

Rockwall ISD

Kindergarten Social Studies Parent Guide

	1 st Grading Period	2 nd Grading Period	3 rd Grading Period	4 th Grading Period
Units	Unit 1: Understanding Rules, Authority, & Citizenship Unit 2: Time & Location	Unit 3: People’s Culture: Customs & Traditions	Unit 4: Technology in the Home & School Unit 5: Citizens of our Nation	Unit 6: The Geography of Where We Live Unit 7: Wants & Needs: Living in a Community
Focus TEKS	Unit 1: K.1A, K.7AB, K.8AB, K.9AB Unit 2: K.3ABC, K.14AB Process TEKS: K.13ABCD, K.14ABCDE, K.15AB	Unit 3: K.10A, K.11AB Process TEKS: K.13ABCD, K.14ABCDE, K.15AB	Unit 4: K.12ABC Unit 5: K.1AB, K.2A, K.8AB, K.9ABC Process TEKS: K.13ABCD, K.14ABCDE, K.15AB	Unit 6: K.3C, K.4A Unit 7: K.4B, K.5ABC, K.6AB Process TEKS: K.13ABCD, K.14ABCDE, K.15AB
Topic Focus	- Identify authority figures - Identify & explain National patriotic holidays - Identify pledges/ TX & US flags - Identify maps & globes - Place events in chronology	- Identify & explain customs associated with national holidays - Describe, explain, and compare family traditions - Identify similarities and differences among individuals - Identify patriotic holidays and traditions	- Identify & describe how technology is used at home & school - Identify historical & current community leaders & their contributions - Practice voting	- Physical Geography - Identify tools for location such as maps & globes - Identify basic wants & needs - Identify jobs in the community
Suggestions for Parental Involvement/ Support	- Make (paint) flags. - Discuss the importance of authority figures in the community. - Learn address, phone number, & birthday.	- Discuss family customs & traditions for Thanksgiving and Winter Holidays (ie. interview a family member). - Create a family tree.	- Discuss leaders in the community. - Hold a vote on a family topic.	- Make a magazine sort of wants & needs. - Clean out closet for a family donation. - Discuss home technology. - Map a route to one of your after school activities.