

SOCIAL STUDIES PRACTICES: Grade 3

Concept Understanding: Demonstration of understanding and application of concepts and processes.	
0	Minimal or no evidence of student learning.
1	The student can identify concepts and processes.
2	The student can define, describe, and/or explain concepts and processes.
3	The student can apply concepts and processes in real-world settings.

Source Analysis: Interpretation and analysis of primary and secondary sources; textual and visual.	
0	Minimal or no evidence of student learning.
1	The student can identify facts or evidence from the source.
2	The student can summarize and/or explain the basic message or meaning of a source.
3	The student can evaluate the source by describing things such as point of view, intended audience, strengths and weaknesses, usefulness, etc.

Comparison: Analysis of similarities and differences between time periods, documents, events, etc.	
0	Minimal or no evidence of student learning.
1	The student can identify similarities and/or differences between concepts, events, or sources.
2	The student can describe similarities and/or differences between concepts, events, or sources.
3	The student can explain similarities and/or differences between concepts, events, or sources.

