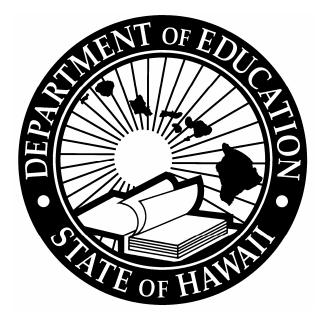
Hawaii Content and Performance Standards for Social Studies



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THE HAWAII STANDARDS SYSTEM

FOREWORD

The Hawaii Standards System supports standards-based education through curriculum, instruction and assessment components. The Hawaii Standards System supports school level implementation of standards-based education by:

- Identifying the targets for student learning such as the Vision of the Public School Graduate, General Learner Outcomes, the Hawaii Content and Performance Standards III, and other course standards;
- Providing curricular and behavioral support for students through direct services to students and their families; and
- Developing, acquiring, and assuring access to support for implementation of standards-based education for teachers, school leaders, and other academic staff.

An essential component of the Hawaii Standards System is the Hawaii Content and Performance Standards III (HCPS III) document which contains:

- Essential content and skills in *nine* content areas: Career and Technical Education, Fine Arts, Health, Language Arts, Math, Physical Education, Science, Social Studies, and World Languages;
- Standards that describe the educational expectations for ALL students in grades K-5;
- Essential standards for all required courses in the *four core* areas: Language Arts, Math, Science, and Social Studies; and
- Essential standards that can be met through elective courses chosen by secondary students to fulfill graduation requirements in the *five extended core* areas: Career and Technical Education, Fine Arts, Health, Physical Education, and World Languages.

Included in the Hawaii Standards System are standards for courses not found in this HCPS III document. These standards may be found in HCPS II and will be identified in a future version of the Approved Courses and Code Numbers (ACCN) course descriptions. Because ALL courses are standards-based, these specialized courses utilize:

- Industry or national standards that describe essential content and skills for elective courses in areas such as Career and Technical Education and Fine Arts; and
- Content area-specific standards found in HCPS II.

The system also provides student instructional support components such as Special Education and English for Second Language Learners. It also includes student and family support components such as Pihana Na Mamo and Parent Community Network Coordinators.

THE GENERAL LEARNER OUTCOMES

Equally important to learning academic content is developing the knowledge, skills and attitudes that all students need in order to lead full and productive lives. The six General Learner Outcomes serve as the essential, overarching goals for all of the content and performance standards. These Outcomes are

- The ability to be responsible for one's own learning
- The understanding that it is essential for human beings to work together
- The ability to be involved in complex thinking and problem solving
- The ability to recognize and produce quality performance and quality products
- The ability to communicate effectively
- The ability to use a variety of technology effectively and ethically

These Outcomes must be an integral part of teaching and learning and the heart of every Hawaii classroom. Teachers of all subjects in all grades must contribute to the development of the General Learner Outcomes while promoting the learning of subject matter as well.

The real test of the standards is their ability to improve student learning. Raising expectations is but the first step; it's what we do with the standards—how we realize them in all classrooms for all students—that will determine whether we can fulfill the Department's vision of graduating students who

- realize their individual goals and aspirations;
- possess the attitudes, knowledge and skills necessary to contribute positively and compete in a global society;
- exercise the rights and responsibilities of citizenship; and
- pursue post-secondary education and/or careers without need for remediation.

HAWAII CONTENT AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS III

The publication of the report *A Nation at Risk* (National Commission on Excellence in Education, 1983) served as the impetus for the standards movement in American education. Subsequently national content area organizations developed standards in their respective areas. Nationally, standards serve three general purposes: 1) To clarify expectations for students, 2) To raise those expectations, and 3) To provide common targets that help assure equitable educational expectations, opportunities, and experiences for all students. These three purposes form the foundation of Hawaii's educational standards and standard-based education.

In Hawaii the effort to clarify and implement standards-based education is now in its third generation. The chronology below describes the evolution of the Hawaii Content and Performance Standards.

- 1991 The Hawaii State Legislature created the Hawaii Commission on Performance Standards. The commission is composed of community members as well as a few DOE staff members. Their mission is to: (1) set the performance standards of achievement expected of all public school students, (2) recommend the means to assess student attainment of these standards, and (3) develop a school-by-school implementation model.
- 1994 The Commission published the Hawaii Content and Performance Standards (commonly known as the "Blue Book").
- 1994 The Hawaii State Legislature created the Performance Standards Review Commission (PSRC) to be convened beginning in the 1997-98 school year and every four years thereafter to assess the effectiveness of Hawaii's standards-based education implementation. The Review Commission findings suggested that the number of standards might be unwieldy for teachers to implement and recommended that HCPS be reformatted to be more user friendly.
- 1998 The booklet "Making Sense of Standards" and the ten content area documents that constituted the HCPS II were the result of the Review Commission's recommendations of 1994
- 1999 The Council for Basic Education conducted a conference to identify the key issues related to the implementation of the Hawaii Content and Performance Standards in a standards-based system.
- 2002 The Review Commission was again convened to consider implementation of the standards and to review the quality of the standards themselves.
- 2003 In response to the Review Commission report and input from the teacher field, the Instructional Services Branch and McREL (Mid-continent Research for Education and Learning) worked to identify *essential* and *desirable* standards, benchmarks, and performance indicators.
- 2004 The DOE begins refinement of HCPS II. This new standards document will be known as HCPS III.
- 2005 Between April and August Hawaii Content and Performance Standards III for nine content areas were approved by the Board of Education.
- 2006-07 Full implementation of HCPS III. HCPS III will be used as the basis of standards-based large-scale assessments, standards-based report cards, and standards-based course descriptions.

GENERAL GUIDELINES AND PRINCIPLES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE HAWAII CONTENT AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS III

PURPOSES OF THE HAWAII CONTENT AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS III

- 1. To assure equity by holding all students to the same expectations
- 2. To help schools improve student performance and meet Annual Yearly Progress
- 3. To define the content and skills that enable quality student performance
- 4. To reduce the number of standards to be more manageable and to clearly describe what ALL students should know and be able to do
- 5. To provide clearer focus on instructional targets by providing basic guidance in determining the quality of student work through benchmark rubrics
- 6. To provide a clear focus on assessment targets by providing sample performance assessments that can guide more specific assessment tasks at the classroom level

RATIONALE FOR REVISING

Recommendations for the revision of HCPS II came from many sources. As mentioned above, in 2002 the Hawaii State Performance Standards Review Commission cited the following major criticisms of the original HCPS:

- Too many standards
 - HCPS had 1544
 - HCPS II had only 139 standards but 3,960 benchmarks and grade level performance indicators
- Lack of a strong connection between the standards and their purpose—the General Learner Outcomes
- Lack of clarity and coherence in the wording of the standards
- Lack of classroom assessment models or a general plan for assessing the HCPS

Despite the fact that HCPS II reduced the number of standards from 1544 to 139 teachers still felt there were still too many benchmarks and grade level performance indicators to implement at the classroom level. This led to the involvement of the Mid-continent Research for Education and Learning (McREL). McREL is one of ten regional educational laboratories that make up the Regional Educational Laboratory System, which serves education agencies and schools across the nation. McREL staff has done extensive work with standards and are at the forefront of standards-based education. McREL worked with DOE curriculum specialists to:

- Calculate the time required to achieve standards and the identification of essential and desirable standards, benchmarks, and performance indicators. This activity was conducted with teachers in each content area and grade level.
- Consider the time available in the school day was also calculated based on the focus of the grade level cluster (such as developing literacy in the early grades) and the time allowed within required courses at the secondary levels when developing standards and particularly grade level benchmarks.

SPECIFICATIONS FOR HCPS III STANDARDS DEVELOPMENT

The following specifications were followed in the development of HCPS III standards. These principles guided each phase of the process and served to keep the focus on students. McREL staff analyzed the essential HCPS II standards against national and other state standards, and the DOE content specialists worked with teachers to assure the comprehensiveness of the standards. This was particularly important in areas where there were no other documents to use as comparison (such as Hawaiian history or native languages). The following were the guidelines used in developing the HCPS III standards, grade-level benchmarks, sample performance assessments, and rubric statements.

- Essential standards, benchmarks and performance indicators were used as the foundation for the HCPS III standards.
- As the new standards statements were developed, they were also compared against national standards and other highly regarded state's standards.
- Analysis of the standards led to the elimination of overlaps and/or redundancies within and between content areas.
- Consistent grain size (benchmarks that were of approximately the same instructional size).
- Standards, benchmarks, sample performance assessments, and rubrics were written in plain language, understandable to primary audience (teachers) and secondary audiences (students and parents).
- Benchmarks were written as describing "proficient." Attention was paid to the taxonomic level of the benchmarks so that they would appropriately scaffold and challenge students.
- Implementable—The benchmarks were written with consideration of the delivery of instruction (integrated elementary curriculum, required and elective courses at the secondary level).
- Benchmarks and sample performance assessments were written to be measurable through the examination of student work from which valid inferences about student learning could be made.

HCPS III: STANDARDS FOR ALL STUDENTS

The Hawaii Content and Performance Standards III describe educational targets in all nine content areas for ALL students in grades K-5. All students, therefore, are expected to be given the opportunity to meet all of the K-5 HCPS III standards. At the secondary level, however, the standards describe different things in different content areas. For the four CORE content areas (Language Arts, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies) the standards describe expectations for all students, since all students are expected to take certain required courses in these areas. For the *extended core* (Health, Physical Education, Fine Arts, World Languages, and Career and Technical Education) they describe a continuum that should be expected by students who choose courses in these areas as electives. It should be emphasized that ALL courses, required or elective, are standards-based and are part of the *Hawaii Standards System*.

CHARACTERISTICS OF GRADES K-2: ACQUIRING THE FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS

In the primary grades (K-2) the standards identify foundational content and skills. Instruction supports the acquisition of these very important skills, knowledge, and content. Children at these grade levels should be exposed to meaningful activities that support language and vocabulary development. Scaffolding learning is essential. Creating many varied opportunities to learn, practice and demonstrate skills is the focus of early elementary education. Teaching is structured and learning takes place in a more controlled, systematic context. As they learn and mature, children become increasing independent of the teacher.

CHARACTERISTICS OF GRADES 3-5 STANDARDS: BUILDING UPON FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

At the upper elementary levels (grades 3-5) curriculum focuses on refining, broadening, enhancing, and applying skills and knowledge in more challenging and varied contexts. Students use the foundational skills, processes, and knowledge they gained in their early elementary experience to extend and apply in all the nine content areas.

CHARACTERISTICS OF GRADES 6-8 STANDARDS: EXPLORING AND DEVELOPING INTERESTS

At the middle school level standards are designed to allow students to explore a variety of content and skills. This exploration can serve to focus curricular choices students make at the high school and post-secondary levels. There is an emphasis on refining and applying skills to more challenging and varied content. Higher order thinking and the development of civic mindedness is supported though the curriculum as guided by the standards. Students are encouraged to explore specialized content through world languages, art, or music and to use increasingly sophisticated means of communicating their learning through various computer applications.

CHARACTERISTICS OF GRADES 9-12 STANDARDS: PREPARING FOR POST-SECONDARY CHOICES

Standards at the high school level prepare students to apply their learning in their post-secondary choices. They allow students to develop skills that will ensure their success in their adult lives including their participation in the larger global society. HCPS III standards of the CORE content areas (Language Arts, Math, Science, and Social Studies) describe the minimal content of courses that fulfill graduation requirements. HCPS III standards

of the Extended Core (Career and Technical Education, Fine Arts, Health, Physical Education, and World Languages) describe essential standards that can be fulfilled through elective courses of study. As students make elective course choices, they experience a well-rounded educational experience. HCPS Course Standards (to be described in another document) describe courses that some students may elect to take. These courses contain standards that allow students to develop knowledge and skills related to their interests, their talents, their post-secondary and/or career plans.

ORGANIZATION OF THE STANDARDS (GENERAL DESCRIPTION)

HCPS III standards are organized in a similar way for all nine content areas. Some of the content areas continue to organize their standards in grade level clusters. This is because, for content areas such as Physical Education, it is more developmentally appropriate to allow several years to achieve the benchmark, rather than to artificially break up physical skills into too discrete pieces that do not make sense instructionally. HCPS III are organized by and contain:

Strand=themes or "Big Ideas" that organize standards

Standard = a broad statement of what a student needs to know or be able to do

Topic = organizes the benchmarks into related ideas

Benchmark = a specific statement of what a student should know or be able to do (related to the topic) at a specific grade level or grade level cluster

Sample Performance Assessment = a generalized description of how a student might demonstrate significant aspects of the benchmark

The statement "No benchmark at this level" indicates that a grade level benchmark could not be created because it was either developmentally or instructionally inappropriate. The grade level/discipline at which a benchmark appears is where it may be assessed, but it is NOT the only grade level/discipline at which it should be taught. It is assumed, for example, that once content or a skill is taught it is reinforced and further developed in subsequent years. Benchmarks are not repeated.

THE STANDARDS NUMBERING SYSTEM

Each benchmark is assigned a code as an aid to identify quickly its place in relation to the entire document, and as a placeholder for database purposes. By convention, the code consists of three positions, each separated by a decimal point: E.g., **K.3.1**

Example: K.3.1 <u>**K**</u>.3.1 = Grade Level (Kindergarten) Clusters as appropriate (e.g., K-2.3.1) K.<u>3</u>.1 = Content Standard Number (Standard #3) K.3.<u>1</u> = Benchmark Number (1st listed benchmark)

Example: PS.7.3 <u>**PS**</u>.7.3 = Course Abbreviation (Physical Science) PS.<u>7</u>.3 = Content Standard Number (Standard #7) PS.7.<u>3</u> = Benchmark Number (3rd listed benchmark)

With the release of HCPS III, we continue the important journey begun a decade ago: to assure a quality education for every student in our public schools. This challenging task requires that we re-examine teaching and learning, that we reconsider curriculum, assessment, and instruction. To succeed in this task, we must implement HCPS III with both rigor and relevance, always keeping our ultimate goal firmly in mind: to improve student understanding.

INTRODUCTION

Social Studies education in Hawaii exists to ensure our students' development as active and responsible citizens of the community, nation, and world. The Social Studies standards describe the content and skills students need to reason, wonder, and think about vastness and richness of the human condition. They support student development of critical thinking skills and habits of mind that allow them to become participating members of a democratic society.

A democratic society expects participation, volunteerism, and community problem solving and it requires citizens who can work, communicate, and empower the whole of American society. Therefore, the Social Studies standards and benchmarks integrate and encompass democratic values, civility, and encourage a global perspective. They enable our students to "Be the change you want to see in the world"¹ by requiring civic participation at many levels.

STANDARDS-BASED EDUCATION

Social Studies standards provide a clear picture to students, teachers, school administrators, parents, and the community as to what is expected of students. In this way they help to demystify teaching, learning, and assessment by making public what, why, and how students need to learn and teachers need to teach. Standards serve as clear and consistent targets of performance and serve as reference points for aligning all parts of the educational system—its policies, programs, classroom practices, and curricular support. All of the decisions made at all levels in our school system are made with the idea of supporting schools' and teachers' efforts to have students accomplish the standards.

DESCRIPTION OF THE STRANDS

Social Studies is divided into the five strands of history, political science/civics, geography, cultural anthropology, and economics. These strands serve as the foundation of the social studies standards.

HISTORY

The study of history should not include only the knowledge of facts, dates and places. Effective historical understanding requires students to engage in historical thinking. At the same time, history consists of real people and events, the accurate knowledge of which is crucial to proper historical understanding. Historical thinking should take place within a solid framework of actual historical events and developments.

¹ Mahatma Gandhi

POLITICAL SCIENCE/CIVICS

Students need more than a body of knowledge about civic life, politics and government; they also need to acquire relevant skills and to have the disposition to engage in civic participation. They need opportunities in and out of the classroom to practice democracy and all its rights and responsibilities. After all, the formal documents upon which the nation was founded contain the premise that citizens will be active—socially and politically.

CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY

The study of culture is more than holidays and food, costumes and crafts. The Cultural Anthropology benchmarks describe how to prepare students to think about culture as a system of beliefs, traditions, etc. and to use that knowledge to celebrate diversity and unity and to develop empathy for people, cultures, and societies different from their own.

GEOGRAPHY

Geographic understandings require that students learn the skills and inquiry methods of geographers to observe patterns, associations, relationships and spatial order. Geography must be relative to the contexts of home, school, community, society as well as the world of work.

ECONOMICS

An understanding of economics enables people to comprehend the forces that affect them every day and helps them identify and evaluate the consequences of private decisions and public policies. Economics can be interwoven into many subject areas because economic decisions are often the stimulus for human activity.

THE HAWAII CONTENT AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS III IN SOCIAL STUDIES

The Social Studies Hawaii Content and Performance Standards III (HCPS III) are the basis for all teaching and learning in social studies. Social Studies is considered a core content area in grades K-12. HCPS III provides opportunities for students to become educated, aware, and active as individuals in this world. The HCPS III Social Studies standards are comprised of a total of eight standards. There are three standards concerning history, two civics standards, and one standard each related to geography, cultural anthropology, and economics.

NEW IN HCPS III

Though both content and skills are embedded in each standard, some standards are more focused on one or the other. The first two history standards are the process and skills standards. These are the "lenses" through which all history is examined. The remaining standards are a combination of both skills and content.

In the development of HCPS III it was decided to include a new benchmark only when a new content or skill was *introduced*. This means that, although each standard is represented in each grade or course, there are times when no benchmark is written for that standard. This does not mean that the teacher should not address that particular standard in that grade or course. The content or skills embedded in that standard should be scaffolded from previous grades or courses and applied to the benchmarks in the current grade or course.

For example, there is no "Change, Continuity, and Causality (History 1)" in the standards document for grade eight therefore the methods and skills of examining people, issues, and ideas through the idea of change, continuity, and causality introduced in an earlier grade level should be applied to within any of the other grade eight benchmarks. This principle holds true for any standard that does not have a grade-level benchmark.

CONTENT STANDARDS

The content standards organize the social studies strands into broad statements that define what the students should know and be able to do. They serve as the umbrella under which the content and skills, specific to a grade or course, are organized. Teaching in a standards-based system is based upon our belief that all students are capable of achieving proficiency in these standards and the teachers' task is to create environments that welcome student individuality, celebrate student accomplishments, and emphasize collaboration. The Hawaii Content and Performance Standards III are based on the national standards, other state standards, the former Hawaii Content and Performance Standards II, and valuable input from national consultants, local university professors, teachers, and community members.

STANDARDS AT A GLANCE

Unlike HCPS II, where the description of the standards remained constant in every grade or course from K-12, the description of the content standards in HCPS III may vary depending on the focus of study in the grade or course in which they are being learned. This is most evident in standards 3 (History) and 4 (Political Science/Civics). The "At a Glance" document clearly shows this, detailing the major ideas and concepts that are essential in that particular grade or course.

BENCHMARKS

In HCPS III the benchmarks take on a new importance. If the content standards serve as the larger picture of what students should know from K-12, the benchmarks bring clarity and focus to that picture and specify when each should be taught. The benchmarks, however, are not the curriculum. They serve as the foundation for a student-focused, teacher-developed curriculum. They are grade or course specific and should serve as the foundation for curriculum development and articulation.

GRADE LEVEL BENCHMARK COUNTS BY STANDARDS

The "Grade Level Benchmark Counts by Standards" chart shows how many benchmarks are in each standard, at each grade or course. The number of benchmarks in each standard reflects the overall focus of what is being taught. In U.S. History, for example, the benchmarks reflect a greater emphasis on the history strand, though these benchmarks build upon content and modes of thinking from other disciplines such as geography, civics, and economics, resulting in a much richer understanding of the events and issues being studied.

SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

The Sample Performance Assessment (SPA) is an example of one way to assess a major aspect of the benchmark. It is a guideline that can be used to develop a more specific assessment tasks. The SPA differs from the assessment task in that it does not define the method of assessment. The sample performance assessment is the "what" rather than the "how."

RUBRIC

HCPS III addresses the "performance" part of the Hawaii Content and Performance Standards. The rubrics for social studies are based upon the SPA created for each benchmark and are designed with the specific level of rigor described in the benchmark. These rubrics help the teacher assess the level of proficiency reached by the student as seen in their work.

STANDARDS AS A STARTING POINT

These standards, no matter how well taught or thoroughly learned, cannot encompass all that is important in today's world. In the state of Hawaii public education system, however, they serve as the foundation for the skills and knowledge needed to equip students for a future where their aspirations and dreams can be realized. The standards serve as the cornerstones to allow the vision of the high school graduate become a reality in our children. With standards, we are supporting Thomas Jefferson's aim of creating "a safe depository of government."

Standards	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7 HHK	7 PI	8 US	МНН	PID	US	WH
Standard 1: Change, Continuity, and Causality	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Standard 2: Inquiry, Empathy, and Interpretation Perspective	0	1	1	2	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
Standard 3: Historical Content	1	2	1	1	10	12	8	7	6	15	9	3	32	17
Standard 4: Governance, Democracy, and Interaction	1	4	1	2	1	2	1	0	0	3	1	3	0	1
Standard 5: Participation And Citizenship	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	0
Standard 6: Systems, Dynamics, and Inquiry	1	1	1	3	3	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Standard 7: World In Spatial Terms	2	1	4	5	3	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	2	2
Standard 8: Resources, Markets, and Government	2	4	5	3	1	2	3	2	0	2	0	3	3	4
TOTAL	10	15	15	18	21	21	20	11	8	21	11	14	41	24

HCPS III IN SOCIAL STUDIES: GRADE LEVEL BENCHMARK COUNTS BY STANDARD

SOCIAL STUDIES CONTENT STANDARDS—AT A GLANCE

STRAND	SOCIAL STUDIES STANDARDS
HISTORY	HISTORICAL UNDERSTANDING
	Standard 1: CHANGE, CONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Understand
	change and/or continuity and cause and/or effect in history
	Standard 2: INQUIRY, EMPATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE—Use the tools and
	methods of inquiry, perspective, and empathy to explain historical
	event with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own
	terms
	HISTORY
	KINDERGARTEN
	Standard 3: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Understand people now and
	then, here and now (learning, living, working together)
	GRADE 1
	Standard 3: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Understand children, people, and
	groups in time and place
	GRADE 2
	Standard 3: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Understand sharing and caring
	for people and earth
	GRADE 3
	Standard 3: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Understand change, cause and effect, and continuity in
	history and contemporary life
	GRADE 4
	Standard 3: PRE-CONTACT HAWAII — Understand the people, events, problems, and ideas that
	were significant in pre-contact Hawaiian history
	GRADE 5
	Standard 3: UNITED STATES HISTORY – THREE WORLDS MEET (THROUGH REVOLUTION)—
	Understand important historical events through the Revolution

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Standard 3: MODERN HAWAHAN HISTORY —Understand important historical events in Modern
Hawaiian History
PARTICIPATION IN A DEMOCRACY
Standard 3: PARTICIPATION IN DEMOCRACY — Understand important historical events and ideas
related to the development of civics and political science
U.S. HISTORY
Standard 3: UNITED STATES HISTORY—POST-RECONSTRUCTION THROUGH PRESENT—Understand
important historical events during the 20 th century
WORLD HISTORY
Standard 3: WORLD HISTORY—PRE- RENAISSANCE THROUGH PRESENT—Understand important
historical events from classical civilizations through the present
POLITICAL GRADES K–3
SCIENCE/CIVICS Standard 4: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—
Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions,
the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and
the similarities and differences in government across cultural
perspectives

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		Standard 4: GOVERNANCE AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of
		political institutions, the principles and values of the Hawaiian kapu system, and the similarities
		and differences in government across cultural perspectives
	GRADE 5	
		Standard 4: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and
		historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional
	GRADE 6	democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives
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		historical impact of political institutions and the similarities and differences in government across
		cultural perspectives
	GRADES 7–11	
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		historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional
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		political), and responsibilities of the Ali'i, Kahuna, Maka'ainana and Kaua classes and how they
		participated in civic life
CULTURAL		Standard 6: Systems, Dynamics, and Inquiry—Understand culture
ANTHOPOLOGY		as a system of beliefs, knowledge, and practices shared by a group
		and understand how cultural systems change over time
GEOGRAPHY		Standard 7: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic
		representations to organize, analyze, and present information on
		people, places, and environments and understand the nature and
		interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world
ECONOMICS		Standard 8: RESOURCES, MARKETS, AND GOVERNMENT—Understand economic concepts and the
		characteristics of various economic systems

Summary of Standards for Social Studies, Kindergarten – 11th Grade

HISTORICAL UNDERSTANDING

Standard 1: CHANGE, CONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Understand change and/or continuity and cause and/or effect in history

Standard 2: INQUIRY, EMPATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE—Use the tools and methods of inquiry, perspective, and empathy to explain historical events with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own terms

HISTORY

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Standard 3: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Understand people now and then, here and now (learning, living, working together) GRADE 1

Standard 3: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Understand children, people, and groups in time and place

GRADE 2

Standard 3: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Understand sharing and caring for people and earth

GRADE 3

Standard 3: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Understand change, cause and effect, and continuity in history and contemporary life GRADE 4

Standard 3: PRE-CONTACT HAWAII—Understand the people, events, problems, and ideas that were significant in pre-contact Hawaiian history

GRADE 5

Standard 3: EARLY AMERICAN HISTORY—THREE WORLDS MEET THROUGH REVOLUTION—Understand important historical events through the Revolution

