

Essential Skills for Grade 5

- .Students will be able to sequence events in early American history from the “Age of Exploration to the formation of a national government
- .Students will be able to compare and contrast historical events in early America from “European Exploration” to the “Post-Colonial Era”
- .Students will be able to recognize the impact multiple view- points had on events in early American history
- .Students will be able to recognize the impact geography had on historic events
- .Students will be able to identify and interpret historical artifacts /primary and secondary sources and their significance to early America
- .Students will be able to extract relevant information by analyzing historical maps
- .Students will be able to compare and contrast historical maps with modern counterparts

Common Core Literacy Standards:

- .Determine the meaning of general academic and domain specific words and phrases in text relevant to grade five Social Studies topics
- .Conduct short research projects that use several sources to build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic