to explain how history might have been different (e.g., How might history be different if Anne Hutchinson hadn't dissented?).

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DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 3.	The study of history helps us understand the present and shape the future.
GSE STEM	HP 3 (5- 6)-2.	Students make personal connections in an historical context (e.g., source-to-source, source-to-self, source-to-world) by

SPECIFIC HP 3 (5-INDICATOR 6)-2.c.

Identifying the cultural influences that shape individuals and historical events.

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Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8

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Ancient China - Shang & Zhou Dynasties

Ancient Egypt - Land of the Pharaohs

Ancient Egypt - Land of the Pyramids

Ancient Greece

Ancient Mayan Civilization

Ancient Rome

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National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado

National Parks - Wyoming, Utah

DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 4.	Historical events and human/natural phenomena impact and are influenced by ideas and beliefs.
GSE STEM	HP 4 (5-6)-1.	Students demonstrate an understanding that geographic factors and shared past events affect human interactions and changes in civilizations by

SPECIFIC HP 4 (5-INDICATOR 6)-1.b.

Identifying and explaining using specific examples, how shared events affect how individuals and societies adapt and change.

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Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8

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DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 4.	Historical events and human/natural phenomena impact and are influenced by ideas and beliefs.
GSE STEM	HP 4 (5- 6)-2.	Students demonstrate an understanding that innovations, inventions, change, and expansion cause increased interaction among people (e.g., cooperation or conflict) by

SPECIFIC HP 4 (5-INDICATOR 6)-2.a.

Citing examples of how science and technology have had positive or negative impacts upon individuals, societies and the environment in the past and present.

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SPECIFIC HP 4 (5-INDICATOR 6)-2.b.

Providing historical examples of factors, causes, and reasons that lead to interactions (e.g., exploration of worlds).

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SPECIFIC INDICATOR	HP 4 (5-6)-2.c.	Describing important technologies and advancements, including writing systems, developed by a particular civilization/ country/ nation.
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DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 5.	Human societies and cultures develop and change in response to human needs and wants.
GSE STEM	HP 5 (5- 6)-1.	Students demonstrate an understanding that a variety of factors affect cultural diversity within a society by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	HP 5 (5-6)-1.a.	Comparing and contrasting the diversity of different groups, places, and time periods or within the same group over time.

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National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado

National Parks - Wyoming, Utah

DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 5.	Human societies and cultures develop and change in response to human needs and wants.
GSE STEM	HP 5 (5- 6)-2.	Students demonstrate an understanding that culture has affected how people in a society behave in relation to groups and their environment by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	HP 5 (5-6)-2.c.	Describing challenges or obstacles a civilization/ country/ nation faced as it grew over time.

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DOMAIN	RI.HP.	Historical Perspectives/Rhode Island History
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	HP 5.	Human societies and cultures develop and change in response to human needs and wants.
GSE STEM	HP 5 (5- 6)-3.	Various perspectives have led individuals and/or groups to interpret events or phenomena differently and with historical consequences by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	HP 5 (5- 6)-3.a.	Identifying various factors that impact individual and or group's perspective of events (e.g., social, intellectual, political, economic).
		Social Studies Online Canada: Our Northern Neighbor

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TATEMENT OF ENDURING NOWLEDGE	G 1.	The World in Spatial Terms: Understanding and interpreting the organization of people, pla and environments on Earth's surface provides an understanding of the world in spatial term
GSE STEM	G 1 (5- 6)-1.	Students understand maps, globes, and other geographic tools and technologies by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	G 1 (5- 6)-1.a.	Identifying physical features of maps and globes.
		Social Studies Online
		African Safari
		Amazon Rainforest - Grades 2-5
		Amazon Rainforest - Grades 6-8
		Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5
		Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Ancient China - Qin & Han Dynasties
		Barcelona
		Canada: Coast to Coast
		Canada: Our Northern Neighbor
		Exploring Cuba
		London - City of Pomp & Majesty
		National Parks - Alaska & Hawaii
		National Parks - Nevada, California
		National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado
		National Parks - Wyoming, Utah
		Paris - City of Light - Grades 6 - 12
		The Sahara Desert
		Tokyo - City of Contrasts

SPECIFIC G 1 (5-INDICATOR 6)-1.c.

DOMAIN

RI.G.

Geography

Differentiating between local, regional, and global scales (e.g., location of continents and oceans).

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The Sahara Desert

DOMAIN	RI.G.	Geography
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 1.	The World in Spatial Terms: Understanding and interpreting the organization of people, places, and environments on Earth's surface provides an understanding of the world in spatial terms.
GSE STEM	G 1 (5- 6)-2.	Students interpret the characteristics and features of maps by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	G 1 (5-6)-2.a.	Recognizing spatial information provided by different types of maps (e.g., physical, political, map projections). Social Studies Online Canada: Coast to Coast Canada: Our Northern Neighbor The Sahara Desert
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	G 1 (5- 6)-2.b.	Interpreting the spatial information from maps to explain the importance of the data. Social Studies Online Canada: Coast to Coast Canada: Our Northern Neighbor The Sahara Desert

STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 2.	Places and Regions: Physical and human characteristics (e.g., culture, experiences, etc.) influence places and regions.
GSE STEM	G 2 (5- 6)-1.	Students understand the physical and human characteristics of places by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	G 2 (5- 6)-1.a.	Explaining and/or connecting how the geographical features influenced population settlement. Social Studies Online Ancient China - Qin & Han Dynasties Canada: Coast to Coast Canada: Our Northern Neighbor
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	6)-1.b.	Comparing and contrasting patterns of population settlement based on climate and physical features. Social Studies Online Ancient China - Qin & Han Dynasties Canada: Coast to Coast Canada: Our Northern Neighbor