GRADE 6

Standard 3: WORLD CULTURES/HISTORY—ANCIENT TIMES THROUGH RENAISSANCE—Understand important historical events from ancient times through the Renaissance

GRADE 7

Standard 3: HISTORY OF THE HAWAIIAN KINGDOM—Understand important historical events in the history of the Hawaii Kingdom

GRADE 7

Standard 3: PACIFIC ISLANDS—Understand important historical events in the Pacific region

GRADE 8

Standard 3: UNITED STATES HISTORY – POST-REVOLUTIONARY WAR THROUGH RECONSTRUCTION—Understand important historical events in the Post Revolutionary war through Reconstruction era (including Second Great Awakening and westward expansion)

Grade 9

Standard 3: MODERN HAWAIIAN HISTORY—Understand important historical events in Modern Hawaiian History

GRADE 9

Standard 3: PARTICIPATION IN A DEMOCRACY—Understand important historical events and ideas related to the development of civics and political science

Grade 10

Standard 3: UNITED STATES HISTORY—POST-RECONSTRUCTION THROUGH PRESENT—Understand important historical events during the 20th century

Grade 11

Standard 3: WORLD HISTORY—PRE- RENAISSANCE THROUGH PRESENT—Understand important historical events from classical civilizations through the present

POLITICAL SCIENCE/CIVICS

GRADES K-3

Standard 4: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives

GRADE 4

Standard 4: GOVERNANCE AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of the Hawaiian kapu system, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives

GRADE 5

Standard 4: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives

GRADE 6

Standard 4: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives

GRADES 7–11

Standard 4: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives

GRADES K-3, 5-11

Standard 5: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities of American citizens and exercise them in civic action

GRADE 4

Standard 5: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP— Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities of the Ali'i, Kahuna, Maka'ainana and Kaua classes and how they participated in civic life

CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY

Standard 6: SYSTEMS, DYNAMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand culture as a system of beliefs, knowledge, and practices shared by a group and understand how cultural systems change over time

GEOGRAPHY

Standard 7: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic representations to organize, analyze, and present information on people, places, and environments and understand the nature and interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world

ECONOMICS

Standard 8: RESOURCES, MARKETS, AND GOVERNMENT—Understand economic concepts and the characteristics of various economic systems

Standard 1: Histor history	ical Understanding: CHANGE, CO	NTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Und	lerstand change and/or continuity	and cause and/or effect in	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
CHRONOLOGICAL THINKING	SS.K.1.1 Explain change and cor and simple timelines	ntinuity over time, using calendars	The student: Describes historical events or other familiar events in sequence (days, weeks, and months), using calendars and timelines.		
	RUBRIC		•		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with detail, change and continuity over time, using calendars and simple timelines	Explain change and continuity over time, using calendars and simple timelines	Recognize examples of change and continuity over time, using calendars and simple timelines	Recognize calendars and simple timelines	

Standard 2: Historical Understanding: INQUIRY, EMPATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE— Use the tools and methods of inquiry, perspective, and empathy to					
explain historical events with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own terms					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
	No benchmark at this level				

Standard 3: Histo	ry: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Under	rstand people now and then, here	and now (learning, living, working	ng together)	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
CELEBRATIONS	SS.K.3.1 Describe historically sig in American history	gnificant events and observances	The student: Explains why Americans celebrate significant events and observances (e.g., Fourth of July, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving).		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Compare historically significant events and observances in American history	Describe historically significant events and observances in American history	Give examples of historically significant events and observances in American history	Recognize historically significant events and observances in American history	

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
GOVERNANCE, POWER, AND AUTHORITY	SS.K.4.1 Identify rules that apply in different settings and the results from complying or not complying with these rules		The student: Describes rules for the classroom, school, library, and home and describes the results from complying or not complying with these rules.				
	RUBRIC						
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice			
	Consistently identify rules that apply in different settings and the results from complying or not complying with these rules	Usually identify rules that apply in different settings and the results from complying or not complying with these rules	Sometimes identify rules that apply in different settings and the results from complying or not complying with these rules	Rarely identify rules that apply in different settings and the results from complying or not complying with these rules			

	al Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION 1s and exercise them in civic actio					
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES	SS.K.5.1 Describe his or her right responsibilities of self in classroo settings		The student: Practices good citizenship in various environments, such as taking personal responsibility, respecting others property, taking turns, sharing, and performing classroom chores.			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Describe his or her rights and consistently demonstrate responsibilities of self in classroom, school, and neighborhood settings	Describe his or her rights and usually demonstrate responsibilities of self in classroom, school, and neighborhood settings	Describe his or her rights or demonstrate responsibilities of self in classroom, school, and neighborhood settings	Ineffectively describe his or her rights and rarely demonstrate responsibilities of self in classroom, school, and neighborhood settings		
CIVIC	SS.K.5.2 Demonstrate ways to in	nprove the quality of life in own	The student:			
PARTICIPATION	school or community		Engages in actions in the classroo classroom life (e.g., contributes p litter).	om that improve the quality of ositively to a discussion, cleans up		
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Consistently demonstrate ways to improve the quality of life in own school or community	Usually demonstrate ways to improve the quality of life in own school or community	Sometimes demonstrate ways to improve the quality of life in own school or community	Rarely demonstrate ways to improve the quality of life in own school or community		

	ural Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYN		d culture as a system of beliefs, k	nowledge, and practices shared	
by a group and u	nderstand how cultural systems ch	ange over time	-		
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
CULTURAL	SS.K.6.1 Explain how and why p		The student:		
Systems and Practices	observe different holidays/celebra	ations	Describes how and why people from different cultures celebrate their holidays (e.g., games they play, songs they sing, traditional practices, foods they eat, clothing worn, symbols).		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Compare how and why people from different cultures observe different holidays/celebrations	Explain how and why people from different cultures observe different holidays/celebrations	Explain how or explain why people from different cultures observe different holidays/celebrations	Ineffectively explain how and why people from different cultures observe different holidays/celebrations	

	aphy: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS and understand the nature and in			t information on people, places,		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS IN SPATIAL TERMS	SS.K.7.1 Identify location and phonomena on maps and globes (e.g., land, wa	•	The student: Locates and describes physical characteristics of objects represented on a map or globe.			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Identify location and physical characteristics represented on maps and globes, with accuracy	Identify location and physical characteristics represented on maps and globes, with no significant errors	Identify location and physical characteristics represented on maps and globes, with a few significant errors	Identify location and physical characteristics represented on maps and globes, with many significant errors		

Kindergarten

Standard 7: Geography: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic representations to organize, analyze, and present information on people, places, and environments and understand the nature and interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS IN SPATIAL TERMS	SS.K.7.2 Use terms to describe re above/below, near/far, left/right, a		The student: Describes the specific location of a place and/or physical feature using appropriate terms.			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Use terms to describe relative location, with accuracy	Use terms to describe relative location, with no significant errors	Use terms to describe relative location, with a few significant errors	Use terms to describe relative location, with many significant errors		

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSES	SSMENT
LIMITED RESOURCES AND CHOICE		e needs and how they fulfill them	The student: Names basic needs that everyone shares, such as food, wate shelter and describes ways people fulfilled these needs now the past.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze people's basic needs and compare how they fulfill them	Explain people's basic needs and how they fulfill them	Identify people's basic needs	Recognize examples of people's basic needs

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASS	ESSMENT
ROLE AND	SS.K.8.2 Differentiate buyers (e.g., a parent or caregiver) and		The student:	
FUNCTION OF	sellers (e.g., a storeowner or other producer)		Compares a buyer and a seller.	
MARKETS		-		
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Differentiate buyers and sellers and provide several examples of each	Differentiate buyers and sellers	Define buyers and sellers	Recognize examples of buyer and sellers

Standard 1: Histor history	ical Understanding: CHANGE, CO	NTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Uno	derstand change and/or continuity	v and cause and/or effect in
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
CHRONOLOGICAL THINKING			The student: Retells historical narratives using the structures used in the narrativ	· · ·
	RUBRIC			1
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Distinguish temporal structures in stories and historical narratives and use textual evidence to analyze the structure	Distinguish temporal structures in stories and historical narratives	Explain temporal structures in stories and historical narratives	Identify temporal structures in stories and historical narratives

	ical Understanding: INQUIRY, EM vents with multiple interpretation			, perspective, and empathy to	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT	
HISTORICAL	SS.1.2.1 Use a variety of primary sources (e.g., artifacts, letters,		The student:		
INQUIRY	photographs) to gain an understan	ding of historical events	Examines primary sources and ge	enerates questions from them.	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Use a variety of primary sources to provide an elaborate or precise explanation of historical events	Use a variety of primary sources to provide an explanation of historical events	Use primary sources to provide a limited explanation of historical events	Identify primary sources but make little or no connections to historical events	

Standard 3: Histor	y: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Under	stand children, people, and grou	ps in time and place		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT	
A CHILD'S PLACE IN HISTORY	SS.1.3.1 Compare own life with those of children in history		The student: Analyzes the similarities and differences between own life and lives of children of the past (e.g., Pilgrim children, Pioneer children, Native American children).		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Compare, with clear and precise detail, own life with those of children in history	Compare, with detail, own life with those of children in history	Compare, with minimal detail, own life with those of children in history	Ineffectively compare own life with those of children in history	
SIGNIFICANT Events in American History	SS.1.3.2 Describe the lives of people who significantly impacted American history		The student: Identifies the accomplishments of extraordinary people whose achievements are still being celebrated (e.g., Pocahontas, George Washington, Booker T. Washington, Daniel Boone and Benjamin Franklin).		
	RUBRIC		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the lives of people who significantly impacted American history	Describe, with detail, the lives of people who significantly impacted American history	Describe, with minimal detail, the lives of people who significantly impacted American history	Ineffectively describe the lives of people who significantly impacted American history	

Grade 1

Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT BENCHMARK SS.1.4.1 Explain the purpose of rules GOVERNANCE, The student: Gives reasons for specific rules from the classroom, home, or POWER, AND AUTHORITY community. **RUBRIC** Advanced Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Explain, with clear and precise Explain, with detail, the purpose Explain, with minimal detail, the Ineffectively explain the detail, the purpose of rules purpose of rules purpose of rules of rules SS.1.4.2 Explain the difference between authority and power GOVERNANCE, The student: POWER, AND Describes how specific people exercise power with/without authority. AUTHORITY **RUBRIC** Proficient **Partially Proficient** Advanced Novice Explain the difference between Recognize examples of Explain, with examples, the Define authority and power difference between authority authority and power authority and power and power

Grade 1

Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT BENCHMARK SS.1.4.3 Explain historical symbols of American nationalism The student: PRINCIPLES AND Describes the symbolic meaning of the flag, the Statue of Liberty, VALUES OF the Pledge of Allegiance, and the National Anthem to people and DEMOCRACY groups over time. **RUBRIC Partially Proficient** Advanced Proficient Novice Explain, with clear and precise Ineffectively explain historical Explain, with detail, historical Explain, with minimal detail, detail, historical symbols of symbols of American historical symbols of American symbols of American American nationalism nationalism nationalism nationalism SS.1.4.4 Explain shared democratic values, including equality, PRINCIPLES AND The student: common good, and individual rights VALUES OF Illustrates how democratic values are expressed in home, school, or DEMOCRACY community. **RUBRIC Partially Proficient** Advanced Proficient Novice Explain, with clear and precise Explain, with detail, shared Ineffectively explain shared Explain, with minimal detail, detail, shared democratic values democratic values shared democratic values democratic values

			roles, rights (personal, economic,	, political), and responsibilities
of American citizer TOPIC	ns and exercise them in civic action BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES	SS.1.5.1 Identify rights and respo	onsibilities of community leaders		
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Identify rights and responsibilities of community leaders, with accuracy	Identify rights and responsibilities of community leaders, with no significant errors	Identify rights and responsibilities of community leaders, with a few significant errors	Identify rights and responsibilities of community leaders, with many significant errors

	ural Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYN	, -	nd culture as a system of beliefs, k	nowledge, and practices shared
by a group and u TOPIC	nderstand how cultural systems ch BENCHMARK	lange over time	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
CULTURAL SYSTEMS AND PRACTICES	SS.1.6.1 Describe ways in which own and other cultures express cultural beliefs and practices through stories and/or legends		The student: Explains the beliefs and practices of own and other cultures reflected in stories and/or legends.	
	RUBRICAdvancedCompare ways in which own and other cultures express cultural beliefs and practices	ProficientDescribe ways in which ownand other cultures expresscultural beliefs and practices	Partially Proficient Provide examples of ways in which own and other cultures express cultural beliefs and	Novice Recognize that own and other cultures express cultural beliefs and practices through stories
	through stories and/or legends	through stories and/or legends	practices through stories and/or legends	and/or legends

		—Use geographic representations teraction of geographic regions a		t information on people, places,
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
HUMAN AND PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS IN SPATIAL TERMS	SS.1.7.1 Construct and use simple human characteristics of a commu	ble maps to represent physical and nunity The student: Creates a map that includes the title, author's name, date, orientation, legend, and symbols. (e.g., of home, school, neighborhood).		
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Construct and use simple maps to represent physical and human characteristics of a community, with accuracy	Construct and use simple maps to represent physical and human characteristics of a community, with no significant errors	Construct and use simple maps to represent physical and human characteristics of a community, with a few significant errors	Construct and use simple maps to represent physical and human characteristics of a community, with many significant errors

Standard 8: Eco systems	nomics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, A	ND GOVERNMENT—Understand	economic concepts and the chara	acteristics of various economic
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASS	SESSMENT
LIMITED RESOURCES AND CHOICE	SS.1.8.1 Compare needs and wants RUBRIC		The student: Distinguishes between people's need for food, clothing, and shelter and specific things that people would like to have.	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Classify, with justification, needs and wants	Compare needs and wants	Explain needs and wants	Give examples of needs and wants

Standard 8: Econor systems	nics: KESOURCES, MARKETS, ANI	O GOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the characte	eristics of various economic	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
Economic Interdependence	and services		The student: Describes a personal exchange he or she made with a friend or family member.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how people trade or use money to obtain goods and services	Explain, with detail, how people trade or use money to obtain goods and services	Explain, with minimal detail, how people trade or use money to obtain goods and services	Ineffectively explain how people trade or use money to obtain goods and services	
ROLE AND Function of Markets	SS.1.8.3 Define various goods (things that people need or want) and services (jobs people perform that satisfy people's needs or wants)		The student: Identifies goods (e.g., food, clothing, personal commodities) and services (e.g., teachers, plumbers, doctors) and explains the difference between them.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Define various goods and services, with accuracy	Define various goods and services, with no significant errors	Define various goods and services, with a few significant errors	Define various goods and services, with many significant errors	

Standard 1: Histor history	ical Understanding: CHANGE, CO	NTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Und	erstand change and/or continuity	and cause and/or effect in
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CHRONOLOGICAL THINKING	1		The student: Sequences a series of events from own life using a timeline.	a story, historical narrative, or
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Construct timelines to sequence events, with accuracy	Construct timelines to sequence events, with no significant errors	Construct timelines to sequence events, with a few significant errors	Construct timelines to sequence events, with many significant errors

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSE	SSMENT	
Historical Inquiry	SS.2.2.1 Investigate the history of families using level-appropriate primary sources (e.g., artifacts, photographs, interviews, documents)		The student: Makes generalizations about the history of a family based on information from primary sources.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Investigate the history of	Investigate the history of	Investigate the history of	Ineffectively investigate the	
	families, gathering clear and	families, gathering information	families, gathering minimal	history of families	
	precise information and details	and details from level-	information and details from		
	from level-appropriate primary	appropriate primary sources	level-appropriate primary		
	sources		sources		
	sources		sources		

Standard 3: Histor	ry: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Under	rstand sharing and caring for peo	ple and earth	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
responsible for environmental issues and concerns Explain		The student: Explains the role that government in protecting our environment.	agencies (e.g., DLNR, EPA) play	
	RUBRIC		•	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare ways in which specific government agencies are responsible for environmental issues and concerns	Describe ways in which specific government agencies are responsible for environmental issues and concerns	Name specific government agencies that are responsible for environmental issues and concerns	Select from a list specific government agencies that are responsible for environmental issues and concerns

Grade 2

Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT BENCHMARK SS.2.4.1 Describe the different ways people gain authority and the GOVERNANCE, The student: limits of such authority Explains different ways people can gain authority, including being POWER, AND appointed to a role of authority (e.g., line leader, appointed **AUTHORITY** government official), being voted into authority (e.g., student council, mayor), and assuming authorities that come with a job (e.g., particular school committee job, principal), and explains the boundaries of such authority. **RUBRIC** Advanced Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Compare the different ways Describe the different ways Identify the different ways Recognize that there are people people gain authority and the people gain authority and the people gain authority with authority limits of such authority limits of such authority

	al Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION is and exercise them in civic actio	AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand	roles, rights (personal, economic	, political), and responsibilities
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSES	SMENT
RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES	SS.2.5.1 Demonstrate own roles others and the environment	and responsibilities in caring for	The student: Fulfills responsibilities in different classroom situations, such as showing respect to others or cleaning up workstations, and respon to feedback from others about the effects that his or her actions have on others and the classroom environment.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Consistently demonstrate own roles and responsibilities in caring for others and the environment	Usually demonstrate own roles and responsibilities in caring for others and the environment	Sometimes demonstrate own roles and responsibilities in caring for others and the environment	Rarely demonstrate own roles and responsibilities in caring for others and the environment

Standard 6: Cultu	ral Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNA	AMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understan	d culture as a system of beliefs, ki	nowledge, and practices shared		
by a group and un	derstand how cultural systems cha	inge over time				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT		
CULTURAL SYSTEMS AND PRACTICES	SS.2.6.1 Describe ways in which their cultural beliefs and practices		The student: Explains how the beliefs and prace reflected in music and art.	s and practices of own and other cultures are rt.		
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Compare, with elaborate and precise detail, ways in which own and other cultures express their cultural beliefs and practices through music and art	Describe ways in which own and other cultures express their cultural beliefs and practices through music and art	Recognize ways that own and other cultures express their cultural practices through music and art	Recognize that different cultural practices are reflected through music and art		

Standard 7: Geography: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic representations to organize, analyze, and present information on people, places, and environments and understand the nature and interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
HUMAN AND	SS.2.7.1 Identify and explain the	human (man-made) and physical	The student:	
PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS IN SPATIAL TERMS	(natural) characteristics of a neigh			
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain the relationship between the human (man-made) and physical (natural) characteristics of a neighborhood or the community	Identify and explain the human (man-made) and physical (natural) characteristics of a neighborhood or the community	Name the human (man-made) and physical (natural) characteristics of a neighborhood or the community	Recognize that neighborhoods and communities have human (man-made) and physical (natural) characteristics

	aphy: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS			t information on people, places,	
and environments a TOPIC	and understand the nature and in BENCHMARK	teraction of geographic regions a	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
HUMAN AND PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS IN SPATIAL TERMS	SS.2.7.2 Describe the purpose an	d features of maps and globes	The student: Explains why people use maps and globes and explains how the different features (e.g., relative location, cardinal direction, simp grid systems, basic map symbols) of maps or globes help people use them (e.g., to show relative location, to provide or find directions).		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the purpose and features of maps and globes	Describe, with detail, the purpose and features of maps and globes	Describe, with minimal detail, the purpose and features of maps and globes	Ineffectively describe the purpose and features of maps and globes	
ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY	SS.2.7.3 Describe a variety of the earth's natural resources (e.g., water, forests, and oil) and ways in which people use them		The student: Explains how people across the world use natural resources to meet their needs.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe a variety of the earth's natural resources and give clear and precise details of ways in which people use them	Describe a variety of the earth's natural resources and ways in which people use them	Describe a variety of the earth's natural resources	Name some of the earth's natural resources	

	raphy: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS and understand the nature and in			t information on people, places,
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETYSS.2.7.4 Analyze and demonstrate ways the local environment		e ways to protect and preserve	The student: Surveys, creates, and implements a plan to take personal action to sustain and preserve a part of the environment.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze and consistently demonstrate ways to protect and preserve the local environment, with detail	Analyze and usually demonstrate ways to protect and preserve the local environment	Analyze and sometimes demonstrate ways to protect and preserve the local environment, with detail	Ineffectively describe and/or rarely demonstrate ways to protect and preserve the local environment

Standard 8: Eco	nomics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, AN	D GOVERNMENT—Understand ec	onomic concepts and the charact	eristics of various economic
systems				
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSES	SMENT
LIMITED RESOURCES AND CHOICE	SS.2.8.1 Explain scarcity and its	effects on daily life	The student: Gives a specific example from own life that illustrates how limit resources (scarcity) required him or her to make a choice about using a good or a service.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze scarcity and its effects on daily life	Explain scarcity and its effects on daily life	Give examples of scarcity and its effects on daily life	Recognize examples of scarcity

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
Limited Resources and Choice	SS.2.8.2 Categorize resources as	natural, capital, or human	The student: Compares natural resources, capital resources and human resources		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Categorize resources as natural, capital, or human, with accuracy	Categorize resources as natural, capital, or human, with no significant errors	Categorize resources as natural, capital, or human, with a few significant errors	Categorize resources as natural capital, or human, with many significant errors	
Economic Interdependence	SS.2.8.3 Explain how people benefit from trade (the exchange of goods and services)		The student: Describes how people's needs and wants are satisfied through exchange of goods and services.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how people benefit from trade	Explain, with detail, how people benefit from trade	Explain, with minimal detail, how people benefit from trade	Ineffectively explain how people benefit from trade	

systems TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
ROLE AND FUNCTION OF MARKETS	SS.2.8.4 Compare the roles of buyers and sellers and explain how they depend upon each other		The student: Analyzes why a seller needs people to buy his or her goods or services.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Compare the roles of buyers and sellers and, with clear and precise detail, analyze how they depend upon each other	Compare the roles of buyers and sellers and, with detail, explain how they depend upon each other	Compare the roles of buyers and sellers and, with minimal detail, explain how they depend on each other	Ineffectively compare the roles of buyers and sellers	
ROLE OF GOVERNMENT	SS.2.8.5 Explain the responsibility of the government to provide goods and services		The student: Describes why it is important for goods (e.g., parks) and services (e the community.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the responsibility of the government to provide goods and services	Explain, with detail, the responsibility of the government to provide goods and services	Explain, with minimal detail, the responsibility of the government to provide goods and services	Ineffectively explain the responsibility of the governmen to provide goods and services	

Standard 1: Hist history	corical Understanding: CHANGE, CO	NTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Un	derstand change and/or continuity	and cause and/or effect in
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
CAUSES AND EFFECTS IN HISTORY	SS.3.1.1 Explain cause and effect historical narratives	t relationships in stories and	stories and The student: Explains the cause of an event and its effects in a story or narrative.	
	RUBRIC		-	-
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, cause and effect relationships in stories and historical narratives	Explain, with detail, cause and effect relationships in stories and historical narratives	Explain, with minimal detail, cause and effect relationships in stories and historical narratives	Ineffectively explain cause and effect relationships in stories and historical narratives

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
HISTORICAL INQUIRY		of communities over time using es (e.g., maps, photos, oral histories,	The student: s, Makes generalizations about the history of a community based information from primary sources.	
	RUBRIC	-	1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Investigate the history of communities over time, gathering clear and precise information and details from level-appropriate primary sources	Investigate the history of communities over time, gathering information and details from level-appropriate primary sources	Investigate the history of communities over time, gathering minimal information and details from level- appropriate primary sources	Ineffectively investigate the history of communities over time

	0 - /	PATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE— Use is and judge the past on its own te	the tools and methods of inquiry, erms	perspective, and empathy to	
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVES AND INTERPRETATIONS	SS.3.2.2 Analyze varying perspectors based on the differing viewpoints participants		The student: Compares an experience or historical event from the point of vie of different people involved and offers possible reasons for the difference.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze, with clear and precise detail, varying perspectives of an experience or event based on the differing viewpoints of the teller, listener, and /or the participants	Analyze, with detail, varying perspectives of an experience or event based on the differing viewpoints of the teller, listener, and /or the participants	Explain varying perspectives of an experience or event based on the differing viewpoints of the teller, listener, and /or the participants	Identify varying perspectives of an experience or event	

Standard 3: History	: HISTORICAL CONTENT—Under	stand change, cause and effect, a	nd continuity in history and conte	emporary life
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
COMMUNITY LIFE	SS.3.3.1 Analyze issues and conc		The student:	
PAST AND PRESENT			Compares issues and concerns (e. population, transportation) of own community in the past.	
	Rubric			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze issues and concerns of own community and those of a similar community in the past, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations about the issues and concerns	Analyze issues and concerns of own community and those of a similar community in the past	Explain issues and concerns of own community and those of a similar community in the past	Name issues and concerns of own community and those of a similar community in the past

	cal Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, rinciples and values of American c			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
GOVERNANCE, POWER, AND AUTHORITY	between them		The student: Explains why we have rules and laws, describes how they differ, and gives examples of each.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise	Explain, with detail, the purpose	Explain, with minimal detail, the	Ineffectively explain the
	detail, the purpose of rules and	of rules and laws and the	purpose of rules and laws and	purpose of rules of laws and the
	laws and elaborate on the	differences between them	the differences between them	differences between them
	differences between them			

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Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT BENCHMARK SS.3.4.2 Describe ways in which people exercise power without GOVERNANCE, The student: POWER, AND Explains power without authority (e.g., illegal, unofficial such as authority bullying). AUTHORITY **RUBRIC** Advanced Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Compare ways in which people Describe ways in which people Identify ways in which people Recognize ways in which people exercise power without exercise power without exercise power without exercise power without authority authority authority authority

	al Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION 1s and exercise them in civic actio		roles, rights (personal, economic	c, political), and responsibilities
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSES	SMENT
RIGHTS AND	SS.3.5.1 Describe roles and rights of citizenship and demonstrate		The student:	
RESPONSIBILITIES	responsibilities of citizenship		Identifies roles (e.g., active, informed participant), rights, (e.g., freedom of speech, freedom of religion) and responsibilities (e.g., paying taxes, voting) and fulfills own responsibilities within the classroom.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe roles and rights of	Describe roles and rights of	Describe roles and rights of	Ineffectively describe roles and
	citizenship and consistently	citizenship and usually	citizenship or demonstrate	rights of citizenship and rarely
	demonstrate responsibilities of	demonstrate responsibilities of	responsibilities of citizenship	demonstrate responsibilities of
	citizenship	citizenship		citizenship

			l culture as a system of beliefs, kr	nowledge, and practices shared
<u> </u>	erstand how cultural systems char	nge over time		
ΤΟΡΙΟ			SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CULTURAL	SS.3.6.1 Explain that different cu	ltures have unique values,	The student:	
DIVERSITY AND	beliefs, and practices		Gives examples of values and bel	iefs of different cultures and how
UNITY			they have changed over time.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, making significant	Explain, making connections,	Explain, making weak	Ineffectively explain that
	connections, insights, and	insights, and generalizations,	connections, insights, or	different cultures have unique
	generalizations, that different	that different cultures have	generalizations, that different	values, beliefs, and practices
	cultures have unique values,	unique values, beliefs, and	cultures have unique values,	
	beliefs, and practices	practices	beliefs, and practices	
CULTURAL INQUIRY	SS.3.6.2 Make informed judgmen	nts about cultures based on	The student:	
	evidence from cultural artifacts		Gathers and classifies artifacts, facsimiles, and photos that have cultural significance and draws informed and validated conclusion about the cultures.	
	RUBRIC		-	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Make informed and insightful	Make informed judgments	Make judgments about cultures	Make judgments about cultures
	judgments about cultures based	about cultures based on cultural	based partially on cultural	that are not supported by
	on cultural artifacts	artifacts	artifacts	cultural artifacts

Standard 6: Cultura	l Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNA	MICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand	l culture as a system of beliefs, kn	owledge, and practices shared
by a group and unde	rstand how cultural systems chan	nge over time		
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
CULTURAL	SS.3.6.3 Explain how cultural elements (e.g., language, art, music,		The student:	
DYNAMICS/CHANGE AND CONTINUITY			Describes why cultural elements of	change over time.
	RUBRIC		•	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare how cultural elements can change over time and examine possible reasons for that change	Explain how cultural elements can change over time and explain possible reasons for that change	Give examples of how cultural elements can change over time and identify possible reasons for that change	Recognize that cultural elements can change over time

		—Use geographic representations teraction of geographic regions a		t information on people, places,
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
Human and Physical Characteristics in Spatial Terms	graphs, charts, models) to organize and analyze geographic ISTICS information		The student: Draws a conclusion about the place geographic information gathered.	•
	RUBRIC	1		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Use geographic representations to organize and analyze geographic information, with accuracy	Use geographic representations to organize and analyze geographic information, with no significant errors	Use geographic representations to organize and analyze geographic information, with a few significant errors	Use geographic representations to organize and analyze geographic information, with many significant errors

ΤΟΡΙΟ	ts and understand the nature and in BENCHMARK	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
PLACES AND SS.3.7.2 Compare the physical and different communities and regions			The student: Analyzes why physical and human characteristics differ from p to place.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze, using evidence, the physical and human characteristics of different communities and regions	Compare the physical and human characteristics of different communities and regions	Describe the physical and human characteristics of different communities and regions	Name the physical and human characteristics of different communities and regions	
PLACES AND REGIONS	SS.3.7.3 Describe the physical and human characteristics that make different regions unique		The student: Creates a geographic representation showing the physical and human characteristics of a place or region and explains its uniqueness.		
	RUBRIC	-	1		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the physical and human characteristics that make different regions unique	Describe, with detail, the physical and human characteristics that make different regions unique	Describe, with minimal detail, the physical and human characteristics that make different regions unique	Ineffectively describe the physical and human characteristics that make different regions unique	

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY	environment and the effects of these changes		The student: Evaluates how people have changed the environment (e.g., irrigation, clearing land, planting crops, building roads) and the effects of these changes.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine the ways in which people modify the physical environment and evaluate the effects of these changes	Examine the ways in which people modify the physical environment and explain the effects of these changes	Examine the ways in which people modify the physical environment or the effects of these changes	Ineffectively examine the ways in which people modify the physical environment or the effects of these changes
HUMAN SYSTEMS	SS.3.7.5 Examine the economic and geographic factors that influence why people migrate and where they settle		The student: Analyzes the factors that influence why people migrate and where they settle (e.g., natural resources, major waterways, physical features, natural hazards, connections, populations, climate, job opportunities).	
	RUBRIC		L	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine the economic and geographic factors that influence why people migrate and where they settle, making significant connections about these factors and their influence	Examine the economic and geographic factors that influence why people migrate and where they settle	Examine the economic or the geographic factors that influence why people migrate and/or where they settle	Ineffectively examine the economic and geographic factors that influence why people migrate and where they settle

	nomics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, AND	GOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the characte	eristics of various economic
systems TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSES	SMENT
LIMITED RESOURCES AND CHOICE	up when making a choice De		The student:	had to make a choice, and explain
	RUBRIC	Proficient		Novice
	Advanced Explain that opportunity cost is the best alternative given up when making a choice, using relevant and insightful examples	Explain that opportunity cost is the best alternative given up when making a choice, using relevant examples	Partially ProficientExplain that opportunity cost is the best alternative given up when making a choice, using weakly connected vague examples	Ineffectively explain that opportunity cost is the best alternative given up when making a choice
LIMITED RESOURCES AND CHOICE	SS.3.8.2 Explain that goods and resources are limited because there are not enough natural, human, and capital resources to satisfy everyone's wants		The student: Explains that people need to use resources (natural, human, and capital) wisely because they are in short supply.	
	RUBRIC Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, that goods and resources are limited because there are not enough natural, human, and capital resources to satisfy everyone's wants	Explain, with detail, that goods and resources are limited because there are not enough natural, human, and capital resources to satisfy everyone's wants	Explain, with minimal detail, that goods and resources are limited because there are not enough natural, human, and capital resources to satisfy everyone's wants	Ineffectively explain that goods and resources are limited because there are not enough natural, human, and capital resources to satisfy everyone's wants

Standard 8: Econor systems	nics: Resources, Markets, and	O GOVERNMENT—Understand ec	conomic concepts and the characte	ristics of various economic
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
ECONOMIC INTERDEPENDENCE	SS.3.8.3 Describe how money makes it easy to trade goods and services		The student: Explains why it would be harder for something than it would be to	to try to trade a personal belonging pay money for that same thing.
	RUBRIC		-	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how money makes it easy to trade goods and services	Describe, with detail, how money makes it easy to trade goods and services	Describe, with minimal detail, how money makes it easy to trade goods and services	Ineffectively describe how money makes it easy to trade goods and services

Standard 1: Histo	orical Understanding: CHANGE,	CONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Uno	lerstand change and/or continui	ty and cause and/or effect in
history				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE AS	SESSMENT
HISTORICAL CHANGE AND CONTINUITY		SS.4.1.1 Describe both change and continuity of aspects of Hawaiian culture (including religion, land use, and social systems)		ate a timeline of one or more how they have evolved over time.
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze both change and continuity of aspects of Hawaiian culture	Describe both change and continuity of aspects of Hawaiian culture	Give examples of both change and continuity of aspects of Hawaiian culture	Recognize examples of change and/or continuity of aspects of Hawaiian culture

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVES AND INTERPRETATIONS	SPECTIVES AND secondary and as providing historical fact or opinion		The student Uses primary and secondary source facts versus opinions about pre-co	
	RUBRIC Advanced	Proficient	Douticily Ducticiont	Novice
	Categorize sources of information as primary or secondary and as providing historical fact or opinion, with accuracy	Categorize sources of information as primary or secondary and as providing historical fact or opinion, with no significant errors	Partially ProficientCategorize sources of information as primary or secondary and as providing historical fact or opinion, with a few significant errors	Categorize sources of information as primary or secondary and as providing historical fact or opinion, with many significant errors

Standard 3: Histor Hawaiian history	y: PRE-CONTACT HAWAII HISTOR	RY—Understand the people, even	ts, problems, and ideas that were s	significant in pre-contact	
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
Early Hawaiian Society	SS.4.3.1 Explain the origins and culture of early Hawaiians		The student: Describes features of early Hawaiian life, such as rules and laws, gods/religion, roles of women/classes of people, sports and games, food, kapu system, land ownership taxes, and/or education.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the origins and culture of early Hawaiians	Explain, with detail, the origins and culture of early Hawaiians	Explain, with minimal detail, the origins and culture of early Hawaiians	Ineffectively explain the origins and culture of early Hawaiians	
EARLY HAWAIIAN SOCIETY	SS.4.3.2 Explain the history of Hawaii's early economy		The student: Describes a typical day in the economic life of a Hawaiian in the 'ahupua'a system.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the history of Hawaii's early economy	Explain, with detail, the history of Hawaii's early economy	Explain, with minimal detail, the history of Hawaii's early economy	Ineffectively explain the history of Hawaii's early economy	

Hawaiian history TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
EARLY HAWAIIAN SOCIETY	SS.4.3.3 Describe the cultural contributions of different groups to the development of Hawaii		The student: Explains the specific cultural contributions (e.g., religious, economic, artistic) of different groups and how they have helped the development of Hawaii.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the cultural contributions of different groups to the development of Hawaii	Describe, with detail, the cultural contributions of different groups to the development of Hawaii	Describe, with minimal detail, the cultural contributions of different groups to the development of Hawaii	Ineffectively describe the cultural contributions of different groups to the development of Hawaii
EXPLORATION, MIGRATION, AND SETTLEMENT	SS.4.3.4 Describe the theories of Polynesia to Hawaii, including mi			
	RUBRIC	1	1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the theories of early migrations from parts of Polynesia to Hawaii	Describe, with detail, the theories of early migrations from parts of Polynesia to Hawaii	Describe, with minimal detail, the theories of early migrations from parts of Polynesia to Hawaii	Ineffectively describe the theories of early migrations from parts of Polynesia to Hawaii

Standard 3: Histor	y: PRE-CONTACT HAWAII HISTOR	xy—Understand the people, event	ts, problems, and ideas that were	significant in pre-contact	
Hawaiian history	-				
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
EXPLORATION,	SS.4.3.5 Identify reasons that early		The student:		
MIGRATION, AND	immigrants came to Hawaii (inclu		Names social, political, geographic		
SETTLEMENT	the Polynesian region and describe	e what their lives and experiences	that influenced early settlement pa		
	were like		Hawaii, and describes the lives of	early settlers and immigrants.	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Identify reasons that early explorers, settlers, and immigrants came to Hawaii or the Polynesian region and describe, with clear and precise detail, what their lives and	Identify reasons that early explorers, settlers, and immigrants came to Hawaii or the Polynesian region and describe, with detail, what their lives and experiences were like	Identify reasons that early explorers, settlers, and immigrants came to Hawaii or the Polynesian region and/or describe, with minimal detail what their lives and experiences	Inaccurately identify reasons that early explorers, settlers, and immigrants came to Hawaii or the Polynesian region and/or ineffectively describe what their lives and experiences were like	
EXPLORATION, MIGRATION, AND	experiences were like SS.4.3.6 Illustrate patterns and ch over a period of time	anges in population in Hawaii	were like The student: Creates a timeline or graph that sh	č	
SETTLEMENT			patterns in demographics of a spe	cific island over time.	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Illustrate patterns and changes in population in Hawaii over a period of time, with accuracy	Illustrate patterns and changes in population in Hawaii over a period of time, with no significant errors	Illustrate patterns and changes in population in Hawaii over a period of time, with a few significant errors	Illustrate patterns and changes in population in Hawaii over a period of time, with many significant errors	

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT		
EXPLORATION, MIGRATION, AND SETTLEMENT	SS.4.3.7 Describe the interactions (including economic exchanges and wars) among different cultural and ethnic groups in early Hawaii		The student: Gives examples from early Hawaiian history of the ways in which pre-contact Hawaiians interrelated with different groups of people such as Captain James Cook/explorers, traders, whalers, and westerners/missionaries.			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the interactions among different cultural and ethnic groups in early Hawaii	Describe, with detail, the interactions among different cultural and ethnic groups in early Hawaii	Describe, with minimal detail, the interactions among different cultural and ethnic groups in early Hawaii	Ineffectively describe the interactions among different cultural and ethnic groups in early Hawaii		
HAWAIIAN STATE GOVERNMENT	SS.4.3.8 Explain the evolution of Hawaii state government		The student: Constructs a timeline that explains the evolution in Hawaiian history from self-rule to statehood.			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Explain the evolution of Hawaii state government, with accuracy	Explain the evolution of Hawaii state government, with no significant errors	Explain the evolution of Hawaii state government, with a few significant errors	Explain the evolution of Hawaii state government, with many significant errors		

Hawaiian histor TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
Events in Hawaiian History	SS.4.3.9 Place key events in pre-contact Hawaiian history in chronological order (including volcanic origins, migrations, and Captain Cook's arrival)		The student: Selects significant events in Hawaii's history and cultural development to place on a time line, and makes observations about the continuity of those relationships in the Hawaiian culture.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Place key events in pre-contact Hawaiian history in chronological order, with accuracy	Place key events in pre-contact Hawaiian history in chronological order, with no significant errors	Place key events in pre-contact Hawaiian history in chronological order, with a few significant errors	Place key events in pre-contact Hawaiian history in chronological order, with many significant errors	
Events in Hawaiian History	SS.4.3.10 Describe how significant people, including those of legend (including Papa and Wakea, Pele, and Pa'ao) affected pre- contact Hawaii		The student: Explains the significance of different people's contributions in the early history of Hawaii.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how significant people, including those of legend, affected pre-contact Hawaii	Describe, with detail, how significant people, including those of legend, affected pre- contact Hawaii	Describe, with minimal detail, how significant people, including those of legend, affected pre-contact Hawaii	Ineffectively describe how significant people, including those of legend, affected pre- contact Hawaii	

	ical Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE A lues of the Hawaiian kapu system, a			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
GOVERNANCE, POWER, AND AUTHORITY	SS.4.4.1 Evaluate the kapu system in the context of the time		The student: Proposes guidelines for evaluation of rules in pre-contact Hawaiian history and describes how some of the rules might or might not be appropriate for today.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Evaluate the kapu system in the context of the time, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Evaluate the kapu system in the context of the time, drawing relevant conclusions	Describe the kapu system in the context of the time	Identify the kapu system in the context of the time

	cal Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION na, Maka'ainana and Kaua classes			, political), and responsibilities
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
CIVIC PARTICIPATION	SS.4.5.1 Describe the roles, rights, and responsibilities of each class in pre-contact Hawaii RUBRIC Advanced Proficient		The student: Explains his/her roles, rights and responsibilities (personal and social) as a citizen in various situations and how they relate to the roles, rights, and responsibilities of Alii, Kahuna, Konohiki, Maka'ainana, Kauwa during Hawai'i monarchy.	
			Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the roles, rights, and responsibilities of each class in pre-contact Hawaiian society	Describe, with detail, the roles, rights, and responsibilities of each class in pre-contact Hawaiian society	Describe, with minimal detail, the roles, rights, and responsibilities of each class in pre-contact Hawaiian society	Ineffectively describe the roles, rights, and responsibilities of each class in pre-contact Hawaiian society

by a group and unde	rstand how cultural systems char	nge over time			
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
CULTURAL SYSTEMS AND PRACTICES	SS.4.6.1 Explain how language, traditional lore, music, dance, artifacts, traditional practices, beliefs, values, and behaviors are elements of culture and contribute to the preservation of culture		The student: Describes how specific components of Hawaiian culture assure continuity of the culture and embody cultural values.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze how language, traditional lore, music, dance, artifacts, traditional practices, beliefs, values, and behaviors are elements of culture and contribute to the preservation of culture	Explain how language, traditional lore, music, dance, artifacts, traditional practices, beliefs, values, and behaviors are elements of culture and contribute to the preservation of culture	Explain that language, traditional lore, music, dance, artifacts, traditional practices, beliefs, values, and behaviors are elements of culture and contribute to the preservation of culture	Recognize language, traditiona lore, music, dance, artifacts, traditional practices, beliefs, values, and/or behaviors as elements of culture	
Cultural Dynamics/Change and Continuity	SS.4.6.2 Describe how individuals or groups deal with conflict, cooperation, and interdependence within the ahupua'a		The student: Explains life in the ahupua'a, particularly the relationships betwee people and the spiritual realm, the land, and other people.		
	RUBRIC		I		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how individuals or groups deal with conflict, cooperation, and interdependence within the ahupua'a	Describe, with detail, how individuals or groups deal with conflict, cooperation, and interdependence within the ahupua'a	Describe, with minimal detail, how individuals or groups deal with conflict, cooperation, and interdependence within the ahupua'a	Ineffectively describe how individuals or groups deal with conflict, cooperation, and interdependence within the ahupua'a	

	l Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNA rstand how cultural systems chai	· -	l culture as a system of beliefs, kn	owledge, and practices shared
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
CULTURAL DYNAMICS/CHANGE AND CONTINUITY	SS.4.6.3 Describe the changes in Hawaiian culture through contact with Westerners		The student: Explains how Hawaiian culture changed, and describes the effect of the changes caused by Western contact.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the changes in Hawaiian culture through contact with Westerners	Describe, with detail, the changes in Hawaiian culture through contact with Westerners	Describe, with minimal detail, the changes in Hawaiian culture through contact with Westerners	Ineffectively describe the changes in Hawaiian culture through contact with Westerners

	aphy: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS and understand the nature and int			t information on people, places,
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
PLACES AND	SS.4.7.1 Identify the major geogr	aphic characteristics and	The student:	
REGIONS	demographics of the pre-contact H	Hawaiian archipelago, including	Describes the geographic character	eristics and human characteristics
	its relative location to other major land masses		of Polynesia, the Pacific region, and Hawaii in the pre-contact era.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Identify, with accuracy, the	Identify, with no significant	Identify, with a few significant	Identify, with many significant
	major geographic characteristics	errors, the major geographic	errors, the major geographic	errors, the major geographic
	and demographics of the pre-	characteristics and	characteristics and	characteristics and
	contact Hawaiian archipelago,	demographics of the pre-contact	demographics of the pre-contact	demographics of the pre-contact
	including its relative location to	Hawaiian archipelago, including	Hawaiian archipelago, including	Hawaiian archipelago, including
	other major land masses	its relative location to other	its relative location to other	its relative location to other
		major land masses	major land masses	major land masses

	raphy: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS and understand the nature and int			t information on people, places,
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
WORLD IN Spatial Terms	SS.4.7.2 Collect, organize, and analyze data to interpret and		The student: Uses collected data to construct a map that plots the locations of data and explains the meanings, patterns, and relationships found in geographic data (e.g., collects data about the presence of endemic species in Hawaii, plots the locations of the species, explains the reasons for the patterns of distribution of the species, and describes relationships between the species and other species or the environment).	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Collect, organize, and analyze data to interpret and construct geographic representations, with accuracy	Collect, organize, and analyze data to interpret and construct geographic representations, with no significant errors	Collect, organize, and analyze data to interpret and construct geographic representations, with a few significant errors	Collect, organize, and analyze data to interpret and construct geographic representations, with many significant errors

	raphy: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS and understand the nature and in			t information on people, places,	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY	SS.4.7.3 Analyze the consequence physical environment in Hawaii u (including lo'i kalo and loko i'a)		The student: Compares the effects of land and water use in the `ahupua`a and how similar practices are carried out today. Assesses the positive and negative consequences of such uses on the environment, and makes connections to current environmental practices.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Evaluate the consequences of human modification of the physical environment in Hawaii using geographic representations, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Analyze the consequences of human modification of the physical environment in Hawaii using geographic representations, drawing relevant conclusions	Describe the consequences of human modification of the physical environment in Hawaii using geographic representations	Recognize that there are consequences of human modification of the physical environment in Hawaii	

Standard 8: Econor systems	nics: Resources, Markets, ani	O GOVERNMENT—Understand e	conomic concepts and the characte	ristics of various economic	
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
ECONOMIC INTERDEPENDENCE	SS.4.8.1 Describe the economic interdependence among those living in the 'ahupua'a		The student: Explains production and consumption in an "ahupua'a" (farming, fishing, production of goods), including how goods and services were exchanged by businesses (producers) and households (consumers).		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the economic interdependence among those living in the 'ahupua'a	Describe, with detail, the economic interdependence among those living in the 'ahupua'a	Describe, with minimal detail, the economic interdependence among those living in the 'ahupua'a	Ineffectively describe the economic interdependence among those living in the 'ahupua'a	

Standard 1: Histor history	ical Understanding: CHANGE, CO	NTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Und	erstand change and/or continuity	and cause and/or effect in
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CHRONOLOGICAL THINKING	SS.5.1.1 Use chronological order between and among people and ev	rder to explain causal relationships d events The student: Organizes key events of the American Revolution in chronological order to explain cause-and-effect relationships between them.		
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Use chronological order to analyze causal relationships between and among people and events, with accuracy	Use chronological order to explain causal relationships between and among people and events, with no significant errors	Use chronological order to identify causal relationships between and among people and events, with a few significant errors	Use chronological order to identify causal relationships between and among people and events, with many significant errors

Торіс	events with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own te BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVES AND INTERPRETATIONS	SS.5.2.1 Analyze how beliefs and education and/or the society in which a person resides shape his/her "point of view"		The student: Contrasts a 17 th century woman's view of her role in family and society with that of a woman in the 21 st century.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze how beliefs and education and/or the society in which a person resides shape his/her "point of view," making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Analyze how beliefs and education and/or the society in which a person resides shape his/her "point of view," making connections, insights, and generalizations	Explain how beliefs and education and/or the society in which a person resides shape his/her "point of view"	Identify, with assistance, how beliefs and education and/or the society in which a person resides shape his/her "point of view"	
HISTORICAL Empathy	SS.5.2.2 Judge the past in the context of the time instead of imposing present norms and values on historical events		The student: Assesses why slavery was accepted by a majority of the people in colonial America.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Consistently judge the past in the context of the time instead of imposing present norms and values on historical events	Usually judge the past in the context of the time instead of imposing present norms and values on historical events	Sometimes judge the past in the context of the time instead of imposing present norms and values on historical events	Rarely judge the past in the context of the time, but instead impose present norms and values on historical events	

	ry: EARLY AMERICAN HISTORY	Understand important historical (
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
EXPLORATION,	SS.5.3.1 Identify what Europeans sought (e.g., route to Asia) and		The student:		
MIGRATION, AND SETTLEMENT	what they found (e.g., new crops) during the Age of Exploration		Describes the journey of one European explorer to the Americas, the route he took, the problems he encountered, what he sought, and what he found.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Identify, with clear and precise detail, what Europeans sought and what they found during the Age of Exploration	Identify, with detail, what Europeans sought and what they found during the Age of Exploration	Identify, with minimal detail, what Europeans sought and what they found during the Age of Exploration	Inaccurately identify what Europeans sought and what they found during the Age of Exploration	
EXPLORATION, MIGRATION, AND SETTLEMENT	SS.5.3.2 Examine the interactions between Europeans and Native Americans in North America		The student: Contrasts the views and beliefs of Europeans and the Native Americans they encountered and describe how these differences impacted their encounter.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Examine the interactions between Europeans and Native Americans in North America, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Examine the interactions between Europeans and Native Americans in North America, drawing relevant conclusions	Examine the interactions between Europeans and Native Americans in North America, drawing weakly supported or irrelevant conclusions	Ineffectively examine the interactions between Europeans and Native Americans in North America	

Standard 3: Histor	ry: EARLY AMERICAN HISTORY—U	Understand important historical	events through the Revolution	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
EXPLORATION, MIGRATION, AND SETTLEMENT	SS.5.3.3 Describe the hardships experienced by European settlers in colonial America		The student: Explains how environmental problems (e.g., food shortages, diseases) and human interaction (e.g., with Native Americans and among themselves) caused hardships for the European settlers.	
	RUBRIC		·	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the hardships experienced by European settlers in colonial America	Describe, with detail, the hardships experienced by European settlers in colonial America	Describe, with minimal detail, the hardships experienced by European settlers in colonial America	Ineffectively describe the hardships experienced by European settlers in colonial America
Colonial American Society	SS.5.3.4 Describe how religion and economics influenced the settling of New England and the southern regions of British North America		The student: Explains how religion motivated the settling of New England (e.g., Massachusetts Bay colony) and economics motivated the settling of the Southern colonies (e.g., Jamestown).	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how religion and economics influenced the settling of New England and the southern regions of British North America	Describe, with detail, how religion and economics influenced the settling of New England and the southern regions of British North America	Describe, with minimal detail, how religion and economics influenced the settling of New England and the southern regions of British North America	Ineffectively describe how religion and economics influenced the settling of New England and the southern regions of British North America

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
Colonial American Society	SS.5.3.5 Describe the major features of the economies of New England (i.e., manufacturing), the mid-Atlantic colonies (i.e., trade), and southern regions (i.e., farming) of British North America and explain their relationship to geographic features		The student: Explains how the economic activity in the three regions was determined by climate and natural resources.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with accuracy, the major features of the economies of New England, the mid- Atlantic colonies, and southern regions of British North America and explain their relationship to geographic features	Describe, with no significant errors, the major features of the economies of New England, the mid-Atlantic colonies, and southern regions of British North America and explain their relationship to geographic features	Describe, with a few significant errors, the major features of the economies of New England, the mid-Atlantic colonies, and southern regions of British North America	Describe, with many significant errors, the major features of the economies of New England, the mid-Atlantic colonies, and southern regions of British North America	
Colonial American Society	SS.5.3.6 Explain how colonial America solved its labor shortage problem with indentured servants and African slaves		The student: Describes the work performed by slaves and indentured servants that was necessary to the success of the colonies.		
	Rubric				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how colonial America solved its labor shortage problem with indentured servants and African slaves	Explain, with detail, how colonial America solved its labor shortage problem with indentured servants and African slaves	Explain, with minimal detail, how colonial America solved its labor shortage problem with indentured servants and African slaves	Ineffectively explain how colonial America solved its labor shortage problem with indentured servants and African slaves	

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
COLONIAL AMERICAN SOCIETY	SS.5.3.7 Illustrate the movement of African slaves to the Americas and their role in the Triangular Trade		The student: Explains the social (e.g., capture, transport) and economic (e.g., sale, labor) aspects of the African slave trade.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Illustrate, with clear and precise detail, the movement of African slaves to the Americas and their role in the Triangular Trade	Illustrate, with detail, the movement of African slaves to the Americas and their role in the Triangular Trade	Illustrate, with minimal detail, the movement of African slaves to the Americas and their role in the Triangular Trade	Inaccurately illustrate the movement of African slaves to the Americas and their role in the Triangular Trade
Colonial	SS.5.3.8 Describe conflicts between Europeans and Native		The student:	
AMERICAN SOCIETY	Americans (i.e., King Philips War), among colonists, (i.e., Bacon's Rebellion), and between European powers (i.e., the French and Indian War)		Explains the causes and effects of	conflicts in the colonies.
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze conflicts between Europeans and Native Americans among colonists, and between European powers	Describe conflicts between Europeans and Native Americans among colonists, and between European powers	Name the conflicts between Europeans and Native Americans among colonists, and between European powers	Recognize that there were conflicts between Europeans and Native Americans among colonists, and/or between European powers

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
Colonial American Society	SS.5.3.9 Describe the role of Puritans and Quakers in shaping colonial society		The student: Explains how diverse religious groups (e.g., Puritans, Quakers) developed and interacted.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the role of Puritans and Quakers in shaping colonial society	Describe, with detail, the role of Puritans and Quakers in shaping colonial society	Describe, with minimal detail, the role of Puritans and Quakers in shaping colonial society	Ineffectively describe the role of Puritans and Quakers in shaping colonial society
Colonial American Society	SS.5.3.10 Explain how conflict between the English government and the English colonies led to the outbreak of the American Revolution		The student: Describes how the Stamp Act, Boston Massacre, the Boston Tea party, and other events led Americans to revolt.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain how conflict between the English government and the English colonies led to the outbreak of the American Revolution, using relevant and insightful examples	Explain how conflict between the English government and the English colonies led to the outbreak of the American Revolution, using relevant examples	Identify conflicts between the English government and the English colonies that led to the outbreak of the American Revolution	Recognize that conflict between the English government and the English colonies led to the outbreak of the American Revolution

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	EMENT	
REVOLUTIONARY WAR	SS.5.3.11 Define the major ideas (i.e., natural rights, government by the consent of the governed, and "all men are created equal") stated in the Declaration of Independence and explain why they were included		The student: Gives possible reasons why the framers of the Declaration include the ideas of natural rights, government by the consent of the governed, and "all men are created equal."		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Define the major ideas stated in the Declaration of Independence and explain why they were included, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Define the major ideas stated in the Declaration of Independence and explain why they were included	Define the major ideas stated in the Declaration of Independence	Ineffectively define the major ideas stated in the Declaration of Independence	
REVOLUTIONARY WAR	SS.5.3.12 Describe the major events of the Revolutionary War, including key battles, key alliances, and the roles played by key figures		The student: Explains the significance of key battles (e.g., Lexington and Concord, Battle of Saratoga), the French-American alliance, and key figures (e.g., King George III, George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, etc.) to the Revolutionary War.		
	RUBRIC		•		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze the major events of the Revolutionary War, including key battles, key alliances, and the roles played by key figures	Describe the major events of the Revolutionary War, including key battles, key alliances, and the roles played by key figures	Name the major events of the Revolutionary War, including key battles, key alliances, and key figures	Recognize some of the major events of the Revolutionary War, including key battles, key alliances, and/or key figures	

Grade 5

Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC **BENCHMARK** SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT SS.5.4.1 Explain how colonial governments were based on key The student: AMERICAN principles underlying American democracy (including social DEMOCRACY Describes how the Mayflower Compact and House of Burgesses contract, majority rule, and equality of opportunity) illustrated principles underlying American democracy. **RUBRIC** Advanced Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Explain, with clear and precise Explain, with detail, how Recognize some of the key Name the key principles upon principles upon which colonial detail, how colonial colonial governments were which colonial governments based on key principles governments were based governments were based on key were based principles underlying American underlying American democracy democracy SS.5.4.2 Explain how participation in American democracy has AMERICAN The student: changed since the 18th century Describes who was allowed to vote in the 18th century and who is DEMOCRACY allowed to vote today. **RUBRIC** Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Advanced Explain, with minimal detail, Ineffectively explain how Explain, with clear and precise Explain, with detail, how detail, how participation in participation in American how participation in American participation in American democracy has changed since American democracy has democracy has changed since democracy has changed since the 18th century the 18th century the 18th century changed since the 18th century

Standard 5: Politica	Standard 5: Political Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities				
of American citizen	of American citizens and exercise them in civic action				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
	No benchmark at this level				

Standard 6: Cultur	al Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNA	AMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understar	nd culture as a system of beliefs, k	nowledge, and practices shared
by a group and unc	derstand how cultural systems cha	inge over time		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
Cultural Inquiry	SS.5.6.1 Compare the views of Native Americans and Europeans regarding the relationship between humans and the land		The student: Analyzes how Europeans believed in private property rights and how Native Americans saw land as a resource to be shared by all.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the views of Native Americans and Europeans regarding the relationship between humans and the land, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions about the different views	Compare the views of Native Americans and Europeans regarding the relationship between humans and the land, drawing relevant conclusions about the different views	Give examples of the views of Native Americans and Europeans regarding the relationship between humans and the land	Recognize the views of Native Americans and Europeans regarding the relationship between humans and the land

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
HUMAN SYSTEMS	SS.5.7.1 Explain how the Revolu of people	n how the Revolutionary War caused the movement Describes how the war resulted in the British loyalists f American colonies.		n the British loyalists fleeing the
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise	Explain, with detail, how the	Give examples of how the	Recognize that the
	detail, how the Revolutionary War caused the movement of people	Revolutionary War caused the movement of people	Revolutionary War caused the movement of people	Revolutionary War caused the movement of people

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
LIMITED	SS.5.8.1 Explain the opportunity costs considered by the settlers		The student:	
RESOURCES AND CHOICE	before moving to the colonies Describes what the settlers knew they would have what they might gain by moving to the colonies.			
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain the opportunity costs considered by the settlers before moving to the colonies, using relevant and insightful examples	Explain the opportunity costs considered by the settlers before moving to the colonies	Name the opportunity costs considered by the settlers before moving to the colonies	Recognize the opportunity cost considered by the settlers befor moving to the colonies

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
ROLE OF GOVERNMENT	SS.5.8.2 Recognize that governm and services (i.e., taxes) and descr were dissatisfied with the colonial		s The student: Explains why the Americans were upset with Stamp Act and the Townsend Duties.	
	RUBRIC	-	-	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Recognize that governments raise money to pay for goods and services and describe, with clear and precise detail, why the American colonists were dissatisfied with the colonial system of taxation	Recognize that governments raise money to pay for goods and services and describe, with detail, why the American colonists were dissatisfied with the colonial system of taxation	Recognize that governments raise money to pay for goods and services and describe, with minimal detail, why the American colonists were dissatisfied with the colonial system of taxation	Recognize that governments raise money to pay for goods and services and/or ineffectivel describe why the American colonists were dissatisfied with the colonial system of taxation

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
CAUSES AND EFFECTS IN HISTORY	SS.6.1.1 Define causal relationships in historical chronologies		The student: Identifies the various causes for the fall of the Roman Empire, including administrative problems and Germanic invasions.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Define, with clear and precise detail, causal relationships in historical chronologies	Define, with detail, causal relationships in historical chronologies	Define, with minimal detail, causal relationships in historical chronologies	Ineffectively define causal relationships in historical chronologies

	torical Understanding: INQUIRY, EM Il events with multiple interpretation			, perspective, and empathy to
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
HISTORICAL INQUIRY	SS.6.2.1 Frame and answer questions through historical research		The student: Uses historical information gathered from primary and secondary sources to formulate an interpretation of the role of religion in ancient Mesopotamia and Egypt.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Frame and answer questions, in an insightful way, through historical research	Frame and answer questions through historical research	Frame and answer questions, in a superficial way, through historical research	Frame and answer questions, in an unclear or incomplete way, through historical research

	ical Understanding: INQUIRY, EM events with multiple interpretation			perspective, and empathy to
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
HISTORICAL Empathy	present-day norms and values		The student: Describes the values of early Bude explains how they reflected the no from which they emerged.	dhism, Christianity, and Islam and orms and values of the societies
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Consistently explain the past on its own terms; not judging it solely by present-day norms and values	Usually explain the past on its own terms; not judging it solely by present-day norms and values	Sometimes explain the past on its own terms; not judging it solely by present-day norms and values	Rarely explain the past on its own terms; not judging it solely by present-day norms and values

Standard 3: Histor	y: World Cultures/History—	Understand important historical	events from ancient times throug	gh the Renaissance
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
ANCIENT SOCIETIES, 3000 B.C.E. TO 500 B.C.E.	SS.6.3.1 Examine written and physical evidence from ancient societies in Mesopotamia, Egypt, the Indus River Valley, and the Yellow River Valley		The student: Assesses the importance of writing, artifacts, and architectural remains for understanding the political and social organization of ancient societies.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine written and physical evidence from ancient societies, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions about their use in Mesopotamia, Egypt, the Indus River Valley, and the Yellow River Valley	Examine written and physical evidence from ancient societies, drawing relevant conclusions about their use in Mesopotamia, Egypt, the Indus River Valley, and the Yellow River Valley	Examine written and physical evidence from ancient societies, drawing unsupported or irrelevant conclusions about their use in Mesopotamia, Egypt, the Indus River Valley, and the Yellow River Valley	Ineffectively examine written and physical evidence from ancient societies in Mesopotamia, Egypt, the Indus River Valley, and the Yellow River Valley

Standard 3: Histor	y: World Cultures/History—	Understand important historical	events from ancient times throug	gh the Renaissance
ΤΟΡΙC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
ANCIENT SOCIETIES, 3000 B.C.E. TO 500 B.C.E.	from the Maya, Aztec, Inca, and early Pacific Island societies		The student: Analyzes the importance of architectural remains in ancient societies in America and Oceania for understanding political (e.g., government), social (e.g., traditions, daily life), and cultural (e.g., religion, technology) development and features.	
	RUBRIC		I	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare writing, artifacts, and architectural remains, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions about their use in the Maya, Aztec, Inca, and early Pacific Island societies	Compare writing, artifacts, and architectural remains, drawing relevant conclusions about their use in the Maya, Aztec, Inca, and early Pacific Island societies	Compare writing, artifacts, and architectural remains, drawing unsupported or irrelevant conclusions about their use in the Maya, Aztec, Inca, and early Pacific Island societies	Ineffectively compare the writing, artifacts, and architectural remains from the Maya, Aztec, Inca, and early Pacific Island societies
CLASSICAL SOCIETIES, 500 B.C.E TO 500 C.E.	SS.6.3.3 Compare classical societ reign of Han Wudi; Maurya India under Pericles; and the Roman En	under Ashoka; Greek city-states	The student: Analyzes how Han Wudi, Ashoka with major political problems and accomplishments.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare classical societies, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Compare classical societies, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Describe classical societies	Identify classical societies

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CLASSICAL SOCIETIES, 500 B.C.E TO 500 C.E.	SS.6.3.4 Describe the key figures and major beliefs of the major religious and philosophical traditions of ancient and classical times, including Judaism, Confucianism, Daoism, Hinduism, Buddhism, Greek philosophy, Christianity, and Islam		The student: Explains the influence of earlier religions and their key figures on later religions (e.g., Judaism on Christianity and Islam or Hinduism on Buddhism).	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare the key figures and major beliefs of the major religious and philosophical traditions of ancient and classical times	Describe the key figures and major beliefs of the major religious and philosophical traditions of ancient and classical times	Identify the key figures and major beliefs of the major religious and philosophical traditions of ancient and classical times	Recognize the key figures and major beliefs of the major religious and philosophical traditions of ancient and classical times
POST-CLASSICAL	SS.6.3.5 Compare post-classical	societies, including China at the	The student:	1
SOCIETIES, 500		id dynasty at the time of Harun al-	Analyzes the major accomplishments of Tang Taizong, Harun-al-	
С.Е. то 1500 С.Е.	Rashid, the Carolingian Empire at the time of Charlemagne, and the Mali Empire at the time of Mansa Musa		Rashid, Charlemange, and Mansa	Musa.
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare post-classical societies, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Compare post-classical societies, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Describe post-classical societies	Identify post-classical societies

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
POST-CLASSICAL SOCIETIES, 500 C.E. TO 1500 C.E.	SS.6.3.6 Describe the trade networks, including the Silk Road and Saharan caravan trade; conflicts, including the Crusades and Mongol conquests; communications; and exchanges, including Chinese inventions and the bubonic plague, that linked the post- classical societies		The student: Explains the large scale influence of Silk Road trade networks, Saharan caravan trade, Chinese inventions, Crusades, Mongol conquests, and the bubonic plague.	
	RUBRIC			1
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the trade networks, conflicts, communications, and exchanges that linked the post- classical societies	Describe, with detail, the trade networks, conflicts, communications, and exchanges that linked the post-classical societies	Describe, with minimal detail, the trade networks, conflicts, communications, and exchanges that linked the post-classical societies	Ineffectively describe the trade networks, conflicts, communications, and exchanges that linked the post-classical societies
POST-CLASSICAL	SS.6.3.7 Describe the re-establish	ment of Chinese imperial rule	The student:	1
SOCIETIES, 500 C.E. TO 1500 C.E.	and the voyages of Zheng He		Explains the influence of the Ming Dynasty in Asia.	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the re-establishment of Chinese imperial rule and the importance of the voyages of Zheng He	Describe, with detail, the re- establishment of Chinese imperial rule and the voyages of Zheng He	Describe, with minimal detail, the re-establishment of Chinese imperial rule and the voyages of Zheng He	Ineffectively describe the re- establishment of Chinese imperial rule and the voyages of Zheng He

Standard 3: Histor	ory: WORLD CULTURES/HISTORY— Understand important historical events from ancient times through the Renaissance			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
POST-CLASSICAL	SS.6.3.8 Explain the impact of th	e Renaissance and the European	The student:	
SOCIETIES, 500	voyages of exploration		Explains the concept of humanism	and the significance of Leonardo
С.Е. то 1500 С.Е.			da Vinci and Christopher Columb	us.
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise	Explain, with detail, the impact	Explain, with minimal detail, the	Ineffectively explain the impact
	detail, the impact of the	of the Renaissance and the	impact of the Renaissance and	of the Renaissance and the
	Renaissance and the European	European voyages of	the European voyages of	European voyages of
	voyages of exploration	exploration	exploration	exploration
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		DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION- vernment across cultural perspec		storical impact of political
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
FOUNDATIONS OF	SS.6.4.1 Identify the foundations	of democracy in classical Greece	The student:	
DEMOCRACY	and Rome		Describes the constitutions of Athens and the Roman Repub	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Identify, with clear and precise	Identify, with detail, the	Identify, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively identify the
	detail, the foundations of	foundations of democracy in	the foundations of democracy in	foundations of democracy in
	democracy in classical Greece	classical Greece and Rome	classical Greece and Rome	classical Greece and Rome
	and Rome			

Standard 5: Political Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities				
of American citizen	of American citizens and exercise them in civic action			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
	No benchmark at this level			

	iral Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYN		and culture as a system of beliefs,	knowledge, and practices shared
торис а group and un Торис	Iderstand how cultural systems change over time BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CULTURAL SYSTEMS AND PRACTICES	SS.6.6.1 Examine the ways in influenced families and commu		The student: Compares the role and status of women in China, India, the Is World, Europe, and the Pre-Columbian Americas.	
	RUBRIC Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine the ways in which different cultures have influenced families and communities, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Examine the ways in which different cultures have influenced families and communities, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Examine the ways in which different cultures have influenced families and communities, making weak connections, insights, and generalizations	Ineffectively examine the ways in which different cultures have influenced families and communities

	l Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNA erstand how cultural systems char	MICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand	l culture as a system of beliefs, kr	nowledge, and practices shared
TOPIC			SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CULTURAL DYNAMICS/CHANGE AND CONTINUITY	SS.6.6.2 Use examples of changing culture to identify and analyze ways to respond to cultural differences and problems within and across groups (e.g., stereotyping, ethics)		The student: Explains the evolution of cultural to the spread of a major religion t Christianity, Confucianism, Taois	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Identify and analyze ways to respond to cultural differences and problems within and across groups, using highly relevant and insightful examples of changing culture	Identify and analyze ways to respond to cultural differences and problems within and across groups, using relevant examples of changing culture	Identify and describe ways to respond to cultural differences and problems within and across groups, using somewhat relevant examples of changing culture	Identify ways to respond to cultural differences and problems within and across groups, using unclear examples of changing culture

	graphy: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS ts and understand the nature and in			t information on people, places,
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
PLACES AND	SS.6.7.1 Describe the development of agriculture in the Tigris,		The student:	
REGIONS	Euphrates, and Nile river valleys		Explains how environmental conditions influenced the development of ancient societies in Mesopotamia and Egypt.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise	Describe, with detail, the	Describe, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively describe the
	detail, the development of	development of agriculture in	the development of agriculture	development of agriculture in
	agriculture in the Tigris,	the Tigris, Euphrates, and Nile	in the Tigris, Euphrates, and	the Tigris, Euphrates, and Nile
	Euphrates, and Nile river valleys	river valleys	Nile river valleys	river valleys

Торіс	BENCHMARK	teraction of geographic regions a	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
HUMAN SYSTEMS	SS.6.7.2 Describe the impact of printing, the compass, and gunpowder in China and Europe		The student: Explains different applications of technological innovations in different lands.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, using relevant and insightful examples, the impact of printing, the compass, and gunpowder in China and Europe	Describe, using relevant examples, the impact of printing, the compass, and gunpowder in China and Europe	Describe, using weakly connected examples, the impact of printing, the compass, and/or gunpowder in China and Europe	Ineffectively describe the impact of printing, the compass, and/or gunpowder in China and Europe
HUMAN SYSTEMS	SS.6.7.3 Analyze patterns of cultural encounters and exchanges and assess their impact on societies		The student: Assesses the impact of the Crusades in fostering cultural exchange between the East and the West in the areas of technology, food, language, and learning.	
	RUBRIC			1
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze patterns of cultural encounters and exchanges and assess their impact on societies, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Analyze patterns of cultural encounters and exchanges and assess their impact on societies, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Describe patterns of cultural encounters and exchanges and their impact on societies	Ineffectively analyze patterns of cultural encounters and exchanges and their impact on societies

Standard 8: Econo	omics: Resources, Markets, ani	OGOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the characte	ristics of various economic
systems	Descourses			
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
Limited	SS.6.8.1 Explain exchanges of sa		The student:	
RESOURCES	trans-Saharan trade routes and the	impact of these exchanges	Describes reasons societies trade	with others.
AND CHOICE				
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain the exchanges of salt,	Explain the exchanges of salt,	Explain the exchanges of salt,	Ineffectively explain exchanges
	gold, and other trade over the	gold, and other trade over the	gold, and other trade over the	of salt, gold, and other trade
	trans-Saharan trade routes and	trans-Saharan trade routes and	trans-Saharan trade routes	over the trans-Saharan trade
	assess the impact of these	explain the impact of these		routes
	exchanges	changes		
LIMITED	SS.6.8.2 Describe, in terms of op	portunity cost, why it was so	The student:	
RESOURCES	difficult for Christopher Columbu	s to find financial support for his	Explains reasons, in terms of opportunity cost, Christopher	
AND CHOICE	voyages		Columbus could not find royal su	pport in Portugal for his voyages
			and why Ferdinand and Isabella of Spain agreed to finance him.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise	Describe, with detail, and in	Describe, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively describe in terms
	detail, and in terms of	terms of opportunity cost, why	and in terms of opportunity cost,	of opportunity cost, why it was
	opportunity cost, why it was so	it was so difficult for	why it was so difficult for	so difficult for Christopher
	difficult for Christopher	Christopher Columbus to find	Christopher Columbus to find	Columbus to find financial
	Columbus to find financial	financial support for his voyages	financial support for his voyages	support for his voyages
	support for his voyages			

Standard 8: Eco systems	nomics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, AN	D GOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the characte	ristics of various economic	
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
LIMITED RESOURCES AND CHOICE	SS.6.8.3 Explain the impact of th the Indian Ocean basin from CE 5	e exchange of products throughout 500 to CE 1500	throughout the Indian Ocean Basi from China, nutmeg and mace fro pepper from India, and ivory and	e items that made their way to lands can Basin, including silk and porcelain nace from southeast Asia, cotton and ory and gold from east Africa, and is trade throughout the Indian Ocean.	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the impact of the exchange of products throughout the Indian Ocean basin from CE 500 to CE 1500	Explain, with detail, the impact of the exchange of products throughout the Indian Ocean basin from CE 500 to CE 1500	Explain, with minimal detail, the impact of the exchange of products throughout the Indian Ocean basin from CE 500 to CE 1500	Ineffectively explain the impact of the exchange of products throughout the Indian Ocean basin from CE 500 to CE 1500	

Standard 1:Histo	orical Understanding: CHANGE, COM	NTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Un	derstand change and/or continuit	ty and cause and/or effect in
history			_	-
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSE	SSMENT
HISTORICAL	SS.7HHK.1.1 Analyze both chan	ge and continuity during	The student:	
CHANGE AND	unification and the monarchy period		Compares ideas (e.g., kapu syste	em), technology (e.g., firearms,
CONTINUITY			ships), and people (foreign advi during the unification and mona importance within that time per	rchy period and justifies their
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze both change and continuity during unification and the monarchy period, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Analyze both change and continuity during unification and the monarchy period	Describe change and/or continuity during unification and the monarchy period	Recognize change and/or continuity during unification and the monarchy period

Standard 2: Histor	Standard 2: Historical Understanding: INQUIRY, EMPATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE— Use the tools and methods of inquiry, perspective, and empathy to					
explain historical	explain historical events with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own terms					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT					
	No benchmark at this level					

Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
UNIFICATION	SS.7HHK.3.1 Explain the events control), people (including Kameh Kalaniopuu, Kiwalao, Keoua, Ke Kalanikupule, Davies, and Young advisors, weaponry, and strategies Hawaiian Islands	nameha, Kekuhaupio, awemauhili, Kahekili,), and ideas (including foreign	The student: Explains the sequence of events th Hawaiian islands.	nat led to the unification of the
	RUBRIC		<u> </u>	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, people, and ideas that led to the unification of the Hawaiian Islands and elaborate on the role each had in unification	Explain, with detail, the events, people, and ideas that led to the unification of the Hawaiian Islands	Explain, with minimal detail, the events, people, and ideas that led to the unification of the Hawaiian Islands	Ineffectively explain the events, people, and ideas that led to the unification of the Hawaiian Islands
UNIFICATION	SS.7HHK.3.2 Describe the effect Islands (including establishment of Kamehameha, Mamala Hoe Kana and rebuilding of resources)	of monarchy, peaceful rule of	peaceful rule of Explains how specific changes occurred	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the effects of unification on the Hawaiian Islands	Describe, with detail, the effects of unification on the Hawaiian Islands	Describe, with minimal detail, the effects of unification on the Hawaiian Islands	Ineffectively describe the effects of unification on the Hawaiian Islands

Standard 3: Histor	y: HISTORY OF THE HAWAIIAN KI	INGDOM—Understand important	historical events in the history of	the Hawaii Kingdom
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
FOREIGNERS AND MISSIONARIES	political (including change in gov leaders), social (including the dec	came to Hawaii and explain the rennment and roles/power of line of Hawaiian population, churches/schools, and end of kapu	The student: Describes the coming of foreigner including the reasons for them con Hawaii.	
	RUBRIC		·	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, reasons foreigners came to Hawaii and the political, social, and economic impact on Hawaii	Explain, with detail, reasons foreigners came to Hawaii and the political, social, and economic impact on Hawaii	Explain, with minimal detail, reasons foreigners came to Hawaii and the political, social, and economic impact on Hawaii	Ineffectively explain reasons foreigners came to Hawaii and the political, social, and economic impact on Hawaii

