CFISD World Cultures HORIZONS

Scope and Sequence 2024-2025

Course Description: Sixth-grade students will explore people, cultures, and places of the contemporary world. HORIZONS students follow a similar scope and sequence and focus on the same units of study as on-level students; however, the curriculum is compressed and accelerated within each grading period giving students an opportunity to experience culminating activities. These activities allow students to investigate subject matter at a deeper and more complex level and include special topics related to the current unit of study and usually focus on contemporary world issues.

Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills for World Cultures

Instructional Units		Days**	
First Semester	81	End Date	
1 st Grading Period	43	10/18/2024	
Supportive Learning Environment	3	8/21/2024	
Geography	8	9/3/2024	
Culture	5	9/10/2024	
Geography/Culture Culminating Activity	2	9/12/2024	
Government/Citizenship	7	9/23/2024	
Economics	7	10/2/2024	
Government/Economics Culminating Activities	5	10/9/2024	
North America	6	10/18/2024	
*2 nd Grading Period	38	12/20/2024	
North America	4	10/24/2024	
North America Culminating Activities	4	10/30/2024	
Central America and the Caribbean	5	11/8/2024	
Central America and the Caribbean Culminating Activity	2	11/12/2024	
South America	8	11/22/2024	
South America Culminating Activity	1	12/2/2024	
Europe	9	12/13/2024	
Europe/Semester Culminating Activities*	5	12/20/2024	

Instructional Units	Days**	
Second Semester	92	End Date
3 rd Grading Period	41	3/7/2025
Supportive Learning Environment	1	1/7/2025
Russia and the Eurasian Republics	7	1/16/2025
Russia and the Eurasian Republics Culminating Activities	4	1/23/2025
Southwest Asia and North Africa	10	2/6/2025
Southwest Asia and North Africa Culminating Activities	4	2/12/2025
Sub Saharan Africa	10	2/28/2025
Sub Saharan Africa Culminating Activities	5	3/7/2025
*4 th Grading Period	51	5/29/2025
South Asia	9	3/27/2025
South Asia Culminating Activities	3	4/1/2025
East Asia	19	4/30/2025
East Asia Culminating Activity	2	5/2/2025
Southeast Asia	7	5/13/2025
Southeast Asia Culminating Activity	1	5/14/2025
Australia and the Pacific Realm*	7	5/23/2025
Australia and the Pacific Realm/Semester Culminating Activities	3	5/29/2025

^{*} Includes time for Final Exams.

Instructional Material(s):

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^{**}The length of each unit is a specific number of days, but it is understood that there is a range of +/- a day. The purpose of the flexibility is meant to allow teachers the opportunity to plan for the needs of their students and to accommodate re-teaching or review when necessary. If pre-assessment indicates student mastery could be obtained in a fewer number of days, the additional time could be used for extension or carried into the next unit.