Driscoll ISD 2026-2027

Syllabus

Campus: Driscoll Intermediate

Course and/or Grade Level: 3rd Grade Social Studies

Course Description: In Grade 3, students explore how diverse individuals have shaped communities and the world. They study heroes who overcame challenges, made important choices, influenced decisions, and contributed to economic, cultural, and scientific advancements. Students also examine how individuals helped create new ideas, inventions, technologies, and communities.

Semester 1: July 22-December 18, 2026

1st Quarter Topics	2nd Quarter Topics
Unit 1: Communities and Their Histories Students will explore communities past and present and investigate individuals and events that have influenced communities. **Unit 2: Geography and Communities** Students will practice using maps, globes, geographic tools, and geographic vocabulary.	**Unit 3: Government and Citizenship** Students will learn about government, civic responsibility, democratic decision-making, and the rights and responsibilities of citizens. **Unit 4: Economics** Students will explore basic economic concepts and how individuals and businesses make choices about resources.

Semester 2: January 6-May 20, 2027

3rd Quarter Topics	4th Quarter Topics
Unit 5: Important People and Historical Contributions Students will investigate historical and contemporary figures and explain their contributions to communities.	**Unit 6: Science, Technology, and Communities** Students will examine how scientific discoveries and technological developments have affected people and communities.

*Minor adjustment to the schedule may be made based on campus schedules and student needs.