DOMAIN	RI.G.	Geography
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 2.	Places and Regions: Physical and human characteristics (e.g., culture, experiences, etc.) influence places and regions.
GSE STEM	G 2 (5- 6)-2.	Students distinguish between regions and places by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	G 2 (5-6)-2.a.	Comparing and contrasting the characteristics of different types of regions and places. Social Studies Online Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 Ancient China - Qin & Han Dynasties Canada: Coast to Coast Canada: Our Northern Neighbor
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	G 2 (5- 6)-2.b.	Explaining the difference between regions and places. Social Studies Online

DOMAIN	RI.G.	Geography
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 2.	Places and Regions: Physical and human characteristics (e.g., culture, experiences, etc.) influence places and regions.
GSE STEM	G 2 (5- 6)-3.	Students understand different perspectives that individuals/ groups have by

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Identifying and describing the physical and cultural characteristics that shape different places and regions.

Social Studies Online

African Safari

Amazon Rainforest - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - Grades 6-8

Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5

Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8

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Barcelona

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Exploring Cuba

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National Parks - Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Colorado

National Parks - Wyoming, Utah Paris - City of Light - Grades 6 - 12

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Tokyo - City of Contrasts

SPECIFIC G 2 (5-INDICATOR 6)-3.b.

Researching a region to analyze how geography shapes that culture's perspective (e.g., demographics, climate, natural and man-made resources).

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DOMAIN	RI.G.	Geography
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 2.	Places and Regions: Physical and human characteristics (e.g., culture, experiences, etc.) influence places and regions.
GSE STEM	G 2 (5- 6)-4.	Students understand how geography contributes to how regions are defined / identified by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	G 2 (5- 6)-4.a.	Identifying formal (e.g., United States of America), vernacular (e.g., the Middle East, South County), and functional regions (e.g., cell phone service area).

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Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8

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DOMAIN	RI.G.	Geography
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 3.	Human Systems: (Movement) Human systems and human movement affect and are affected by distribution of populations and resources, relationships (cooperation and conflict), and culture.
GSE STEM	G 3 (5- 6)-1.	Students understand why people do/do not migrate by

SPECIFIC G 3 (5-INDICATOR 6)-1.a.

Identifying and explaining the push and pull factors that lead to a decision to migrate.

Social Studies Online

Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8

DOMAIN	RI.G.	Geography
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 3.	Human Systems: (Movement) Human systems and human movement affect and are affected by distribution of populations and resources, relationships (cooperation and conflict), and culture.
GSE STEM	G 3 (5- 6)-2.	Students understand the interrelationships of geography with resources by
SPECIFIC INDICATOR	G 3 (5- 6)-2.a.	Use evidence to correlate how geography meets or does not meet the needs of the people.

Amazon Rainforest - Grades 2-5

Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8

DOMAIN	RI.G.	Geography
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 3.	Human Systems: (Movement) Human systems and human movement affect and are affected by distribution of populations and resources, relationships (cooperation and conflict), and culture.
GSE STEM	G 3 (5- 6)-3.	Students understand how geography influences human settlement, cooperation or conflict by

SPECIFIC G 3 (5-INDICATOR 6)-3.a.

Recognizing and justifying how geography influences human settlement, cooperation and conflict.

Social Studies Online

Ancient China - Qin & Han Dynasties

Canada: Coast to Coast Canada: Our Northern Neighbor

DOMAIN	RI.G.	Geography
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	G 4.	Environment and Society: Patterns emerge as humans settle, modify, and interact on Earth's surface to limit or promote human activities.
GSE STEM	G 4 (5- 6)-3.	Students explain how human actions modify the physical environment by

SPECIFIC G 4 (5-

INDICATOR 6)-3.a. Identifying how human actions have changed the physical environment and describe its effects.

Social Studies Online

Amazon Rainforest - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - Grades 6-8

Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 2-5 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8

DOMAIN	RI.E.	Economics
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	E 1.	Individuals and societies make choices to address the challenges and opportunities of scarcity and abundance.
GSE STEM	E 1 (5- 6)-1.	Students demonstrate an understanding of basic economic concepts by

SPECIFIC

E 1 (5-6)- Differentiating between human, natural, capital, man-made, and renewable vs. finite resources.

INDICATOR 1.a.

Social Studies Online

Amazon Rainforest - Grades 2-5

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DOMAIN	RI.E.	Economics
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE	E 3.	Individuals, institutions and governments have roles in economic systems.
GSE STEM	E 3 (5- 6)-2.	Students demonstrate an understanding of the role of government in a global economy by

SPECIFIC INDICATOR

E 3 (5-6)- Identifying how governments provide goods and services in a market economy by taxing and borrowing.

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Social Studies Online

Barcelona

Grade: 6 - Adopted: 2010

	RI.RH.6- 8.	Reading Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE		Craft and Structure

GSE STEM

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.

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DOMAIN	RI.RH.6- 8.	Reading Standards for Literacy in History/Social Studies
STATEMENT OF ENDURING KNOWLEDGE		Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

GSE STEM

RH.6-8.7. Integrate visual information (e.g., in charts, graphs, photographs, videos, or maps) with other information in print and digital texts.

Social Studies Online

African Safari

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Ancient China - Shang & Zhou Dynasties

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Ancient Egypt - Land of the Pyramids

Ancient Greece

Ancient Mayan Civilization

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Rome - The Eternal City

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Washington, DC - Grades 6 - 12

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