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Science
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STRAND / STANDARD / COURSE	TN.8.ESS	Earth and Space Sciences (ESS)
CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION	8.ESS2.	Earth's Systems
GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING EXPECTATION	8.ESS2.1	Analyze and interpret data to support the assertion that rapid or gradual geographic changes lead to drastic population changes and extinction events. Social Studies Online Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8
GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING EXPECTATION	8.ESS2.4	Gather and evaluate evidence that energy from the earth's interior drives convection cycles within the asthenosphere which creates changes within the lithosphere including plate movements, plate boundaries, and sea-floor spreading. Social Studies Online Galapagos Islands
GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING EXPECTATION	8.ESS2.5	Construct a scientific explanation using data that explains the gradual process of plate tectonics accounting for A) the distribution of fossils on different continents, B) the occurrence of earthquakes, and C) continental and ocean floor features (including mountains, volcanoes, faults, and trenches). Social Studies Online Galapagos Islands National Parks - Nevada, California National Parks - Wyoming, Utah
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CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION	8.ESS3.	Earth and Human Activity
GUIDING	8.ESS3.1	Interpret data to explain that earth's mineral, fossil fuel, and groundwater resources are unevenly distributed as

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a result of geologic processes.

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8.ESS3.2 Collect data, map, and describe patterns in the locations of volcanoes and earthquakes related to tectonic

plate boundaries, interactions, and hotspots.

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STRAND / STANDARD / COURSE		EIGHTH GRADE SOCIAL STUDIES - United States History and Geography: Colonization of North America to Reconstruction
CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION		The New Nation (1775-1800)
GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING EXPECT ATION		Overview: Students will explore the foundation of U.S. government, the principles of the Articles of Confederation and the U.S. Constitution, and the individuals who played influential roles in the development of the new nation. In addition, students will examine the steps taken by Tennessee to achieve statehood and the initial development of government.
LEARNING EXPECTATION	8.23.	Examine the principles and purposes of government articulated in the Preamble and principles stated in the Constitution, including: the separation of powers, federalism, and checks and balances. (T.C.A. § 49-6-1028) [H, P, TCA] Social Studies Online
STRAND /		Washington, DC - Grades 6 - 12 FIGHTH CRADE SOCIAL STUDIES - United States History and Geography: Colonization of North

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CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION	Expansion and Division of the Nation (1820s-1860s)
GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING EXPECT ATION	Overview: Students will analyze the social, political, and economic impact of expansion on the U.S., the growing tensions between the North and South, and how compromise sought to hold the country together.

LEARNING **EXPECTATION** 8.52.

Analyze the reasons for and outcomes of groups moving west, including the significance of: Fur traders;

Mormons; Oregon Trail; Santa Fe Trail [C, E, G, H]

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STRAND / STANDARD / COURSE		Grades 6-8 Social Studies Practices
CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION	SSP.01	Collect data and information from a variety of primary and secondary sources, including:

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Graphic representations (e.g., maps, timelines, charts, photographs, artwork)

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STRAND / STANDARD / COURSE		Grades 6-8 Social Studies Practices
CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION	SSP.03	Synthesize data from multiple sources in order to:

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Recognize differences among multiple accounts

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CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION	SSP.04	Construct and communicate arguments citing supporting evidence to:

GUIDING QUESTION / **LEARNING**

Demonstrate and defend an understanding of ideas

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GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING

Illustrate cause and effect

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CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION	SSP.05	Develop historical awareness by:

GUIDING QUESTION / Recognizing how and why historical accounts change over time

LEARNING Social Studies Online **EXPECTATION** Canada: Our Northern Neighbor GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING EXPECTATION Perceiving and presenting past events and issues as they might have been experienced by the people of the time, with historical empathy rather than present-mindedness

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EXPECTATION

Evaluating how unique circumstances of time and place create context and contribute to action and reaction

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GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING Identifying patterns of continuity and change over time, making connections to the present

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STRAND / STANDARD / COURSE		Grades 6-8 Social Studies Practices
CONCEPTUAL STRAND / GUIDING QUESTION	SSP.06	Develop a geographic awareness by:

GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING EXPECTATION Using the geographic perspective to determine relationships, patterns, and diffusion across space at multiple scales (e.g., local, national, global).

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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

Tokyo - City of Contrasts

GUIDING QUESTION / LEARNING EXPECTATION Determining the use of diverse types of maps based on their origin, structure, context, and validity

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GUIDING Analyzing locations, conditions, and connections of places and using maps to investigate spatial relationships QUESTION / **LEARNING** Social Studies Online **EXPECTATION** Canada: Coast to Coast Canada: Our Northern Neighbor Analyzing interaction between humans and the physical environment **GUIDING** QUESTION / LEARNING Social Studies Online **EXPECTATION** Amazon Rainforest - Grades 6-8 Amazon Rainforest - People and Threats - Grades 6-8 **GUIDING** Examining how geographic regions and perceptions of regions are fluid across time and space

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