Standard 3: Histo	3: History: HISTORY OF THE HAWAIIAN KINGDOM—Understand important historical events in the history of the Hawaii Kingdom				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
SUGAR AND PLANTATIONSSS.7HHK.3.4 Describe the developmen Hawaii (including the fall of whaling, de and plantations) and the economic, social had on Hawaii (including the interest of establishment of Big 5, 1848 Mahele, and laborers)		ing, demand/production of sugar, c, social, and political effects it rest of American businessmen,	The student: Explains the rise and importance economic, social, and political ef		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the development of the sugar industry in Hawaii and the economic, social, and political effects it had on Hawaii	Describe, with detail, the development of the sugar industry in Hawaii and the economic, social, and political effects it had on Hawaii	Describe, with minimal detail, the development of the sugar industry in Hawaii and/or the economic, social, and political effects it had on Hawaii	Ineffectively describe the development of the sugar industry in Hawaii and the economic, social, and political effects it had on Hawaii	

Standard 3: History: HISTORY OF THE HAWAIIAN KINGDOM—Understand important historical events in the history of				the Hawaii Kingdom
ΤΟΡΙC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
SUGAR AND	SS.7HHK.3.5 Describe the comir	ng of early immigrant groups	The student:	
PLANTATIONS	(including Chinese, Portuguese, and	nd Japanese) to Hawaii as e in the plantation system, aspects with them (including beliefs, the relationships that developed hers (including inequities on the	Explains the experiences of immi impact they had in influencing ch society.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise	Describe, with detail, the	Describe, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively describe the
	detail, the coming of early	coming of early immigrant	the coming of early immigrant	coming of early immigrant
	immigrant groups to Hawaii as	groups to Hawaii as contract	groups to Hawaii as contract	groups to Hawaii as contract
	contract laborers, their	laborers, their experience in the	laborers, their experience in the	laborers, their experience in the
	experience in the plantation	plantation system, aspects of	plantation system, aspects of	plantation system, aspects of
	system, aspects of their culture	their culture that was brought	their culture that was brought	their culture that was brought
	that was brought with them, and	with them, and the relationships	with them, and/or the	with them, and the relationships
	the relationships that developed	that developed between	relationships that developed	that developed between
	between themselves as well as others	themselves as well as others	between themselves as well as others	themselves as well as others

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
MAHELE	and the social, political, economic effect it had on native Hawaiians		The student: Explains how Hawaiians and others were impacted by the 1848 Mahele.		
	RUBRIC		l		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the Mahele of 1848, why it came about, and the social, political, economic effect it had on native Hawaiians and others	Describe, with detail, the Mahele of 1848, why it came about, and the social, political, economic effect it had on native Hawaiians and others	Describe, with minimal detail, the Mahele of 1848, why it came about, and/or the social, political, economic effect it had on native Hawaiians and others	Ineffectively describe the Mahele of 1848, why it came about, and/or the social, political, economic effect it had on native Hawaiians and others	
Overthrow	SS.7HHK.3.7 Analyze the roles of (including King David Kalakaua, Liliuokalani, Sanford B. Dole, Lorrin A. Thurston, and Minister Annexationist/Committee of Publ American businessmen) and their	Robert Wilcox, Queen Stevens) and groups (including ic Safety, Aloha Aina, and	The student: Analyzes how the Overthrow was and ideas of individuals and group		
	RUBRIC	1			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze the roles of significant individuals and groups and their involvement in the Overthrow, using compelling and relevant evidence to justify position	Analyze the roles of significant individuals and groups and their involvement in the Overthrow, using relevant evidence to justify position	Describe the roles of significant individuals and groups and their involvement in the Overthrow	Identify the significant individuals and groups that wer involved in the Overthrow	

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Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives

TOPIC	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT
	No benchmark at this level	

Standard 5: Politic	Standard 5: Political Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities					
of American citizen	of American citizens and exercise them in civic action					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT					
	No benchmark at this level					

Standard 6: Cultural Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNAMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand culture as a system of beliefs, knowledge, and practices shared					
by a group and und	by a group and understand how cultural systems change over time				
Торіс	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
	No benchmark at this level				

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Standard 7: Geography: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic representations to organize, analyze, and present information on people, places, and environments and understand the nature and interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT	
HUMAN AND	SS.7HHK.7.1 Analyze the relatio	nship between economic	The student:		
PHYSICAL	activities, their location, and the p	hysical characteristics of a given	Traces the economic growth and c	levelopment of a specific place	
CHARACTERISTICS	place (including businesses, planta	ations, and trading)	and/or urban area over time and h	ypothesizes how the location and	
IN SPATIAL TERMS			physical characteristics of place have contributed to its unique development.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze the relationship	Analyze the relationship	Explain the relationship between	Name economic activities of a	
	between economic activities,	between economic activities,	economic activities, their	given place	
	their location, and the physical	their location, and the physical	location, and the physical		
	characteristics of a given place,	characteristics of a given place,	characteristics of a given place		
	using compelling and relevant using relevant evidence to				
	evidence to justify the analysis	justify the analysis			

omics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, ANI	OGOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the characte	eristics of various economic	
BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSES	SMENT	
SS.7HHK.8.1 Explain how prices	s and products (including	The student:		
		Describes how prices and produc	ts were affected by consumers and	
between producers in Hawaii and	global buyers in this era	producers in this era.		
RUBRIC				
Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
Explain, with clear and precise detail, how prices and products	Explain, with detail, how prices and products were affected by	Explain, with minimal detail, how prices and products were	Ineffectively explain how prices and products were affected by	
	the interactions between		the interactions between	
between producers in Hawaii and global buyers	producers in Hawaii and global buyers	between producers in Hawaii and global buyers	producers in Hawaii and global buyers	
SS.7HHK.8.2 Describe how trade	between Hawaii and other	The student:		
countries is affected by regulation	S	-	or treaties (e.g., Reciprocity Treaty) United States.	
RUBRIC		I		
Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
Describe, with clear and precise	Describe, with detail, how trade	Describe, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively describe how trade	
detail, how trade between			between Hawaii and other	
Hawaii and other countries are	countries are affected by	other countries are affected by	countries are affected by	
affected by regulations	regulations	regulations	regulations	
	BENCHMARK SS.7HHK.8.1 Explain how prices sandalwood, whales, and sugar) webetween producers in Hawaii and RUBRIC Advanced Explain, with clear and precise detail, how prices and products were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyers SS.7HHK.8.2 Describe how trade countries is affected by regulation RUBRIC Advanced Describe, with clear and precise detail, how trade between HAWARED HKL8.2 BENCHMARK SS.7HHK.8.2 Describe how trade countries is affected by regulation	BENCHMARKSS.7HHK.8.1 Explain how prices and products (including sandalwood, whales, and sugar) were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyers in this eraRUBRICProficientAdvancedProficientExplain, with clear and precise detail, how prices and products were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyersExplain, with detail, how prices and products were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyersSS.7HHK.8.2 Describe how trade countries is affected by regulationsExternal other countries is affected by regulationsRUBRICAdvancedProficientDescribe, with clear and precise detail, how trade between Hawaii and other countries areDescribe, with detail, how trade between Hawaii and other countries are affected by	SS.7HHK.8.1 Explain how prices and products (including sandalwood, whales, and sugar) were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyers in this eraThe student: Describes how prices and produc producers in this era.RUBRICProficientPartially ProficientAdvancedExplain, with clear and precise detail, how prices and products were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyersExplain, with detail, how prices and products were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyersExplain, with detail, how prices and products were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyersExplain, with minimal detail, how prices and products were affected by the interactions between producers in Hawaii and global buyersThe student: Explains the effect of taxes and/co on trade between Hawaii and therSS.7HHK.8.2 Describe how trade countries is affected by regulationsProficientPartially ProficientRUBRICHawaii and other countries is affected by regulationsThe student: Explains the effect of taxes and/co on trade between Hawaii and theRUBRICHawaii and other countries are affected byDescribe, with minimal detail, how trade between Hawaii and other countries are affected by	

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 Standard 1: Historical Understanding: CHANGE, CONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Understand change and/or continuity and cause and/or effect in history

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 SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

 No benchmark at this level
 Volume
 Volume

Standard 2: Historical Understanding: INQUIRY, EMPATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE— Use the tools and methods of inquiry, perspective, and empathy to explain historical events with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own terms TOPIC BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT No benchmark at this level No benchmark at this level

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Standard 3: Histor	y: PACIFIC ISLANDS—Understand	l important historical events in th	e Pacific region	
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
EUROPEAN	SS.7PI.3.1 Explain why foreigners (including explorers, traders,		The student:	
CONTACT AND	whalers, and missionaries) came to Oceania and examine the		Explains beliefs and ideas of Europeans that led to exploration and	
COLONIZATION	resultant political (including colonization), social (including decline		colonization and the political, social, and economic impact of such	
	of population and demise of culture), and economic (including trade		exploration on Polynesia, Micronesia, and Melanesia	
	and diminishing resources) impact	t on the indigenous people		
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise	Explain, with detail, why	Explain, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively explain why
	detail, why foreigners came to	foreigners came to Oceania and	why foreigners came to	foreigners came to Oceania and
	Oceania and examine the	examine the resultant political,	Oceania and examine the	examine the resultant political,
	resultant political, social, and	social and economic impact on	resultant political, social and/or	social and/or economic impact
	economic impact on the	the indigenous people, making	economic impact on the	on the indigenous people
	indigenous people, making	connections, insights, and	indigenous people	
	significant connections, insights,	generalizations		
	and generalizations			

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Standard 3: Histo	ry: PACIFIC ISLANDS—Understand	l important historical events in th	e Pacific region	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
EUROPEAN CONTACT AND COLONIZATION	SS.7PI.3.2 Analyze conflicting b indigenous populations and the En explain the impact of those different	uropean explorers/settlers and	The student: Compares the beliefs, norms, and values of Pacific Islanders (e.g., New Guinea, Guam, Fiji, Soloman Islands, Samoa) with those of European explorers, traders, whalers, and missionaries (e.g., English, French, Dutch, German, Portuguese) and makes inferences about how these differences affected interactions between the groups.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze, using compelling evidence, conflicting beliefs, values, and norms of the indigenous populations and the European explorers/settlers and the impact of those differences	Analyze conflicting beliefs, values, and norms of the indigenous populations and the European explorers/settlers and explain the impact of those differences	Explain the beliefs, values, and norms of the indigenous populations and the European explorers/settlers	Identify the beliefs, values, and norms of the indigenous populations and the European explorers/settlers

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TOPIC	Dry: PACIFIC ISLANDS—Understand BENCHMARK	i important instoricar events in th		
GOVERNMENT	BENCHMARK SS.7PI.3.3 Trace the development/evolution of government systems in Oceania from pre-contact to present (including colonization, protectorate, trust territory, territory, commonwealth, self-governing, free-association, and independent) and explain the effects of the changes		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT The student: Describes the history of governance of the islands through different periods and identifies changes to the islands that resulted from changes in government.	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Trace the development/evolution of government systems in Oceania from pre-contact to present and evaluate the effects of the changes, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Trace the development/evolution of government systems in Oceania from pre-contact to present and explain the effects of the changes, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Trace the development/evolution of government systems in Oceania from pre-contact to present	Ineffectively trace the development/evolution of government systems in Oceania from pre-contact to present
GOVERNMENT	SS.7PI.3.4 Analyze the roles and responsibilities of contemporary governments (including monarchy, free association, trust territory and independence) in the Pacific Islands and how they are similar or different		The student: Compares the various governments experienced by many Pacific Islands, including similarities and differences in each government's roles and responsibilities.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze, using evidence, the roles and responsibilities of contemporary governments in the Pacific Islands and how they are similar or different	Analyze the roles and responsibilities of contemporary governments in the Pacific Islands and how they are similar or different	Explain the roles and responsibilities of contemporary governments in the Pacific Islands	Identify the roles and responsibilities of contemporary governments in the Pacific Islands

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Standard 3: Histor	y: PACIFIC ISLANDS—Understand	l important historical events in th	e Pacific region			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
UNITED STATES AND THE PACIFIC ISLANDS	SS.7PI.3.5 Describe the cultural and political relationship between the United States and one of the Pacific Islands, including interactions between the two		The student: Explains the interactions and changing relationships between the United States and the Pacific Islands, including nuclear testing, tourism, water rights, economic activities, and political status.			
	RUBRIC	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the cultural and political relationship between the United States and one of the Pacific Islands, including interactions between the two	Describe, with detail, the cultural and political relationship between the United States and one of the Pacific Islands, including interactions between the two	Describe, with minimal detail, the cultural and political relationship between the United States and one of the Pacific Islands, including interactions between the two	Ineffectively describe the cultural and political relationship between the United States and one of the Pacific Islands, including interactions between the two		
CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN THE PACIFIC ISLANDS	SS.7PI.3.6 Examine current issues or problems facing contemporary Polynesia, Micronesia, and Melanesia and propose solutions to them based on research		The student: Analyzes a variety of current issues facing the Pacific Island group (e.g., issues of ethnicity, tourism, health, education, economic activities and the environment, nuclear aftermath) and suggests possible solutions based on research.			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Examine current issues or problems facing contemporary Polynesia, Micronesia, and Melanesia and propose relevant an insightful solutions based on research	Examine current issues or problems facing contemporary Polynesia, Micronesia, and Melanesia and propose relevant solutions based on research	Examine current issues or problems facing contemporary Polynesia, Micronesia, and Melanesia and propose irrelevant solutions	List current issues or problems facing contemporary Polynesia, Micronesia, and Melanesia		

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 Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives

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TOPIC	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT
	No benchmark at this level	

Standard 5: Political Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities				
of American citizen	of American citizens and exercise them in civic action			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
	No benchmark at this level			

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TOPIC	derstand how cultural systems change over time BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CULTURAL DIVERSITY AND UNITY	SS.7PI.6.1 Compare conditions and motivations that contribute to conflict, cooperation, or interdependence among the islands of Polynesia, Micronesia, and Melanesia or between the islands and the United States		The student: Investigates economic, social, political, or military conditions that have contributed to conflict, cooperation, and interdependence among the Pacific Islands and/or the United States.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare conditions and	Compare conditions and	Explain conditions and	Name conditions and
	motivations that contribute to	motivations that contribute to	motivations that contribute to	motivations that contribute to
	conflict, cooperation, or	conflict, cooperation, or	conflict, cooperation, or	conflict, cooperation, or
	interdependence among the	interdependence among the	interdependence among the	interdependence among the
	islands of Polynesia,	islands of Polynesia,	islands of Polynesia,	islands of Polynesia,
	Micronesia, and Melanesia or	Micronesia, and Melanesia or	Micronesia, and Melanesia or	Micronesia, and Melanesia or
	between the islands and the	between the islands and the	between the islands and the	between the islands and the
	United States, making	United States, making	United States	United States
	significant connections, insights,	connections, insights, and		
	and generalizations	generalizations		

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		-Use geographic representation		t information on people, places,
and environments a TOPIC	and understand the nature and in BENCHMARK	teraction of geographic regions a	nd societies around the world SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
WORLD IN Spatial Terms	SS.7PI.7.1 Use geographic representations such as maps or models to explain population distribution and the physical and human characteristics of places in Oceania, including landforms, natural resources, climate, river, lakes, bridges, dams, roads, and buildings		The student: Explains whether or not a pattern and settlement to the physical and in Oceania.	exists when comparing population human characteristics of a place
	RUBRIC	-	·	1
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Use geographic representations such as maps or models to explain population distribution and the physical and human characteristics of places in Oceania, drawing significant conclusions about them, with accuracy	Use geographic representations such as maps or models to explain population distribution and the physical and human characteristics of places in Oceania, drawing conclusions about them, with no significant errors	Use geographic representations such as maps or models to explain population distribution and the physical and human characteristics of places in Oceania, drawing conclusions about them, with a few significant errors	Use geographic representations such as maps or models to explain population distribution and the physical and human characteristics of places in Oceania, drawing conclusions about them, with many significant errors
HUMAN AND PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS IN SPATIAL TERMS	SS.7PI.7.2 Describe demographi places	c patterns and how they affect	The student: Explains how demographics (e.g. growth) can be used to understand difficulty of obtaining this data in Melanesia.	l changes in society, and the
	RUBRIC		-	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how demographic patterns affect places	Describe, with detail, how demographic patterns affect places	Describe, with minimal detail, how demographic patterns affect places	Ineffectively describe how demographic patterns affect places

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			s to organize, analyze, and presen	t information on people, places,
	and understand the nature and in	teraction of geographic regions a		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
HUMAN AND	SS.7PI.7.3 Analyze important eco	onomic activities and explain the	The student:	
PHYSICAL	relationship between these activiti	ies and the physical (including	Analyzes the relationship between	economic activities, their
CHARACTERISTICS	natural resources, land forms, and	waterways) and human	location, and the physical and hun	nan characteristics of a given
IN SPATIAL TERMS	(including bridges, canals, and roads) characteristics of places in		place in Polynesia, Micronesia, an	d Melanesia.
	Oceania	· · · · ·		
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare important economic	Analyze important economic	Name important economic	Recognize important economic
	activities and explain the	activities and explain the	activities and explain the	activities and ineffectively
	relationship between these	relationship between these	relationship between these	explain the relationship between
	activities and the physical and	activities and the physical and	activities and the physical and/or	these activities and the physical
	human characteristics of places	human characteristics of places	human characteristics of places	and/or human characteristics of
	in Oceania, making significant	in Oceania	in Oceania	places in Oceania
	connections, insights, and			*
	generalizations			

Standard 8: Economics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, AND GOVERNMENT—Understand economic concepts and the characteristics of various economic				
systems				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
	No benchmark at this level			

Standard 1: Histor	Standard 1: Historical Understanding: CHANGE, CONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Understand change and/or continuity and cause and/or effect in				
history	history				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
	No benchmark at this level				

	rical Understanding: INQUIRY, EM events with multiple interpretation			perspective, and empathy to
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
HISTORICAL SOURCES	SS.8.2.1 Differentiate between primary and secondary sources, understanding the potential and limitations of each		The student: Determines the advantages and di (e.g., first-hand account, but it is (e.g., information synthesized by perspective).	subjective) and secondary sources
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze primary and secondary sources, describing, with clear and precise detail, the potential and limitations of each	Differentiate between primary and secondary sources, describing the potential and limitations of each	Explain the difference between primary and secondary sources	Recognize examples of primary and secondary sources

		PATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE— Use the stand judge the past on its own te	the tools and methods of inquiry, erms	perspective, and empathy to
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVES AND INTERPRETATIONS	AND perspectives of the same historical event and multiple E interpretations should be considered in order to avoid historical in		The student: Explains how different perspectiv interpretations (e.g., the difference War Between the States," and the	e between "The Civil War," "The
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, using relevant and insightful examples, why different people may have different perspectives of the same historical event and multiple interpretations should be considered in order to avoid historical linearity and inevitability	Describe, using relevant examples, why different people may have different perspectives of the same historical event and multiple interpretations should be considered in order to avoid historical linearity and inevitability	Describe, using weakly connected examples, why different people may have different perspectives of the same historical event and multiple interpretations should be considered in order to avoid historical linearity and inevitability	Ineffectively describe why different people may have different perspectives of the same historical event and multiple interpretations should be considered in order to avoid historical linearity and inevitability

	y: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un		ents in the Post-Revolutionary wa	r through Reconstruction era
(including Second	Great Awakening and westward e	expansion)		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
THE CONSTITUTION	SS.8.3.1 Explain the problems of the national government under the Articles of Confederation that led to the Constitutional Convention of 1787		The student: Describes why the Articles of Confederation created a weak central government (e.g., inability to tax and the lack of an executive branch) and led to calls for amending the Articles.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the problems of the national government under the Articles of Confederation that led to the Constitutional Convention of 1787	Explain the problems of the national government under the Articles of Confederation that led to the Constitutional Convention of 1787	Describe the problems of the national government under the Articles of Confederation that led to the Constitutional Convention of 1787	Recognize the problems of the national government under the Articles of Confederation that led to the Constitutional Convention of 1787
THE CONSTITUTION	SS.8.3.2 Describe the controversi small states and slavery) and the c (including the Great Compromise Compromise) at the Constitutional	compromises that resolved them and the Three-Fifths	The student: Explains why controversies arose compromises at the Constitutiona	•
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe the controversies and the compromises that resolved them at the Constitutional Convention, with accuracy	Describe the controversies and the compromises that resolved them at the Constitutional Convention, with no significant errors	Describe the controversies and the compromises that resolved them at the Constitutional Convention, with a few significant errors	Describe the controversies and/or the compromises that resolved them at the Constitutional Convention, with many significant errors

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
The	SS.8.3.3 Describe the ideas and p	rinciples (including checks and	The student:	
CONSTITUTION	balances, separation of powers, representative democracy) of the Constitution		Identifies the ideas and principles specific example of how one bran powers of another branch (e.g., ve	ch of government can check the
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the ideas and principles of the Constitution	Describe, with detail, the ideas and principles of the Constitution	Describe, with minimal detail, the ideas and principles of the Constitution	Ineffectively describe the ideas and principles of the Constitution
THE CONSTITUTION	SS.8.3.4 Explain the controversies over the ratification of the Constitution		The student: Describes the reasons given by the ratification (e.g., the need for a str reasons given by the Anti-federali strong central government).	rong central government) and
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise	Explain, with detail, the	Explain, with minimal detail, the	Ineffectively explain the
	detail, the controversies over the	controversies over the	controversies over the	controversies over the
	ratification of the Constitution	ratification of the Constitution	ratification of the Constitution	ratification of the Constitution

	y: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un		ents in the Post-Revolutionary wa	r through Reconstruction era
(including Second C TOPIC	Great Awakening and westward e BENCHMARK	xpansion)	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
EARLY AMERICAN SOCIETY	SS.8.3.5 Explain how the Bill of Rights places limitations on the federal government		The student: Describes how limitations placed on government by the Bill of Rights secure individual liberties (e.g., free speech, religious liberties, rights of the accused).	
	RUBRIC			I
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how the Bill of Rights places limitations on the federal government	Explain, with detail, how the Bill of Rights places limitations on the federal government	Explain, with minimal detail, how the Bill of Rights places limitations on the federal government	Ineffectively explain how the Bill of Rights places limitations on the federal government
EARLY GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES	SS.8.3.6 Describe the emergence (including Washington's farewell		The student: Explains why, in spite of Washing factions in his farewell address, a election of 1800 and manifested i Acts.	two-party system emerged by the
	RUBRIC		_1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the emergence of the two	Describe, with detail, the emergence of the two party	Describe, with minimal detail, the emergence of the two party	Ineffectively describe the emergence of the two party
	party system	system	system	system

	y: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un Great Awakening and westward e	-	nts in the Post-Revolutionary wa	r through Reconstruction era
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
EARLY GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES	SS.8.3.7 Describe significant events and changes associated with		The student: Explains the reasons Andrew Jackson ordered the Indian removal.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze significant events and changes associated with Andrew Jackson's presidency	Describe significant events and changes associated with Andrew Jackson's presidency	Identify significant events and changes associated with Andrew Jackson's presidency	Identify, with assistance, significant events and changes associated with Andrew Jackson's presidency
EARLY AMERICAN SOCIETY	SS.8.3.8 Examine the impact of the Seneca Falls Convention and major abolitionists, including Frederick Douglass and William Lloyd Garrison		The student: Analyzes how the reform movements of the first half of the 19 th century (i.e. abolitionism and women's movement) affected American society.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine the impact of the Seneca Falls Convention and major abolitionists, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Examine the impact of the Seneca Falls Convention and major abolitionists, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Describe the impact of the Seneca Falls Convention and major abolitionists	Ineffectively describe the impact of the Seneca Falls Convention and major abolitionists

(including Second	Great Awakening and westward e	xpansion)			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
EARLY AMERICAN SOCIETY	SS.8.3.9 Describe how the development of technology in the first half of the 19 th century had an impact on American life		The student: Explains how the steamboat, cotto the growth of the economy and in people.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how the development of technology in the first half of the 19 th century had an impact on American life	Describe, with detail, how the development of technology in the first half of the 19 th century had an impact on American life	Describe, with minimal detail, how the development of technology in the first half of the 19 th century had an impact on American life	Ineffectively describe how the development of technology in the first half of the 19 th century had an impact on American life	
WESTWARD EXPANSION	SS.8.3.10 Examine how and why the United States became a continental nation through westward expansion		The student: Analyzes how certain ideas and events contributed to Westward Expansion (e.g., the Louisiana Purchase, Indian removals, and the Mexican American War).		
	RUBRIC		1		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze how and why the United States became a continental nation through westward expansion	Explain how and why the United States became a continental nation through westward expansion	Name events that led to the United States becoming a continental nation through westward expansion	Recognize examples of events that led to the United States becoming a continental nation through westward expansion	

Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
ANTEBELLUM AMERICA	SS. 8.3.11 Explain the sectionalism that emerged in the first half of the 19 th century		The student: Describes how slavery and tariffs northern and southern states.	increased tensions between
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the sectionalism that emerged in the first half of the 19 th century	Explain, with detail, the sectionalism that emerged in the first half of the 19 th century	Explain, with minimal detail, the sectionalism that emerged in the first half of the 19 th century	Ineffectively explain the sectionalism that emerged in the first half of the 19 th century
CIVIL WAR	SS.8.3.12 Explain how the key issues and events after the Mexican War relate to the outbreak of the Civil War		The student: Describes how issues and events such as slavery in the territories, the fugitive slave law, "Bleeding Kansas," the Dred Scott decision, the election of 1860, and the secession crisis led to the Civil War.	
	RUBRIC		l	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare how the key issues and events after the Mexican War relate to the outbreak of the Civil War, making significant connections, insights, and generalizationsExplain how the key issues and events after the Mexican War relate to the outbreak of the Civil War		Name the key issues and events after the Mexican War that relate to the outbreak of the Civil War	Recognize examples of the key issues and events after the Mexican War that relate to the outbreak of the Civil War

