



Orange County Public Schools
Syllabus - 4th grade Virginia Studies and Science (2022-2023)

First 9 Weeks (Aug.10 - Oct.13)

VA Studies Unit 1: Geography of Virginia (Aug. 15 - Sept. 1)

SOL: VS.2 a, b, c

Science Unit 1: Natural Resources (Sept. 9 - Sept. 16)

SOL: 4.7 a, b, c & 4.8 a, b, c, d

Science Unit 2: Weather and Climate (Sept. 19 - Sept 30)

SOL: 4.4 a, b, c

VA Studies Unit 2: Native Americans (Oct. 3 - Oct. 20) **note: unit starts in first nine weeks and is completed in second nine weeks**

SOL: VS.2 d, e, f, g

Second 9 Weeks: (Oct.14-Dec. 20)

VA Studies Unit 3: Colonization of Jamestown (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)

SOL: VS.2 f; VS. 3 a, b, c, d, e, f, g

VA Studies Unit 4: Colonial Virginia (Nov. 28 - Dec. 9)

SOL: VS.4 a, b, c, d, e

VA Studies Unit 5: Revolutionary War (Dec. 12 - Dec. 20 ; Jan.4 - Jan. 13) **note: unit starts in second 9 weeks and is completed in third nine weeks**

SOL: VS. 5 a, b, c, d

Third 9 Weeks: (Jan. 4-Mar. 8)

VA Studies Unit 6: Building a New Nation (Jan. 17 - Jan. 27)

SOL: VS.6 a, b, c

VA Studies Unit 7: The Civil War (Jan. 30 - Feb. 15)

SOL: VS. 7 a, b, c

VA Studies Unit 8: Reconstruction (Feb. 16 - Mar. 1)

SOL: VS. 8 a, b, c

VA Studies Unit 9: 20th Century/Civil Rights (Mar. 2 - Mar. 16) **note: unit starts in third nine weeks and is completed in fourth nine weeks**

SOL: VS. 9 a, b, c, d

Fourth 9 Weeks: (Mar. 9 - May 18)

VA Studies Unit 10: 21st Century/Government/Products & Industries (Mar. 20 - Mar. 31)

SOL: VS. 10 a, b, c

Science Unit 3: Plants and Animals (Apr. 10 - Apr. 19)

SOL: 4.2 a, b, c

Science Unit 4: Ecosystem Interactions (Apr. 20 - May 2)

SOL: 4.2 a, b, c



Cumulative Review: All Virginia Studies SOLs (May 3 - 9)
SOL testing date - potentially May 10 but TBD

SOL: VS.1a-j – Skills are taught throughout all units.

***Common Assessments or PBA will be given at the end of each unit.**