

Grade Level:		7th Grade				
Subject/Course:		Social Studies I				
Month/ Quarter	Topic	Standards	Skills	Resources/Materials /Activities	Key Terminology	Assessments
Quarter 1	A Geographer's World Planet Earth Climate, Environment and Resources The World's People	SS.G.1.6-8 SS.G.2.6-8 SS.G.3.6-8 SS.G.4.6-8	-Human-Environment Interaction: Place, Culture, Regions -Human Population -Geographic Representations -Global Interconnections	-Holt McDougal World Geography (2012) -Various multimedia resources	Geography Landscape Social science Region Map Globe 5 themes of geography Absolute location Relative location Physical/human geography Cartography Meteorology Rotation Revolution latitude/longitude Tropics Freshwater Glaciers Surface water Precipitation Groundwater Water cycle Landforms Continents Plate tectonics	-Daily Assignments -Quizzes -Unit Tests -Projects

					Lava Earthquakes Weathering Erosion Weather Climate Front Prevailing wind Ocean currents Rain shadow Monsoons Savannas Steppes Permafrost Environment Ecosystem Habitat Extinct Humus Desertification Natural resource Renewable Nonrenewable Deforestation Reforestation Fossil fuels Hydroelectric Culture Culture trait Culture region Ethnic group Cultural diversity Cultural diffusion Population Pop. density Birthrate Migration Democracy	
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					Communism Market economy Command econ. GDP Developed Developing Globalization Pop culture Interdependenc e United Nations Humanitarian aid *-Places, people, things, ideas and events of the country/region studied	
Quarter 2	The 7 Continents	SS.IS.1.6-8 SS.IS.2.6-8 SS.IS.3.6-8 SS.IS.4.6-8 SS.IS.5.6-8 SS.IS.6.6-8 SS.IS.7.6-8 SS.IS.8.6-8 SS.G.1.6-8 SS.G.2.6-8 SS.G.3.6-8 SS.G.4.6-8	-Human-Environment Interaction: Place, Culture, Regions -Human Population -Geographic Representations -Global Interconnections	-Holt McDougal World Geography (2012) -BBC <i>Horrible Histories</i> -Various multimedia resources	*-Places, people, things, ideas and events of the areas studied	-Daily Assignments -Quizzes -Chapter Tests -Project -Semester Exam
Quarter 3	Colonization and Settlement The American Revolution	SS.IS.1.6-8 SS.IS.2.6-8 SS.IS.3.6-8 SS.IS.4.6-8 SS.IS.5.6-8	-Questioning -Gathering and evaluation sources -Change, Continuity and Context	-Holt McDougal United States History (2012) -Everything You Need to Ace American History in One Big Fat	-People, places, items, ideas and events of the time periods studied	-Daily Assignments -Quizzes -Chapter Tests

		SS.IS.6.6-8 SS.IS.7.6-8 SS.IS.8.6-8 SS.H.1.6-8 SS.H.2.6-8 SS.H.3.6-8 SS.H.4.6-8 SS.CV.1.6-8 SS.CV.2.6-8 SS.CV.3.6-8 SS.CV.4.6-8 SS.CV.5.6-8 SS.CV.6.6-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Perspectives -Historical Sources and Evidence -Causation and Argumentation -Civic and Political Institutions -Applying Civic Virtues and Demographic Principals -Processes, Rules and Laws 	Notebook -Students of History resources		
Quarter 4	The American Revolution U.S. Constitution IL Constitution	SS.IS.1.6-8 SS.IS.2.6-8 SS.IS.3.6-8 SS.IS.4.6-8 SS.IS.5.6-8 SS.IS.6.6-8 SS.IS.7.6-8 SS.IS.8.6-8 SS.H.1.6-8 SS.H.2.6-8 SS.H.3.6-8 SS.H.4.6-8 SS.CV.1.6-8 SS.CV.2.6-8 SS.CV.3.6-8 SS.CV.4.6-8 SS.CV.5.6-8 SS.CV.6.6-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Questioning -Gathering and evaluation sources -Change, Continuity and Context -Perspectives -Historical Sources and Evidence -Causation and Argumentation -Civic and Political Institutions -Applying Civic Virtues and Demographic Principals -Processes, Rules and Laws 	-Holt McDougal United States History (2012) -Everything You Need to Ace American History in One Big Fat Notebook -Students of History resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -People, places, items, ideas and events of the time periods studied -Constitutional vocabulary including articles and amendments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Daily Assignments -Quizzes -Chapter Tests -U.S. Constitution Test -IL Constitution Test -Semester Exam