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CIVIL WAR	SS.8.3.13 Explain the major factor the Civil War (including leaders, n	ors that determined the outcome of resources, and key battles)	The student: Describes leaders (e.g., Lincoln, Grant, Jackson, and Lee), resources, (e.g., population and industrial capacity), and key battle (Antietam, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg) and the role they played the Civil War.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare the major factors that determined the outcome of the Civil War	Explain the major factors that determined the outcome of the Civil War	Name the major factors that determined the outcome of the Civil War	Recognize the major factors that determined the outcome of the Civil War
RECONSTRUCTION	SS.8.3.14 Analyze the Reconstruction plan of President Lincoln and that of the congressional Republicans		The student: Compares Lincoln's conciliatory policy for readmitting the former Confederate states into the Union with that of the more punitive plan of congressional Republicans.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the Reconstruction plan of President Lincoln and that of the congressional Republicans, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions about each	Analyze the Reconstruction plan of President Lincoln and that of the congressional Republicans, drawing relevant conclusions about each	Explain the Reconstruction plan of President Lincoln and that of the congressional Republicans	Ineffectively explain the Reconstruction plan of President Lincoln and that of the congressional Republicans

	y: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un Great Awakening and westward e	-	ents in the Post-Revolutionary wa	through Reconstruction era
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
RECONSTRUCTION	SS.8.3.15 Explain the impact of t Americans	he Civil War on African	The student: Describes how the lives of African American were affected by constitutional amendments (e.g., 13 th , 14 th , 15 th) and the actions of southern whites. (e.g., Black Codes, the Ku Klux Klan, and Jim Crow laws).	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Assess the impact of the Civil War on African Americans, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Explain the impact of the Civil War on African Americans, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Describe the impact of the Civil War on African Americans	Ineffectively describe the impact of the Civil War on African Americans

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Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT BENCHMARK SS.8.4.1 Describe the purpose and structures of the three branches GOVERNANCE. The student: POWER AND of the federal government Identifies the main functions (e.g., legislative, executive, and judicial) and structures (e.g., two houses of Congress, president and **AUTHORITY** Executive departments, and levels of courts) of the three branches. **RUBRIC** Advanced Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Describe, with detail, the Describe, with minimal detail. Ineffectively describe the Describe, with clear and precise detail, the purpose and purpose and structures of the the purpose and structures of the purpose and structures of the structures of the three branches three branches of the federal three branches of the federal three branches of the federal of the federal government government government government SS.8.4.2 Explain United States foreign policy as reflected in the The student: GLOBAL Monroe Doctrine Describes how the United States enforced the Monroe Doctrine COOPERATION. (e.g., French intervention in Mexico in the 1860's). CONFLICT, AND INTERDEPENDENCE **RUBRIC Partially Proficient** Advanced Proficient Novice Analyze United States foreign Explain United States foreign Describe United States foreign Ineffectively describe United policy as reflected in the policy as reflected in the policy as reflected in the States foreign policy as reflected Monroe Doctrine, making Monroe Doctrine, making Monroe Doctrine in the Monroe Doctrine significant connections, insights connections, insights and and generalizations generalizations

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Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT BENCHMARK SS.8.4.3 Describe the influences of America on other nations The student: GLOBAL and/or organizations and vice versa (including French and Spanish Explains how America's influence on other nations and their COOPERATION. interests at the start of the Lewis and Clark Expedition and the influence on America affected specific events during the westward CONFLICT. AND

INTERDEPENDENCE	impact of the Indian removals)		expansion.	Ũ		
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Describe, with clear and precise	Describe, with detail, the	Describe, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively describe the		
	detail, the influences of America	influences of America on other	the influences of America on	influences of America on other		
	on other nations and/or	nations and/or organizations and	other nations and/or	nations and/or organizations and		
	organizations and vice versa	vice versa	organizations and vice versa	vice versa		

	al Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION as and exercise them in civic actio		roles, rights (personal, economic,	political), and responsibilities
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
CITIZENSHIP AND PARTICIPATION				
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the responsibilities of citizens in a representative democracy	Explain, with detail, the responsibilities of citizens in a representative democracy	Explain, with minimal detail, the responsibilities of citizens in a representative democracy	Ineffectively explain the responsibilities of citizens in a representative democracy

Standard 6: Cultur	Standard 6: Cultural Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNAMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand culture as a system of beliefs, knowledge, and practices shared					
by a group and und	by a group and understand how cultural systems change over time					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT					
	No benchmark at this level					

Standard 7: Geogra	Standard 7: Geography: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic representations to organize, analyze, and present information on people, places,					
and environments a	and environments and understand the nature and interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT					
	No benchmark at this level					

	nomics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, AND	GOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the characte	ristics of various economic
systems TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
LIMITED RESOURCES AND CHOICE	SS.8.8.1 Explain productivity in t machine, or unit of land, and its et 18 th and/or 19 th century America		The student: Describes how an invention during the 18 th or 19 th century increase productivity and had an impact on the standard of living in the United States (e.g., McCormick reaper on farming).	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, productivity and its effects on standards of living in 18 th and/or 19 th century America	Explain, with detail, productivity and its effects on standards of living in 18 th and/or 19 th century America	Explain, with minimal detail, productivity and its effects on standards of living in 18 th and/or 19 th century America	Ineffectively explain productivity and its effects on standards of living in 18 th and/or 19 th century America
ROLE AND FUNCTION OF MARKETS	SS.8.8.2 Describe the factors that consumption decisions in a marke		The student: Explains how the revolution in the the increase of cotton production	•
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with accuracy, the factors that influence production and consumption decisions in a market system	Describe, with no significant errors, the factors that influence production and consumption decisions in a market system	Describe, with a few significant errors, the factors that influence production and consumption decisions in a market system	Describe, with many significant errors, the factors that influence production and consumption decisions in a market system

Standard 1: His	torical Understanding: CHANGE, CO	ONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Und	lerstand change and/or continuity	y and cause and/or effect in
history TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
CAUSE AND EFFECT IN HISTORY		ple social, political, and economic odern Hawaii	 The student: Explains the multiple causes of escalating prices in goods and services in the islands and the resultant social, economic, and political effects. 	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the multiple social, political, and economic causes and effects of change in modern Hawaii, making significant connections, insights, generalizations, and predictions	Describe, with detail, the multiple social, political, and economic causes and effects of change in modern Hawaii	Describe, with minimal detail, the multiple social, political, and economic causes and effects of change in modern Hawaii	Ineffectively describe the multiple social, political, and economic causes and effects of change in modern Hawaii

Standard 2: Historical Understanding: INQUIRY, EMPATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE— Use the tools and methods of inquiry, perspective, and empathy to explain historical events with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own terms					
Торіс	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
	No benchmark at this level				

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
THE OVERTHROW	SS.9MHH.3.1 Explain the politic the Overthrow, including the Mah Bayonet Constitution	al, social, and economic causes of ele, Reciprocity Treaty, and the	of The student: Describes the various causes of the Overthrow.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the political, social, and economic causes of the Overthrow	Explain, with detail, the political, social, and economic causes of the Overthrow	Explain, with minimal detail, the political, social, and economic causes of the Overthrow	Ineffectively explain the political, social, and economic causes of the Overthrow
THE OVERTHROW	SS.9MHH.3.2 Describe the role of the United States government in		The student:	
	the Overthrow, including the various United States administrations and Minister John Stevens		Uses chronology to describe the United States involvement leading up to, during, and immediately after the Overthrow.	
	RUBRIC		I	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the role of the United States government in the Overthrow	Describe, with detail, the role of the United States government in the Overthrow	Describe, with minimal detail, the role of the United States government in the Overthrow	Ineffectively describe the role of the United States government in the Overthrow

Standard 3: Histor	y: Modern Hawaiian History–	–Understand important historica	l events in Modern Hawaiian His	story	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
THE OVERTHROW	SS.9MHH.3.3 Explain the events Overthrow, beginning with the for Liliuokalani's attempts to change abdication from the throne	reign movement against Kalakaua,			
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze the events and turning points of the Overthrow, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Explain the events and turning points of the Overthrow	Describe the events and turning points of the Overthrow	Name the events and/or turning points of the Overthrow	
THE OVERTHROW	SS.9MHH.3.4 Explain the political, social, and economic effects of the Overthrow, including U.S. military presence, the Organic Act, the Territorial government, and Statehood		The student: Explains the short- and long-term effects of the Overthrow.		
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	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze the political, social, and economic effects of the Overthrow, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Explain the political, social, and economic effects of the Overthrow	Describe the political, social, and/or economic effects of the Overthrow	Name the political, social, and/or economic effects of the Overthrow	

ΤΟΡΙΟ	bry: Modern Hawaiian History- Benchmark	*	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSES	•
PLANTATIONS: 1900-1970	SS.9MHH.3.5 Describe the politi of the plantation system on life in the evolution of Hawaii pidgin En establishment of labor unions	Hawaii, including ethnic tension,	The student:	tion system and the interaction of
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the political, social and economic effects of the plantation system on life in Hawaii	Describe, with detail, the political, social and economic effects of the plantation system on life in Hawaii	Describe, with minimal detail, the political, social and economic effects of the plantation system on life in Hawaii	Ineffectively describe the political, social and economic effects of the plantation system on life in Hawaii
Plantations: 1900-1970	SS.9MHH.3.6 Examine and explain features of plantation life in Hawaii in the 20 th century, including contract labor and the perquisite system		The student: Analyzes an average day in the life of a plantation worker in the early 20 th century revealing the rules, rights, responsibilities of the common laborer.	
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	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine and explain features of plantation life in Hawaii in the 20 th century, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Examine and explain features of plantation life in Hawaii in the 20 th century	Examine and describe features of plantation life in Hawaii in the 20 th century	Ineffectively examine and/or describe features of plantation life in Hawaii in the 20 th century

Торіс	BENCHMARK	-	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
WORLD WAR II: PEARL HARBOR	Harbor and describe its effects in Hawaii, such as the role of the		The student: Explains the effects of the bombing of Pearl Harbor, using primary sources.		
	RUBRIC	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Identify events leading to the bombing of Pearl Harbor and describe, with clear and precise detail, its effects in Hawaii	Identify events leading to the bombing of Pearl Harbor and describe, with detail, its effects in Hawaii	Identify events leading to the bombing of Pearl Harbor and/or describe, with minimal detail, its effects in Hawaii	Inaccurately identify events leading to the bombing of Pearl Harbor and/or ineffectively describe, its effects in Hawaii	
CONTEMPORARY PEOPLE, ISSUES, AND EVENTS	SS.9MHH.3.8 Trace the development of the platforms of political parties after World War II to the present		The student: Compares the philosophies and platform of the Labor, Veteran, and Democratic parties after World War II with the philosophies and platforms of the Republican and Democratic parties in present day.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Trace the development of the platforms of political parties after World War II to the present and evaluate the impact of these political platforms on present political/social issuesTrace the development of the platforms of political parties after World War II to the present		Explain the platforms of political parties after World War II to the present	Identify the platforms of political parties after World War II to the present	

Standard 3: Histor	y: Modern Hawaiian History-		al events in Modern Hawaiian Hi	story
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CONTEMPORARY PEOPLE, ISSUES, AND EVENTS	SS.9MHH.3.9 Analyze significant contemporary issues that influence present day Hawaii, such as the Hawaiian Renaissance, the sovereignty movement, current land issues, and the influx of new immigrant groups		The student: Evaluates, takes, and defends a position on significant contemporary people, issues, or events that influence present-day Hawaii.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze significant contemporary issues that influence present day Hawaii, effectively addressing complex issues	Analyze significant contemporary issues that influence present day Hawaii	Explain significant contemporary issues that influence present day Hawaii	Identify significant contemporary issues that influence present day Hawaii

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Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT SS.9MHH.4.1 Explain how governments acquire, use, and justify GOVERNANCE, The student: POWER AND power, including how limited governments differ from unlimited Explains whether, based on the laws, treaties, and official documents related to the Overthrow of the monarchy, any U.S. or AUTHORITY ones Hawaii actions broke any national or international laws of the time period, and explains how the U.S. acquired, used, and justified its use of power. **RUBRIC** Advanced Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Explain how governments Explain how governments Explain how governments Recognize that governments acquire, use, and justify power, acquire, use, and justify power, acquire, use, and justify power, acquire, use, and justify their including how limited including how limited or explain how limited power differently governments differ from governments differ from governments differ from unlimited ones, and make and unlimited ones, and make and unlimited ones defend generalizations and defend generalizations and inferences with compelling inferences explanations, reasons, or evidence

Standard 5: Political Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities					
of American citizen	of American citizens and exercise them in civic action				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
	No benchmark at this level				

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Standard 6: Cultural Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNAMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand culture as a system of beliefs, knowledge, and practices shared					
by a group and understand how cultural systems change over time					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
	No benchmark at this level				

Standard 7: Geography: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic representations to organize, analyze, and present information on people, places,					
and environments a	and environments and understand the nature and interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
	No benchmark at this level				

Standard 8: Economics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, AND GOVERNMENT—Understand economic concepts and the characteristics of various economic					
systems					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
	No benchmark at this level				

Grade 9

Participation in a Democracy

 Standard 1: Historical Understanding: CHANGE, CONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Understand change and/or continuity and cause and/or effect in history

 TOPIC
 BENCHMARK
 SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

 No benchmark at this level
 No benchmark at this level

	Standard 2: Historical Understanding: INQUIRY, EMPATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE— Use the tools and methods of inquiry, perspective, and empathy to explain historical events with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own terms				
Торіс	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
	No benchmark at this level				

	y: PARTICIPATION IN A DEMOCRA	CY—Understand important histo	prical events and ideas related to t	he development of civics and
political science	DENOMICARY			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
Enlightenment	the American political system		The student:	
			Explains how the Enlightenment i	deas of natural rights, limited
			government, separation of powers, and social contract are expressed in the Declaration of Independence and/or the American	
			Constitution.	
			Constitution.	
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	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise	Describe, with detail, how ideas	Describe, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively describe how ideas
	detail, how ideas of the	of the Enlightenment influenced	how ideas of the Enlightenment	of the Enlightenment influenced
	Enlightenment influenced the	the American political system	influenced the American	the American political system
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Standard 3: Histor political science	ry: PARTICIPATION IN A DEMOCRA	CY—Understand important histo	orical events and ideas related to t	the development of civics and
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
Early Historical Events	SS.9PD.3.2 Describe how historical events and ideas have influenced American constitutional democracy		The student: Explains how classical republicanism, the Magna Carta, the English Bill of Rights, and the Declaration of Independence influenced American constitutional democracy.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how historical events and ideas have influenced American constitutional democracy	Describe, with detail, how historical events and ideas have influenced American constitutional democracy	Describe, with minimal detail, how historical events and ideas have influenced American constitutional democracy	Ineffectively describe how historical events and ideas have influenced American constitutional democracy
HISTORICAL CHALLENGES TO THE CONSTITUTION	SS.9PD.3.3 Describe how historical challenges to the Constitution over time have resulted in new interpretations of free speech, free press, privacy, civil rights, and voting rights		The student: Explains how the Supreme Court interpreted free speech, free, press, civil rights, and the right to vote, over time.	
	RUBRIC		•	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how historical challenges to the Constitution over time have resulted in new interpretations of free speech, free press, privacy, civil rights, and voting rights	Describe, with detail, how historical challenges to the Constitution over time have resulted in new interpretations of free speech, free press, privacy, civil rights, and voting rights	Describe, with minimal detail, how historical challenges to the Constitution over time have resulted in new interpretations of free speech, free press, privacy, civil rights, and voting rights	Ineffectively describe how historical challenges to the Constitution over time have resulted in new interpretations of free speech, free press, privacy, civil rights, and voting rights

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Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT SS.9PD.4.1 Explain how governments derive authority The student: POLITICAL Chooses an example of government action and describes the basis INSTITUTIONS: of the government's authority to act (e.g., Constitution, Divine law, GOVERNANCE, international law, military strength, rule of law). POWER, AND AUTHORITY **RUBRIC Partially Proficient** Advanced Proficient Novice Explain how governments Name sources of government Recognize that governments Compare the ways in which governments derive authority derive authority authority have authority SS.9PD.4.2 Describe how the American Constitution embodies the POLITICAL The student: INSTITUTIONS: principles of rule of law, popular sovereignty, separation of powers, Provides specific examples of constitutional principles embodied by checks and balances, and limited government the Constitution and explains them. GOVERNANCE. POWER, AND **AUTHORITY RUBRIC** Advanced Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Describe, with clear and precise Describe, with detail, how the Describe, with minimal detail. Ineffectively describe how the detail, how the American American Constitution how the American Constitution American Constitution Constitution embodies the embodies the principles of rule embodies the principles of rule embodies the principles of rule principles of rule of law, popular of law, popular sovereignty, of law, popular sovereignty, of law, popular sovereignty, sovereignty, separation of separation of powers, checks separation of powers, checks separation of powers, checks powers, checks and balances, and balances, and limited and balances, and limited and balances, and limited and limited government government government government

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Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives TOPIC SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT BENCHMARK SS.9PD.4.3 Assess the extent to which the American values of POLITICAL The student: common good, equality of opportunity, and individual rights have Assesses whether efforts to reduce discrepancies between American INSTITUTIONS: GOVERNANCE, been realized values and reality have been successful. POWER, AND AUTHORITY **RUBRIC** Advanced Proficient **Partially Proficient** Novice Assess the extent to which the Assess the extent to which the Explain American values of Recognize American values of common good, equality of common good, equality of American values of common American values of common good, equality of opportunity, opportunity, and individual opportunity, and individual good, equality of opportunity, and individual rights have been and individual rights have been rights rights realized, taking a position or realized making a claim and defending it with explanations, reasons, or evidence

			roles, rights (personal, economic,	political), and responsibilities	
	ns and exercise them in civic actio	n			
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES	SS.9PD.5.1 Explain the rights, duties, and responsibilities of citizens in a democracy and the relationship between them		The student: Describes how paying taxes, servi	ing on a jury and voting	
OF CITIZENS	chizens in a democracy and the re	elationship between them	contribute to the common good.	ing on a jury, and voting	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise	Explain, with detail, the rights,	Explain, with minimal detail, the	Ineffectively explain the rights,	
	detail, the rights, duties, and	duties, and responsibilities of	rights, duties, and	duties, and responsibilities of	
	responsibilities of citizens in a democracy and elaborate on the	citizens in a democracy and the relationship between them	responsibilities of citizens in a democracy and/or the	citizens in a democracy and the relationship between them	
	relationship between them	Telatonship between them	relationship between them	relationship between them	
CITIZENSHIP	SS.9PD.5.2 Investigate how citiz	ens can monitor and advocate for	The student:		
PARTICIPATION	a local, state, or national issue		Formulates a plan to advocate for (e.g., attend public hearings, write letters) and monitor (e.g., follow the issue in the media, track a bill as it goes through the legislative process) an issue of personal concern.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Investigate how citizens can	Investigate how citizens can	Investigate how citizens can	Ineffectively investigate how	
	monitor and advocate for a	monitor and advocate for a	monitor or advocate for a local,	citizens can monitor and/or	
	local, state, or national issue,	local, state, or national issue	state, or national issue	advocate for a local, state, or	
	extending investigation into relevant courses of practical			national issue	
	action				

Standard 5: Politi	cal Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION	AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand	roles, rights (personal, economic,	political), and responsibilities
of American citize	ens and exercise them in civic action	n		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CITIZENSHIP PARTICIPATION	based upon the philosophy, platform, and support base		The student: Compares the major political parties based upon the philosophy, platform, and support base.	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the characteristics of major political parties based upon the philosophy, platform, and support base, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Compare the characteristics of major political parties based upon the philosophy, platform, and support base	Describe the characteristics of major political parties based upon the philosophy, platform, and/or support base	Ineffectively describe the characteristics of major political parties based upon the philosophy, platform, and/or support base
CITIZENSHIP PARTICIPATION	SS.9PD.5.4 Explain the role of a citizen in the electoral process		The student: Describes how a citizen can demonstrate his/her roles in the political process as a voter, a candidate, and/or a political party member.	
	RUBRIC		•	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the role of a citizen in the electoral process	Explain, with detail, the role of a citizen in the electoral process	Explain, with minimal detail, the role of a citizen in the electoral process	Ineffectively explain the role of a citizen in the electoral process

	al Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION ns and exercise them in civic action		roles, rights (personal, economic,	political), and responsibilities
Торіс			SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
CITIZENSHIP PARTICIPATION	SS.9PD.5.5 Demonstrate the role of a citizen in civic action by selecting a problem, gathering information, proposing a solution, creating an action plan, and showing evidence of implementation		The student: Evaluates the results of a civic action taken to address a school, local, state, national, or global issue/problem.	
	RUBRIC Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Demonstrate the role of a citizen in civic action by selecting a significant problem, gathering relevant information, proposing an insightful solution, creating a clear and detailed action plan, and showing substantial evidence of implementation	Demonstrate the role of a citizen in civic action, by selecting a problem, gathering information, proposing a solution, creating an action plan, and showing evidence of implementation	Demonstrate the role of a citizen in civic action by selecting a problem, gathering information, proposing a solution, and creating an action plan	Ineffectively demonstrate the role of a citizen in civic action, as multiple aspects of the process are missing

Standard 6: Cultural Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNAMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand culture as a system of beliefs, knowledge, and practices shared			
by a group and understand how cultural systems change over time			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
	No benchmark at this level		

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Standard 7: Geography: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic representations to organize, analyze, and present information on people, places,				
and environments and understand the nature and interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
	No benchmark at this level			

systems TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
ECONOMIC ROLE OF GOVERNMENT	BENCHMARK SS.9PD.8.1 Describe the economic functions of government, including providing public goods and services, maintaining competition, redistributing income, correcting for externalities, and stabilizing the economy		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT The student: Explains how the government affects the economic well-being of its citizens (e.g., identify a local assistance program that receives government funding. Explain why the government funds it, where the money comes from, and who benefits from the program).	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the economic functions of government	Describe, with detail, the economic functions of government	Describe, with minimal detail, the economic functions of government	Ineffectively describe the economic functions of government

Standard 8: Econo	mics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, ANI	O GOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the charact	eristics of various economic	
systems	1		1		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
ECONOMIC ROLE OF GOVERNMENT	SS.9PD.8.2 Explain how people, individually and collectively, participate in the U.S. economy		The student: Describes the various roles of an individual in the U.S. economy (e.g., consumer, voter, investor, worker, employer, policymaker).		
l	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how people, individually and collectively, participate in the U.S. economy	Explain, with detail, how people, individually and collectively, participate in the U.S. economy	Explain, with minimal detail, how people, individually and collectively, participate in the U.S. economy	Ineffectively explain how people, individually and collectively, participate in the U.S. economy	
UNITED STATES IN THE WORLD ECONOMY	SS.9PD.8.3 Evaluate the degree to which the United States affects and is affected by international economic policies		The student: Evaluates, takes, and defends a position related to U.S. economic policy (e.g. free trade, impact of regulation, U.S. protectionism, multi-national corporations) in light of American economic interests.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Evaluate the degree to which the United States affects and is affected by international economic policies, using compelling evidence to back evaluation	Evaluate the degree to which the United States affects and is affected by international economic policies	Explain the ways in which the United States affects and is affected by international economic policies	Name ways in which the United States affects and is affected by international economic policies	

Standard 1: Historical Understanding: CHANGE, CONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Understand change and/or continuity and cause and/or effect in				
history				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
	No content for this course			

	orical Understanding: INQUIRY, EM l events with multiple interpretatio			y, perspective, and empathy to	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
Historical Empathy	6 1		The student: Compares the internal security measures adopted by the United States government after 9/11 with the measures taken after the attack on Pearl Harbor.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Use detailed knowledge of historical periods and specific evidence to analyze contemporary issues and decisions	Use knowledge of historical periods to assess contemporary issues and decisions	Use minimal knowledge of historical periods to explain contemporary issues and decisions	Identify contemporary issues and decisions	

	torical Understanding: INQUIRY, EM I events with multiple interpretation			, perspective, and empathy to
Торіс	BENCHMARK	9 3 1	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
HISTORICAL INQUIRY	SS.10.2.2 Determine the relevance of sources and assess their credibility		The student: Distinguishes information that is incidental to research and examin reliability based on the criteria of	
	RUBRIC	-		-
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Determine the relevance of sources and assess their credibility, with clear and precise detail	Determine the relevance of sources and assess their credibility, with detail	Determine the relevance of sources and assess their credibility, with minimal detail	Ineffectively determine the relevance and credibility of sources
HISTORICAL INQUIRY	SS.10.2.3 Formulate and defend an opinion on a major contemporary social issue using the tools and methods of inquiry and perspective		The student: Evaluates, takes, and defends a position on a current social issue (e.g. health insurance reform, recent immigration, illegal drugs, changing family structure, environmental conservation) using researched evidence.	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Formulate and defend an opinion on a major contemporary social issue using the tools and methods of inquiry and perspective, making significant connections, insights, and generalizationsFormulate and defend an opinion on a major contemporary social issue using the tools and methods of inquiry and perspective, making connections, insights, and generalizations		Formulate and defend an opinion on a major contemporary social issue using the tools and methods of inquiry and perspective, making weak connections, insights, and generalizations	Ineffectively formulate and defend an opinion on a major contemporary social issue using the tools and methods of inquiry and perspective

	cal Understanding: INQUIRY, EM vents with multiple interpretation		the tools and methods of inquiry, erms	perspective, and empathy to		
Торіс			SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVES AND INTERPRETATIONS	SS.10.2.4 Evaluate the quality of arguments they advance and the e		e The student: Judges the value of conflicting opinions, interpretations, value judgments, and sources used in historical writing (e.g., U.S. involvement in the Vietnam War).			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Evaluate, with clear and precise detail, the quality of historical accounts based on the arguments they advance and the evidence they use	Evaluate, with detail, the quality of historical accounts based on the arguments they advance and the evidence they use	Evaluate, with minimal detail, the quality of historical accounts based on the arguments they advance and the evidence they use	Ineffectively evaluate the quality of historical accounts based on the arguments they advance and the evidence they use		

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
IMMIGRATION	SS.10.3.1 Describe the "push" fac and poverty) and "pull" factors (e. economic opportunity) that brough in the late 19 th century	g., seeking freedom and	Identifies the push and pull factors that brought an immigrant	
	RUBRIC		l	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the "push" factors and "pull" factors that brought immigrants to the United States in the late 19 th century	Describe, with detail, the "push" factors and "pull" factors that brought immigrants to the United States in the late 19 th century	Describe, with minimal detail, the "push" factors and "pull" factors that brought immigrants to the United States in the late 19 th century	Ineffectively describe the "push" factors and "pull" factors that brought immigrants to the United States in the late 19 th century
URBANIZATION	SS.10.3.2 Describe social, political, economic, and technological factors (e.g., governance, corruption, fiscal policies, wages, sanitation, class differences, health problems, transportation) of growth in 19 th and 20 th century American cities (e.g., New York, Chicago, St. Louis)		The student: Explains how political, social, economic, and technological factors affected the settlement and/or growth of a particular city during the 19 th and 20 th centuries.	
	RUBRIC		·	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, social, political, economic, and technological factors of growth in 19 th and 20 th century American cities	Describe, with detail, social, political, economic, and technological factors of growth in 19 th and 20 th century American cities	Describe, with minimal detail, social, political, economic, and technological factors of growth in 19 th and 20 th century American cities	Ineffectively describe social, political, economic, and technological factors of growth in 19 th and 20 th century American cities

Standard 3: Histor	y: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un	derstand important historical eve	ents during the 20 th century	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
THE GILDED AGE AND THE PROGRESSIVE ERA	SS.10.3.3 Describe how business magnates (i.e., Rockefeller, Morgan, Carnegie and Vanderbilt) dominated politics of the Gilded Age		The student: Explains how government, dominated by business magnates, adopted pro-government policies such as providing subsidies, passing tariffs, and pursuing laissez faire policies that resulted in the growth of trusts.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how business magnates dominated politics of the Gilded Age	Describe, with detail, how business magnates dominated politics of the Gilded Age	Describe, with minimal detail, how business magnates dominated politics of the Gilded Age	Ineffectively describe how business magnates dominated politics of the Gilded Age
THE GILDED AGE AND THE PROGRESSIVE ERA	SS.10.3.4 Describe reform issues of the Progressive Era (including political reform, labor reform, and business regulation)		The student: Explains how progressives tried to reform government (e.g., La Follett, Lincoln Steffens), regulate business (e.g., Theodore Roosevelt, Ida Tarbell), and improve the workplace (e.g., Upton Sinclair) and conditions of the poor (e.g., Jane Addams).	
	RUBRIC		•	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, reform issues of the Progressive Era	Describe, with detail, reform issues of the Progressive Era	Describe, with minimal detail, reform issues of the Progressive Era	Ineffectively describe reform issues of the Progressive Era

Standard 3: History	y: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Und	derstand important historical eve	nts during the 20 th century			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT		
UNITED STATES Imperialism	the United States becoming an imperial power in the late 19 th Ex		The student: Explains how the annexation of H the imperialist policies of the Uni	Iawaii and the Philippines relate to ted States in the late 19 th century.		
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the causes of and major events associated with the United States becoming an imperial power in the late 19 th century	Describe, with detail, the causes of and major events associated with the United States becoming an imperial power in the late 19 th century	Describe, with minimal detail, the causes of and major events associated with the United States becoming an imperial power in the late 19 th century	Ineffectively describe the causes of and major events associated with the United States becoming an imperial power in the late 19 th century		
Early 20 th Century Foreign Policy	SS.10.3.6 Analyze the scope and evolution of various United States foreign policies in the early part of the 20 th century		The student: Compares Roosevelt's Big Stick Diplomacy, William Taft's Dollar Diplomacy, and Woodrow Wilson's Moral Diplomacy.			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Analyze, with clear and precise detail, the scope and evolution of various U.S. foreign policies in the early part of the 20 th century	Analyze, with detail, the scope and evolution of various U.S. foreign policies in the early part of the 20 th century	Analyze, with minimal detail, the scope and evolution of various U.S. foreign policies in the early part of the 20 th century	Ineffectively analyze the scope and evolution of various U.S. foreign policies in the early part of the 20 th century		

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
WORLD WAR I	SS.10.3.7 Describe the events tha War I	t led the United States into World	 The student: Explains how Germany's submarine warfare, U.S. trade with England and France, and the success of British propaganda broug the United States into World War I. 	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the events that led the United States into World War I	Describe the events that led the United States into World War I	Name the events that led the United States into World War I	Recognize examples of specific events led the United States into World War I
WORLD WAR I	SS.10.3.8 Describe how domestic policies were affected by American involvement in World War I		The student: Explains how mobilization for the war changed America's labor force (e.g., the employment of African Americans in industrial cities triggers the Great Migration).	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how domestic policies were affected by American involvement in World War I	Describe, with detail, how domestic policies were affected by American involvement in World War I	Describe, with minimal detail, how domestic policies were affected by American involvement in World War I	Ineffectively describe how domestic policies were affected by American involvement in World War I

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
WORLD WAR I	SS.10.3.9 Explain why the United Versailles	l States did not sign the Treaty of	The student: Describes the reasons the United States Senate refused to ratify th Versailles Treaty (e.g., disillusionment with wartime allies, conce that membership in the League of Nations would drag the U.S. in war, and partisan politics).	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, why the United States did not sign the Treaty of Versailles	Explain, with detail, why the United States did not sign the Treaty of Versailles	Explain, with minimal detail, why the United States did not sign the Treaty of VersaillesIneffectively explain United States did not Treaty of Versailles	
1920s: Conflicts and Transitions	SS.10.3.10 Describe changes in society and culture that led to conflicts in values in the 1920s		The student: Explains how the growing domin Scopes Trial, how the influx of in KKK and the growth of the anti-i Prohibition led to proliferation of organized crime.	nmigrants led to rebirth of the mmigration movement, and how
	RUBRIC			1
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe changes in society and culture that led to conflicts in values in the 1920s, using relevant and insightful examplesDescribe changes in society and culture that led to conflicts in values in the 1920s, using relevant examples		Describe changes in society and culture that led to conflicts in values in the 1920s, using weakly connected examples	Ineffectively describe changes in society and culture that led to conflicts in values in the 1920s

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
1920s: Conflicts and Transitions	SS.10.3.11 Describe the significa feminism of the 1920s, including Renaissance, and flappers	nce of the literature, arts, and the "Lost Generation," the Harlem	The student: Explains how the "Lost Generation" was a literary response to disillusionment of writers to American society; the Harlem Renaissance was a flowering of African American literature, a and music; and how flappers represented a revolution in mora	
	RUBRIC			-
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the significance of the literature, arts, and feminism of the 1920s, including the "Lost Generation," the Harlem Renaissance, and flappers	Describe, with detail, the significance of the literature, arts, and feminism of the 1920s, including the "Lost Generation," the Harlem Renaissance, and flappers	Describe, with minimal detail, the significance of the literature, arts, and feminism of the 1920s, including the "Lost Generation," the Harlem Renaissance, and flappers	Ineffectively describe the significance of the literature, arts, and feminism of the 1920s
1920s: Conflicts and Transitions	SS.10.3.12 Describe the innovations in transportation and communication and the impact they had on American society		The student: Explains how mass production (e.g., Model T) increased mobility and how mass communication (e.g., radios) contributed to the birth of a mass popular culture.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the innovations in transportation and communication and elaborate on the impact they had on American society	Describe, with detail, the innovations in transportation and communication and the impact they had on American society	Describe, with minimal detail, the innovations in transportation and communication and/or the impact they had on American society	Ineffectively describe the innovations in transportation and communication and the impact they had on American society

Standard 3: Hist	tory: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un	derstand important historical eve	ents during the 20 th century	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
THE GREAT DEPRESSION	SS.10.3.13 Analyze the causes of	f the Great Depression	The student: Examines how the disparity of wealth, speculation, the plight of farmers, and bank failures led to the Great Depression.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze, with clear and precise detail, the causes of the Great Depression	Analyze, with detail, the causes of the Great Depression	Analyze, with minimal detail, the causes of the Great Depression	Ineffectively analyze the causes of the Great Depression
THE GREAT DEPRESSION	SS.10.3.14 Describe the effects of the Great Depression		The student: Explains how the Great Depression caused mass unemployment and homelessness.	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the effects of the Great Depression, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Describe, with detail, the effects of the Great Depression	Describe, with minimal detail, the effects of the Great Depression	Ineffectively describe the effects of the Great Depression

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
FRANKLIN D.	SS.10.3.15 Explain how program	s in FDR's New Deal, including	The student:			
ROOSEVELT AND	the FDIC, AAA, WPA, and Social Security, attempted to resolve		Describes the problems addressed	by New Deal agencies and the		
THE NEW DEAL	problems brought on by the Great	Depression	measures taken by them to solve			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Compare how programs in	Explain how programs in FDR's	Identify programs in FDR's	Recognize that programs in		
	FDR's New Deal attempted to	New Deal attempted to resolve	New Deal that attempted to	FDR's New Deal attempted to		
	resolve problems brought on by	problems brought on by the	resolve problems brought on by	resolve problems brought on by		
	the Great Depression	Great Depression	the Great Depression	the Great Depression		
WORLD WAR II	SS.10.3.16 Analyze the causes of the bombing of Pearl Harbor		The student:			
		-	Examines Japan's military expansion in Asia and America's efforts			
			to halt its aggression (e.g., trade e			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Analyze, with clear and precise	Analyze, with detail, the causes	Analyze, with minimal detail,	Ineffectively analyze the causes		
	detail, the causes of the bombing	of the bombing of Pearl Harbor	the causes of the bombing of	of the bombing of Pearl Harbor		
	of Pearl Harbor		Pearl Harbor			

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
WORLD WAR II	including the internment of Japanese Americans Exami		The student: Examines how the bombing of Pearl Harbor led to America's entry into WW II and the internment of Japanese Americans.	
	RUBRIC		•	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze, with clear and precise detail, the effects of the bombing of Pearl Harbor, including the internment of Japanese Americans	Analyze, with detail, the effects of the bombing of Pearl Harbor, including the internment of Japanese Americans	Analyze, with minimal detail, the effects of the bombing of Pearl Harbor, including the internment of Japanese Americans	Ineffectively analyze the effects of the bombing of Pearl Harbor
WORLD WAR II	SS.10.3.18 Explain the turning points in the European and Pacific theaters of World War II		The student: Describes how the Battle of Midway and the D-Day Invasion were major turning points of World War II.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the turning points in the European Theaters of World War II	Explain the turning points in the European Theaters of World War II	Name the turning points in the European Theaters of World War II	Recognize the turning points in the European Theaters of World War II

Standard 3: Histor	ry: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un	derstand important historical eve	ents during the 20 th century	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
WORLD WAR II	SS.10.3.19 Describe how domest United States involvement in Wor		Vere affected by The student: Explains how mobilization for the war changed Americ force (e.g., women in the workforce).	
	RUBRIC		1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, how domestic policies were affected by United States involvement in World War II	Describe, with detail, how domestic policies were affected by United States involvement in World War II	Describe, with minimal detail, how domestic policies were affected by United States involvement in World War II	Ineffectively describe how domestic policies were affected by United States involvement in World War II
THE COLD WAR	SS.10.3.20 Explain the origins of the Cold War		The student: Describes how the conflicting political ideologies, Soviet domination of Eastern Europe, and America's containment policy brought on the Cold War.	
	RUBRIC	-	-	-
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the origins of the Cold War	Explain, with detail, the origins of the Cold War	Explain, with minimal detail, the origins of the Cold War	Ineffectively explain the origins of the Cold War

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT	
THE COLD WAR	SS.10.3.21 Explain how America's foreign policy during the Cold War led to conflicts in Asia and Latin America		The student: Describes how America's containment policy led to U.S. involvement in the Korean War, the Bay of Pigs invasion, and the Vietnam War.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how America's foreign policy during the Cold War led to conflicts in Asia and Latin America	Explain, with detail, how America's foreign policy during the Cold War led to conflicts in Asia and Latin America	Explain, with minimal detail, how America's foreign policy during the Cold War led to conflicts in Asia and Latin America	Ineffectively explain how America's foreign policy during the Cold War led to conflicts in Asia and Latin America	
THE COLD WAR	SS.10.3.22 Explain how the even McCarthy era	ts of the Cold War led to the	The student: Describes how different events (e by the Soviet detonation of the at Mao Zedong and the communists communist spies [e.g., the Rosen campaigns of Joseph McCarthy a Activites Committee (HUAC).	omic bomb, the "loss of China" to , and the trials of suspected bergs]) led to the investigative	
	RUBRIC		·		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how the events of the Cold War led to the McCarthy eraExplain, with detail, how the events of the Cold War led to the McCarthy era		Explain, with minimal detail, how the events of the Cold War led to the McCarthy era	Ineffectively explain how the events of the Cold War led to the McCarthy era	

Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT	
THE COLD WAR	SS.10.3.23 Explain how the United States foreign policy has attempted to respond to global and economic challenges of the post Cold War world		The student:	the uncertainty of where threats to economic (e.g. the expanding	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how the United States foreign policy has attempted to respond to global and economic challenges of the post Cold War world	Explain, with detail, how the United States foreign policy has attempted to respond to global and economic challenges of the post Cold War world	Explain, with minimal detail, how the United States foreign policy has attempted to respond to global and economic challenges of the post Cold War world	Ineffectively explain how the United States foreign policy has attempted to respond to global and economic challenges of the post Cold War world	
CIVIL RIGHTS ERA: 1954-1968	SS.10.3.24 Analyze the key factors, including legislation and acts of civil disobedience, that brought on the African American Civil Rights movement after World War II		The student: Investigates how segregation laws, <i>Plessy v. Ferguson</i> being overturned by, <i>Brown v. Board of Education</i> , and the Montgomery bus boycott led to Civil Rights movement.		
	RUBRIC			1	
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze, with clear and precise detail, the key factors that brought on the African American Civil Rights movement after World War II, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Analyze, with detail, the key factors that brought on the African American Civil Rights movement after World War II	Analyze, with minimal detail, the key factors that brought on the African American Civil Rights movement after World War II	Ineffectively analyze the key factors that brought on the African American Civil Rights movement after World War II	

Standard 3: Histor	y: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un	derstand important historical eve	ents during the 20 th century	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
CIVIL RIGHTS ERA: 1954-1968	SS.10.3.25 Describe the significant events, individuals, and groups associated with the Civil Rights Era			
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the significant events, individuals, and groups associated with the Civil Rights Era	Describe the significant events, individuals, and groups associated with the Civil Rights Era	Name the significant events, individuals, and groups associated with the Civil Rights Era	Recognize the significant events, individuals, and groups associated with the Civil Rights Era
CONTEMPORARY CULTURE AND SOCIETY	SS.10.3.26 Describe the expansion of the Civil Rights movement to other groups, including Native Americans and women		The student: Explains the civil rights issues brought forth by Native Americans (e.g., AIM) and women (e.g., NOW).	
	RUBRIC Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Advanced Describe, with clear and precise detail, the expansion of the Civil Rights movement to other groups, including Native Americans and women	Describe, with detail, the expansion of the Civil Rights movement to other groups, including Native Americans and women	Describe, with minimal detail, the expansion of the Civil Rights movement to other groups, including Native Americans and women	Ineffectively describe the expansion of the Civil Rights movement to other groups, including Native Americans and women

Standard 3: Histor	ry: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un	derstand important historical ev	rents during the 20 th century		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT	
Contemporary Culture and Society	SS.10.3.27 Assess John F. Kennedy's handling of the Cuban Missile Crisis		The student: Critiques Kennedy's response to t in Cuba, the sending of U.S. wars headed for Cuba, and his correspo	hips to intercept Soviet ships	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Assess John F. Kennedy's handling of the Cuban Missile Crisis, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Assess John F. Kennedy's handling of the Cuban Missile Crisis, drawing relevant conclusions	Assess John F. Kennedy's handling of the Cuban Missile Crisis, drawing unsupported or irrelevant conclusions	Ineffectively assess John F. Kennedy's handling of the Cuban Missile Crisis	
CONTEMPORARY CULTURE AND SOCIETY	SS.10.3.28 Explain the emergence and impact of the student movements and the counterculture of the 1960s		The student: Describes how the activities of Students for a Democratic Society, the free speech movement of Berkley, the anti-Vietnam war movement, and the hippies challenged the prevailing status quo.		
	RUBRIC		-		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the emergence and impact of the student movements and the counterculture of the 1960s, and evaluate its impact	Explain, with detail, the emergence and impact of the student movements and the counterculture of the 1960s	Explain, with minimal detail, the emergence and impact of the student movements and the counterculture of the 1960s	Ineffectively explain the emergence and impact of the student movements and the counterculture of the 1960s	

Standard 3: Histor	y: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un	derstand important historical eve	ents during the 20 th century		
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT	
CONTEMPORARY CULTURE AND SOCIETY	SS.10.3.29 Evaluate Lyndon Johnson's vision of the Great Society		The student: Describes how the EEOC, Head Start, the war on poverty, the National Endowment for the Arts, and the creation of Medicare and Medicaid sought to transform society and assesses the extent to which those aims have been realized.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze, using evidence, Lyndon Johnson's vision of the Great Society	Evaluates Lyndon Johnson's vision of the Great Society	Explain Lyndon Johnson's vision of the Great Society	Identify features of Lyndon Johnson's vision of the Great Society	
Contemporary Culture and Society	SS.10.3.30 Explain how the Watergate affair led to a crisis of confidence in the government		The student: Describes how members of the Nixon administration took action against political opponents by engaging in illegal wiretaps, break- ins, and obstruction of justice, and how this led to a cynical view of government.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how the Watergate affair led to a crisis of confidence in the government, and assess its impact Explain, with detail, how the Watergate affair led to a crisis of confidence in the government		Explain, with minimal detail, how the Watergate affair led to a crisis of confidence in the government	Ineffectively explain how the Watergate affair led to a crisis of confidence in the government	

Торіс	ry: UNITED STATES HISTORY—Un BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT	
CONTEMPORARY CULTURE AND SOCIETY	SS.10.3.31 Explain how the election of Ronald Reagan marked a new era of conservatism in American politics		SAM DETERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT The student: Describes how Reagan's tax cuts, increase in defense spending (contributing to the collapse of the Soviet Union), cuts in social spending, and judicial appointments reflected the growing conservatism of America.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how the election of Ronald Reagan marked a new era of conservatism in American politics, and assess its impact	Explain, with detail, how the election of Ronald Reagan marked a new era of conservatism in American politics	Explain, with minimal detail, how the election of Ronald Reagan marked a new era of conservatism in American politics	Ineffectively explain how the election of Ronald Reagan marked a new era of conservatism in American politics	
CONTEMPORARY CULTURE AND SOCIETY	SS.10.3.32 Explain how the administrations from Reagan to the current president dealt with major domestic issues		The student: Explains the policies of different the current president on major do environmental policy, federal def	mestic issues (e.g. education,	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze how the administrations from Reagan to the current president dealt with major domestic issues	Explain how the administrations from Reagan to the current president dealt with major domestic issues	Describe the major domestic issues from the administrations of Reagan to the current president	Ineffectively describe the major domestic issues from the administrations of Reagan to the current president	

Grade 10

 Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives

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 SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

 No benchmark at this level
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Standard 5: Political Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities					
of American citizens and exercise them in civic action					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
No benchmark at this level					

Standard 6: Cultural Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNAMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand culture as a system of beliefs, knowledge, and practices shared				
by a group and understand how cultural systems change over time				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
	No benchmark at this level			

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
HUMAN SYSTEMS	SS.10.7.1 Explain the causes of u opportunities, immigration pattern			
	RUBRIC	IC		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the causes of urbanization	Explain, with detail, the causes of urbanization	Explain, with minimal detail, the causes of urbanization	Ineffectively explain the causes of urbanization
HUMAN SYSTEMS	SS.10.7.2 Explain the consequences of urbanization		The student: Describes the consequences of rapid urbanization in a selected urban area (e.g., New York or Chicago) including overcrowding, crime, pollution, and machine politics.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the consequences of urbanizationExplain, with detail, the consequences of urbanization		Explain, with minimal detail, the consequences of urbanization	Ineffectively explain the consequences of urbanization

Standard 8: Econ	nomics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, ANI	D GOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the characte	ristics of various economic
systems				
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
ROLE AND FUNCTION OF MARKETS	SS.10.8.1 Explain the characterist structures (i.e. monopoly, oligopol pure competition) and their influe price, barriers for entry, and mark marketplace	ly, monopolistic competition, and nce on product differentiation,	The student: Gives an example of an industry (airplanes, and utilities) and descri affects market efficiency and lowe	bes how its market structure
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare the characteristics of the different market structures and their influence on product differentiation, price, barriers for entry, and market efficiency in a competitive marketplace	Explain the characteristics of the different market structures and their influence on product differentiation, price, barriers for entry, and market efficiency in a competitive marketplace	Identify the characteristics of the different market structures and/or give examples of their influence on product differentiation, price, barriers for entry, or market efficiency in a competitive marketplace	Identify the characteristics of the different market structures

Standard 8: Ecor systems	nomics: RESOURCES, MARKETS, ANI	GOVERNMENT—Understand eco	onomic concepts and the characte	ristics of various economic	
Торіс	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
ROLE OF GOVERNMENT			The student: Explains how the tools used by the Federal Reserve System to control monetary policy affect consumer spending and saving.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Describe, with clear and precise detail, the function and responsibilities of the Federal Reserve System in setting and carrying out the nation's monetary policy	Describe, with detail, the function and responsibilities of the Federal Reserve System in setting and carrying out the nation's monetary policy	Describe, with minimal detail, the function and responsibilities of the Federal Reserve System in setting and carrying out the nation's monetary policy	Ineffectively describe the function and responsibilities of the Federal Reserve System in setting and carrying out the nation's monetary policy	
ROLE OF GOVERNMENT	SS.10.8.3 Explain the purpose and/or role of government programs and policies, including unemployment, minimum wage, and Social Security, and their effect on the nation's economy		The student: Describes the benefits and costs of unemployment, minimum wage and Social Security to individuals and society.		
	RUBRIC		I		
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the purpose and/or role of government programs and policies, including unemployment, minimum wage, and Social Security, and their effect on the nation's economy	Explain, with detail, the purpose and/or role of government programs and policies, including unemployment, minimum wage, and Social Security, and their effect on the nation's economy	Explain, with minimal detail, the purpose and/or role of government programs and policies, including unemployment, minimum wage, and Social Security, and their effect on the nation's economy	Ineffectively explain the purpose and/or role of government programs and policies	

Standard 1: Historical Understanding: CHANGE, CONTINUITY, AND CAUSALITY—Understand change and/or continuity and cause and/or effect in				
history				
Торіс	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
No benchmark at this level				

Standard 2: Historical Understanding: INQUIRY, EMPATHY, AND PERSPECTIVE— Use the tools and methods of inquiry, perspective, and empathy to				
explain instorical e	explain historical events with multiple interpretations and judge the past on its own terms			
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
No benchmark at this level				
ΤΟΡΙΟ		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		

Standard 3: Histo	ry: WORLD HISTORY—Understand	d important historical events fron	n classical civilization through the	e present
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
PRE-MODERN TIMES, PRE 1500 C.E.	the larger societies in the cases of Confucianism in China,IBuddhism in Asia, Christianity in Europe, Hinduism in India, andbIslam in the Muslim worldN		The student: Determines the extent to which the between religious and political au Muslim world.	nere was cooperation and conflict athorities in Asia, Europe, and the
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine the relationship between cultural traditions and the larger societies in the cases of Confucianism in China, Buddhism in Asia, Christianity in Europe, Hinduism in India, and Islam in the Muslim world, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions about their relationships	Examine the relationship between cultural traditions and the larger societies in the cases of Confucianism in China, Buddhism in Asia, Christianity in Europe, Hinduism in India, and Islam in the Muslim world, drawing relevant conclusions about their relationships	Describe the relationship between cultural traditions and the larger societies in the cases of Confucianism in China, Buddhism in Asia, Christianity in Europe, Hinduism in India, and/or Islam in the Muslim world	Ineffectively describe the relationship between cultural traditions and the larger societies in the cases of Confucianism in China, Buddhism in Asia, Christianity in Europe, Hinduism in India, and/or Islam in the Muslim world

