

POLITICAL SYSTEMS

- _____ Explain that the people of the United States choose leaders who make laws to protect our citizens and that there are consequences for not following them. **SS1-01**
- _____ Define the roles and responsibilities of citizens within various groups (e.g., home, school, community, government). **SS1-02**

ECONOMICS

- _____ Explain that individuals and families have choices to make that include unlimited wants but there are only limited resources to satisfy those wants. **SS1-03**
- _____ Describe how businesses provide opportunities for people to earn a wage for their home and family needs. **SS1-04**

HISTORY

- _____ Compare and contrast life today with lives of people long ago and recognize that events and decisions of the past affect life today. **SS1-05**
- _____ Discuss how transportation and trade connects people, their ideas, technology, and language both today and in the past. **SS1-06**

GEOGRAPHY

- _____ Identify landforms and bodies of water in relationship to the continents and describe their characteristics. **SS1-07**
- _____ Recognize representations of the Earth (e.g., maps, atlases, globes, models) and access information from a map using cardinal directions, colors, symbols, and a map key. **SS1-08**
- _____ Explain how resources are obtained from land and water for use by people and animals and must be preserved and protected. **SS1-09**

SOCIAL SYSTEMS

- _____ Identify the ethnic, cultural, and economic diversity contributing to our community and country. **SS1-10**