Standard 3: History	y: WORLD HISTORY—Understand	l important historical events fron	n classical civilization through the	present	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT	
PRE-MODERN TIMES, PRE 1500 C.E.	SS.11.3.2 Examine the effects of global interactions in pre-modern times, including the Mongol conquests, the Crusades, and technological, biological, and commercial exchanges		The student: Determines the consequence of co exchanges in pre-modern times, in conquests, and technological (e.g. (e.g., smallpox), and commercial	ncluding the Crusades, Mongol , the forging of iron), biological	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Examine the effects of global interactions in pre-modern times, including the Mongol conquests, the Crusades, and technological, biological, and commercial exchanges, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Examine the effects of global interactions in pre-modern times, including the Mongol conquests, the Crusades, and technological, biological, and commercial exchanges, drawing relevant conclusions	Describe the effects of global interactions in pre-modern times	Ineffectively describe the effects of global interactions in pre- modern times	
ORIGINS OF GLOBAL INTERDEPENDENCE IN EARLY MODERN TIMES,			The student: Describes changing relationships modern times (e.g., Europe to Asi		
1500 С.Е. то 1800	RUBRIC	-	-		
C.E.	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the impact of the exploratory and commercial expeditions in the 15 th and 16 th century	Explain, with detail, the impact of the exploratory and commercial expeditions in the 15 th and 16 th century	Explain, with minimal detail, the impact of the exploratory and commercial expeditions in the 15 th and 16 th century	Ineffectively describe the impact of the exploratory and commercial expeditions in the 15 th and 16 th century	

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
Origins of Global Interdependence in Early Modern Times,	Europe, Asia, and Africa, including the spread of food crops and diseases, the exchange of trade goods, and migrations of peoples		The student: Describes how two regions involv modern times were affected (e.g.,	
1500 С.Е. то 1800 С.Е.	RUBRIC Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the effects of global exchanges in the Americas, Europe, Asia, and Africa	Explain, with detail, the effects of global exchanges in the Americas, Europe, Asia, and Africa	Explain, with minimal detail, the effects of global exchanges in the Americas, Europe, Asia, and Africa	Ineffectively explain the effects of global exchanges in the Americas, Europe, Asia, and Africa
ORIGINS OF GLOBAL INTERDEPENDENCE IN EARLY MODERN TIMES, 1500 C.E. TO 1800	SS.11.3.5 Examine the political st including Qing China at the time of the time of Tokugawa Ieyasu, the Suleyman the Magnificent, and the Charles V	of the Kangxi emperor, Japan at Ottoman Empire at the time of	The student: Analyzes how ruling classes mobile empires (e.g., how Tokugawa dep to support the political and militar	ended on agricultural production
C.E.	RUBRIC	D		N •
	Advanced Examine the political structure in major world regions, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Proficient Examine the political structure in major world regions, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Partially Proficient Describe the political structure in major world regions	Novice Ineffectively describe the political structure in major world regions

Standard 3: History	y: WORLD HISTORY—Understand	l important historical events fron	n classical civilization through the	e present
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
ORIGINS OF	SS.11.3.6 Examine the major developments in European cultural		The student:	
GLOBAL	and intellectual history, including		Evaluates the roles of prominent i	
INTERDEPENDENCE	Enlightenment, and Scientific Rev	volution	daVinci, Galileo, Voltaire) in Eur	opean cultural and intellectual
IN EARLY MODERN			development.	
TIMES,				
1500 С.Е. то 1800	RUBRIC			
C.E.	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine the major developments in European cultural and intellectual history, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Examine the major developments in European cultural and intellectual history, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Identify the major developments in European cultural and intellectual history	Ineffectively identify the major developments in European cultural and intellectual history
AGE OF Revolution, Industry, and Empire, 1750 C.E.	SS.11.3.7 Compare the causes an democratic revolutions, including Revolution, Haitian Revolution, a	the American Revolution, French	The student: Examines the influence of Enligh leaders (e.g., Washington and Bol	
– 1914 C.E.	RUBRIC		1	1
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Compare the causes and effects of the early modern democratic revolutions, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Compare the causes and effects of the early modern democratic revolutions, drawing relevant conclusions	Describe the causes and effects of the early modern democratic revolutions	Ineffectively describe the causes and/or effects of the early modern democratic revolutions

		d important historical events from	0	-
TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
AGE OF REVOLUTION,	·····		The student: Explains the global effects of inventions (e.g. steam angine) and	
INDUSTRY, AND EMPIRE, 1750 C.E. – 1914 C.E.			Explains the global effects of inventions (e.g., steam engine) and explains the role of women (e.g., in the factory system) during the industrial revolution.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe the socio-economic impact of the industrial revolution, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Describe the socio-economic impact of the industrial revolution, making connections, insights, and generalizations	Describe the social or the economic impact of the industrial revolution	Ineffectively describe the social and economic impact of the industrial revolution
AGE OF	SS.11.3.9 Explain the ideological and economic interests that drove		The student:	
REVOLUTION,	European, American, and Japanes	se imperialism in Africa, Asia, and	Explains the causes and effects of European, American, and	
INDUSTRY, AND Empire, 1750 C.E.	the Pacific		Japanese imperialism in Africa, A	Asia, and the Pacific.
– 1914 C.E.	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the ideological and economic interests that drove European, American, and Japanese imperialism in Africa, Asia, and the Pacific, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Explain the ideological and economic interests that drove European, American, and Japanese imperialism in Africa, Asia, and the Pacific	Describe the ideological and economic interests that drove European, American, and Japanese imperialism in Africa, Asia, and/or the Pacific	Ineffectively describe the ideological and economic interests that drove European, American, and Japanese imperialism in Africa, Asia, and/or the Pacific

Standard 3: Histor	y: WORLD HISTORY—Understand	l important historical events from	n classical civilization through the	e present
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	SMENT
THE TWENTIETH CENTURY, 1914-1989			The student: Explains the causes and global effects of World War I.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Describe, using relevant and insightful examples, the role of secret alliances and nationalism in triggering the outbreak of World War I and the effort to prevent future wars by the establishment of the League of Nations	Describe, using relevant examples, the role of secret alliances and nationalism in triggering the outbreak of World War I and the effort to prevent to prevent future wars by the establishment of the League of Nations	Describe, using weakly connected examples, the role of secret alliances and nationalism in triggering the outbreak of World War I	Ineffectively describe the role of secret alliances and nationalism in triggering the outbreak of World War I
THE TWENTIETH CENTURY, 1914-1989	SS.11.3.11 Explain the rise of fascist governments, emergence of communism, and the global effects of the Great Depression		The student: Describes tensions and conflicts of the interwar years.	
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Analyze the rise of fascist governments, the emergence of communism, and the global effects of the Great Depression, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Explain the rise of fascist governments, the emergence of communism, and the global effects of the Great Depression	Trace the rise of fascist governments, the emergence of communism, and/or the global effects of the Great Depression	Ineffectively trace the rise of fascist governments, the emergence of communism, and/or the global effects of the Great Depression

Standard 3: Histor	y: WORLD HISTORY—Understand	l important historical events from	ı classical civilization through the	present
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	MENT
The Twentieth Century, 1914-1989	SS.11.3.12 Examine the significant events, technological developments, and turning points of World War II, including the German invasion of Poland, Japanese bombing of Pearl Harbor, D-Day, the American bombing of Japan, the Rape of Nanjing, and the Holocaust		The student: Analyzes the causes, events, and a	atrocities of World War II.
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Examine the significant events, technological developments, and turning points of World War II, making significant connections, insights, and generalizations	Examine the significant events, technological developments, and turning points of World War II, making connections, insights, and generalization	Describe the significant events, technological developments, and turning points of World War II	Identify the significant events, technological developments, and turning points of World War II
THE TWENTIETH CENTURY, 1914-1989	SS.11.3.13 Describe post-World War II nationalist and independence movements in India, Pakistan, Nigeria, and Kenya		The student: Explains the aims of nationalist m colonial countries to achieve indep Africa.	ovements and attempts by pendence after WW II in Asia and
	RUBRIC			
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, post-World War II nationalist and independence movements in India, Pakistan, Nigeria, and Kenya	Describe, with detail, post- World War II nationalist and independence movements in India, Pakistan, Nigeria, and Kenya	Describe, with minimal detail, post-World War II nationalist and independence movements in India, Pakistan, Nigeria, and Kenya	Ineffectively describe post- World War II nationalist and independence movements in India, Pakistan, Nigeria, and Kenya

	ry: WORLD HISTORY—Understand	a important historical events from	8	<u> </u>	
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
THE TWENTIETH	SS.11.3.14 Explain major political developments of the post-war		The student:		
CENTURY,	era, including the establishment of the United Nations, the creation			the significance of the creation of	
1914-1989	of Israel, and the Cold War		Israel, and the consequences of the	e Cold War.	
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze major political developments of the post-war era, including the establishment of the United Nations, the creation of Israel, and the Cold War	Explain major political developments of the post-war era, including the establishment of the United Nations, the creation of Israel, and the Cold War	Name major political developments of the post-war era, including the establishment of the United Nations, the creation of Israel, and the Cold War	Recognize major political developments of the post-war era, including the establishment of the United Nations, the creation of Israel, and the Cold War	
THE TWENTIETH CENTURY, 1914-1989	SS.11.3.15 Describe revolutionary movements from 1945-1989, including the Chinese communist revolution, the Algerian revolution, and the Cuban revolution		The student: Explains the causes and global effects of the revolutionary movements in China, Algeria and Cuba.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Analyze revolutionary movements from 1945-1989, including the Chinese communist revolution, the Algerian revolution, and the Cuban revolution, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Describe revolutionary movements from 1945-1989, including the Chinese communist revolution, the Algerian revolution, and the Cuban revolution	Name revolutionary movements from 1945-1989, including the Chinese communist revolution, the Algerian revolution, and the Cuban revolution	Recognize revolutionary movements from 1945-1989, including the Chinese communist revolution, the Algerian revolution, and the Cuban revolution	

Торіс	ry: WORLD HISTORY—Understand BENCHMARK	•	SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESS	-	
The Contemporary World 1989-present	SS.11.3.16 Examine the significant effects of technological developments and biological exchanges in the contemporary world		The student: Assesses the impact of technologi Internet) and biological exchanges contemporary world.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Examine, using relevant and insightful examples, the significant effects of technological developments and biological exchanges in the contemporary world	Examine, using relevant examples, the significant effects of technological developments and biological exchanges in the contemporary world	Explain the significant effects of technological developments or the effects of biological exchanges in the contemporary world	Ineffectively explain the significant effects of technological developments and biological exchanges in the contemporary world	
The Contemporary World 1989-present	SS.11.3.17 Examine critical huma contemporary world	an rights issues in the	The student: Analyzes recent human rights vio child labor, and political oppressio		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Examine critical human rights issues in the contemporary world, drawing relevant and insightful conclusions	Examine critical human rights issues in the contemporary world, drawing relevant conclusions	Examine critical human rights issues in the contemporary world, drawing weakly supported or irrelevant conclusions	Ineffectively examine critical human rights issues in the contemporary world	

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Standard 4: Political Science/Civics: GOVERNANCE, DEMOCRACY, AND INTERACTION—Understand the purpose and historical impact of political institutions, the principles and values of American constitutional democracy, and the similarities and differences in government across cultural perspectives SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT TOPIC BENCHMARK SS.11.4.1 Compare the features of republican and absolutist COMPARATIVE The student: governments that emerged in 17th century Europe Analyzes the differences between a republic (e.g. England after the GOVERNMENT Glorious Revolution) and an absolute monarchy (e.g. France during the reign of Louis XIV). **RUBRIC Partially Proficient** Proficient Advanced Novice Compare the features of Explain the features of Identify the features of Analyze the features of republican and absolutist republican and absolutist republican and absolutist republican and absolutist governments that emerged in governments that emerged in governments that emerged in governments that emerged in 17th century Europe, making 17th century Europe 17th century Europe 17th century Europe, making significant connections, insights, connections, insights, and and generalizations generalizations

Standard 5: Political Science/Civics: PARTICIPATION AND CITIZENSHIP—Understand roles, rights (personal, economic, political), and responsibilities of American citizens and exercise them in civic action				
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
No benchmark at this level				

Standard 6: Cultural Anthropology: SYSTEMS, DYNAMICS, AND INQUIRY—Understand culture as a system of beliefs, knowledge, and practices shared					
by a group and understand how cultural systems change over time					
ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT				
No benchmark at this level					

TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT	
PLACES AND REGIONS	SS.11.7.1 Trace changing political boundaries under the influence of European imperialism		The student: Examines the new political boundaries created by imperial and colonial authorities in Asia, Africa, and the Pacific.	
	RUBRIC Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient Novice	
	Trace, with accuracy, changing political boundaries under the influence of European imperialism	Trace, with no significant errors, changing political boundaries under the influence of European imperialism	Trace, with a few significant errors, changing political boundaries under the influence of European imperialism	Trace, with many significant errors, changing political boundaries under the influence of European imperialism

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Standard 7: Geography: WORLD IN SPATIAL TERMS—Use geographic representations to organize, analyze, and present information on people, places, and environments and understand the nature and interaction of geographic regions and societies around the world SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT TOPIC **BENCHMARK** WORLD IN SS.11.7.2 Use tools and methods of geographers to understand The student: SPATIAL TERMS changing views of world regions Uses geographic representations to understand changing conceptions of the western hemisphere after Christopher Columbus. **RUBRIC** Advanced **Partially Proficient** Proficient Novice Consistently use tools and Usually use tools and methods Sometimes use tools and Rarely use tools and methods of geographers to understand methods of geographers to of geographers to understand methods of geographers to changing views of world regions understand changing views of changing views of world regions understand changing views of world regions world regions

ΤΟΡΙΟ	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT			
ECONOMIC	SS.11.8.1 Explain how the exchange rate affects trade, imports,		The student:			
INTERDEPENDENCE	exports, and the economy of a nation		Describes the connection between exchange rates and balance of trade.			
	RUBRIC					
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice		
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, how the exchange rate affects trade, imports, exports, and the economy of a nation	Explain, with detail, how the exchange rate affects trade, imports, exports, and the economy of a nation	Explain, with minimal detail, how the exchange rate affects trade, imports, exports, and the economy of a nation	Ineffectively explain how the exchange rate affects trade, imports, exports, and the economy of a nation		

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TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
ECONOMIC INTERDEPENDENCE	SS.11.8.2 Describe the distribution of the world's resources as it affects international economic relationships		The student: Explains the effect of the oil crisis of the 1970s on American society.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, with clear and precise detail, the distribution of the world's resources as it affects international economic relationships	Describe, with detail, the distribution of the world's resources as it affects international economic relationships	Describe, with minimal detail, the distribution of the world's resources as it affects international economic relationships	Ineffectively describe the distribution of the world's resources as it affects international economic relationships	
ROLE AND	SS.11.8.3 Describe how the determinants of demand (i.e., income,		The student:	-	
Function of Markets	substitutes, complements, number of buyers, tastes, expectations) affect the price and availability of goods and services		Explains how multinational corporations facilitate meeting the consumer demands for the global marketplace.		
	RUBRIC				
	Advanced	Proficient	Partially Proficient	Novice	
	Explain, using relevant and insightful examples, how the determinants of demand affect the price and availability of goods and services	Describe, using relevant examples, how the determinants of demand affect the price and availability of goods and services	Describe the determinants of demand	Ineffectively describe the determinants of demand	

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TOPIC	BENCHMARK		SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT		
ROLE AND FUNCTION OF MARKETS	SS.11.8.4 Describe how the determinants of supply (i.e., price and availability of inputs, technology, government regulation, number of sellers) affect the price and availability of goods and services		The student: Explains the economic impact of a ban on a particular imported good.		
	RUBRIC Advanced Proficient Partially Proficient Novice				
	Explain, using relevant and insightful examples, how the determinants of supply affect the price and availability of goods and services	Describe, using relevant examples, how the determinants of supply affect the price and availability of goods and services	Describe the determinants of supply	Ineffectively describe the determinants of supply	

APPENDIX A: RESOURCES

Curriculum Framework for Social Studies. State of Hawaii, Department of Education, May 2003

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APPENDIX C: GLOSSARY FOR SOCIAL STUDIES

Advocate: To plead the cause of another person or policy.

Analyze: To study critically; determine the essential features of some situation, decision, or event.

Artifacts: Any man-made object.

Assessment : Multi-dimensional measurement of student learning used as an integral part of good instruction; involves multiple modes of collecting data, determining its significance, and incorporating the data into planning/improvement of curriculum and instruction.

Authority: Right to control or direct the actions of others, legitimized by law, morality, custom, or consent.

Beliefs: Truths or realities accepted without certain proof.

Benchmarks: Benchmarks indicate developmentally appropriate content knowledge and skills at specific grade levels or at a cluster of grade levels.

B.C.E.: Before Common Era (corresponds to B.C.).

Capital resources: Any human-made resources used to create other goods or services.

Causality: The principle that every effect implies the presence of a cause.

C.E.: Common Era (corresponds to A.D.).

Citizen: Member of a nation who is entitled to the rights and privileges of membership and who has the duties and responsibilities of membership.

Civility: Treating other people with respect regardless of whether or not one likes them or agrees with their viewpoints, being willing to listen to other points of view, not being insulting when arguing with others.

Collaborative learning: Students and teachers working together cooperatively toward a common goal with each member contributing to the group's learning.

Common good: Benefit or interest of a politically organized society as a whole.

Compliments: Two goods that are bought and used together.

Concept : An abstract, general idea that represents features common to a category of events or objects; used as a curriculum organizer in thematic instruction.

Content standards: Statements of what students should know and be able to do in a specific discipline such as history, civics or geography. In social studies, content standards are concerned with knowledge, understanding, skills, and dispositions students should have to be competent, responsible citizens.

Continuity: Continuous or connected whole.

Cultural landscape: Comprises all the features that owe their existence to human activities, e.g., settlement, cultivation, structures, landscape.

Cultural mosaic: Mixed distribution of human cultures in a region.

Cultural systems: The total knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors shared by and passed on by the members of a specific group that tie people to one group and separate them from other, e.g., religion, language, education, political and social organization, food and shelter, security and protection, creative expression.

Curriculum framework: A document that provides a structure within which to organize important components of the instructional system such as curriculum materials, assessments and staff development.

Curriculum guide: A document that is more detailed than a framework and presents the specific curricular content and activities taught in the schools.

Demand and supply schedules: Based on the sum of individual decisions made by all of the individual consumers and producers in a supply market.

Democracy : A form of government characterized by certain principles e.g., the people are sovereign; the power of government is limited by law; people exercise their authority directly by voting for or against certain rules, laws, or candidates as well as by voting in community or town meetings; decisions are based on majority rule, but minority rights are protected, and certain values e.g., individual rights to life, liberty, property, and the pursuit of happiness; civic virtue (the idea that individuals willing give up some individual rights or freedoms for the common good) ; justice, truth; diversity; equality of opportunity.

Demographics: The statistics that describe a population, such as data on race, income, or age.

Determinants of demand: e.g., Price and availability of inputs.

Disposition: A person's way of acting toward others or thinking about things.

Doing history: Rather than memorizing names and dates from history texts, students research historical questions, analyze their findings and present them in a form appropriate to class assignments (written, oral, visual, or dramatic). Students conduct oral histories, write firsthand accounts of potentially significant historical events, puzzle over documents and artifacts, research secondary sources, consider the subjective nature of the information they uncover, and interpret information. To construct coherent stories about this collective experience is to create histories.

Economic competition: Rivalry among producers or sellers of similar goods and services to win more business.

Economic externality: A side effect of a good or service that generates benefits or costs to someone other than the person deciding how much to produce or consume.

Economics: The study of how people seek to satisfy their wants and needs by making choices about ways to use scarce resources.

Expectations: Anticipated outcomes.

Folkways: The traditional patterns of life common to a people.

Higher level thinking skills: Ability to interpret, infer, predict, hypothesize, generalize, evaluate, and apply information/knowledge.

Historical empathy: Students study the past on its own terms. They do not judge the past solely in terms of present day norms, empathy, and values.

Historical inevitability: To see events in history as predetermined, thus eliminating the possibilities that people faced and the choices they made.

Historical linearity: To draw a straight line between the past and the present, as though earlier events had to follow this line of development to the present.

Integrated curriculum: A program of study that relates information and understandings from various disciplines and addresses multiple intelligences of the learner.

Historical narrative: Secondary text, including fiction.

Historical writings: Writings by historians and others about events, not necessarily primary sources.

Historical accounts: Historical writings

Human characteristics: Features of the Earth's surface created by humans, such as towns, cities, farms, roads, airports.

Human resources: Workers who produce goods and services; referred to in most texts as labor.

Interactive instructional strategies: Instructional/curricular approaches that engage students in the setting of instructional goals and objectives, the classroom activities, and the criteria for the assessment of student outcomes.

Issues: Subject being discussed or disputed.

Limited government: One in which everyone, including all of the people in positions of authority, must obey the laws.

Milieu: Environment, setting.

Monopolistic competition: A market structure in which many companies sell products that are similar but not identical.

Monopoly: A market dominated by a single seller of a good or service that has no close substitute.

Mores: Folkways of central importance embodying the fundamental moral views of a group.

Natural resources: Materials found in nature used to produce goods and services; referred to in most texts as land.

Norms: A standard derived from the average behavior of a group.

Oligopoly: An industry dominated by a few suppliers who exercise some control over price.

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Opportunity cost: The highest valued alternative that must be foregone because another option is chosen; what you give up to get something.

Performance Standards: Statements or descriptions of what students should be able to do to demonstrate attainment of content standards.

Physical characteristics: Features of the Earth's surface, such as landforms, water systems, climate patterns, and plant and animal life.

Point of view: Perspective; how someone sees something from his or her position or standpoint.

Power: The ability to direct or control something or someone.

Primary sources: Documents, reports, maps, photographs, letters, drawings, memoirs, and artifacts created by those who participated in or witnessed the events of the past.

Pure competition: A market structure in which many companies sell identical products.

Renaissance: Period in European history (14th –16th centuries) characterized by a rediscovery of classical art and literature.

Responsibilities : Personal responsibilities, e.g., taking care of self, accepting responsibility for the consequences of one's actions, behaving in a civil manner, considering the rights of others; civic responsibilities, e.g., obeying the law, being informed and attentive to public issues, assuming leadership when appropriate, paying taxes, performing public service, civil disobedience.

Rights : Personal rights, e.g., freedom of thought and conscience, travel freely, live where one pleases; political rights, e.g., right to vote, criticize the government without retaliation, join organizations that try to influence the government, seek and hold public office; economic rights, e.g., right to own property, choose one's work, change employment, and establish a business.

Rubric: Descriptors of levels of performance for a given criteria, each of which is assigned a score or level.

Secondary sources: Books, articles, interviews, media productions, or any other historical sources that seek to explain and interpret an event after the fact. The writer is not an eyewitness to or a participant in the event.

Scarcity: The condition of not being able to have all of the goods and services that you want.

Sovereignty: Ultimate authority; the power to make and carry out laws within the nation's borders.

Stereotypes: A set of images or conception held by or applied to members of a certain group.

Substitutes: Goods used in place of one another.

Temporal structure: Seeing historical events and developments in time - beginning, middle, end; duration.

Unlimited government: One in which there are no effective controls over those in power.

Values: The qualities, customs, standards, and principles of a people upon which they make decisions.

TOOLS AND METHODS OF HISTORIANS

Tools:

Primary sources Artifacts Lithographs, paintings, film, and video footage Realia Secondary sources Methods / Skills Propose and test historical ideas through predicting, confirming, and negotiating with others Weigh new ideas against what they already know, their own purposes, their understanding of relevant historical resources, and response of fellow learners Discuss the meaning of artifacts, transcriptions, photographs Establish criteria for deciding whether or not an event is historically significant Construct historical milieus using own criteria Construct historical eras

TOOLS AND METHODS OF POLITICAL SCIENTISTS

Tools:

Polls

Surveys Tallies Interviews, samplings, and questionnaires Case studies Methods/Skills Study the art and science of governmental, political, and legal decision-making processes Analyze issues of power, behaviors, language, changing laws Develop an understanding of multiple perspectives Reason through political and governance issues, e.g., wars Collect and interpret information on issues of public concern Analyze media's effect on public opinion Interpret statistics and social research methods, investigative reporting

TOOLS AND METHODS OF CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGISTS

Tools

Face to face interviews Primary sources Artifacts Technology Symbols of language, music, art Photos Data retrieval charts Methods/Skills Pose questions Gather and process data Observe artifacts, make inferences, form generalizations Excavate, map, catalog, group and label, and interpret Learn how to view things from what is called 'the native's point of view' Observe and record people's actions and with the help of informants seek to understand the meaning of those actions Be a participant-observer Participate in archaeological fieldwork Accept inconsistencies in reports

TOOLS AND METHODS OF GEOGRAPHERS

Tools

Maps, globes, charts, graphics Field work

Methods/Skills

Experience and carefully observe phenomena – land and water forms, flora and fauna, weather, and seasonal changes Observe, collect evidence, analyze information, and write reports

TOOLS AND METHODS OF ECONOMISTS

Tools

Charts, graphs, models Tables, ratio percentages, indices Averages and distributions Methods/Skills Study and interpret trends Predict effects of fiscal and monetary policy Advise groups on fiscal and monetary policy Interpret, apply and analyze data