

K – 12 Unit Topics				
2021 – 2022	ELEM (K – 2)	INT (3 – 5)	MIDDLE (6 – 8)	HS (9 – 12)
Unit 9 September:	This Is My School (Government) Introduces authority figures and rules at school.	We Have Leaders (Government) Introduces the basic role of authority figures at the school, local, state and national levels.	Our Leaders; Our World (Government) Examines leaders at the world, national, state and local levels.	Leaders in Our Lives (Government) Identifies the roles of federal, state and community leaders and their impact in our lives.
Unit 10 October:	Animals in Their Homes (Life Science) Explores common animals and where they live.	Living in an Ecosystem (Life Science) Introduces plants and animals in various ecosystems and how they survive.	What Is an Ecosystem? (Life Science) Explores biomes and the animals that live in each.	Knowing Our Ecosystems (Life Science) Discusses ecosystems and biomes and the dangers they face.
Unit 11 November:	Finding Our Way (Geography) Introduces simple maps and other uses.	<b>On the Move</b> (Geography) Explores maps, landforms and different types of transportation.	Across the Miles (Geography) Explores how and why people travel.	What Does It Come From? (Geography) Identifies how trade affects transportation, technology and global change.
Unit 12 January:	See It, Feel It, Describe It (Physical Science) Explores matter and the ways matter can change as well as using senses to observe and describe materials.	It's Just a Phase (Physical Science) Explores the physical changes of matter.	What a Change! (Physical Science) Explores states of matter and how materials change states.	What's the Matter? (Physical Science) Investigates various physical and chemical changes in matter.
Unit 13 February:	Time for Peace (History) Explores people who worked for peace.	Cultures of Change (History) Explores how cultures have changed over time with a focus on the people who helped bring change.	American Peacekeepers (History) Introduces important Americans and how they have contributed to peace in our country.	Leaders for Peace and Equality (History) Examines central figures throughout history who played a role in promoting peace and fighting discrimination.
Unit 14 March:	The Hot, Hot Sun (Physical Science) Explores energy from the Sun and how it affects different objects.	Energy Around Us (Physical Science) Explores different forms of energy and how electricity makes things work.	Buzzing With Energy (Physical Science) Provides a basic study of energy and technology in daily life.	Energy Is Everywhere (Physical Science) Identifies and explains various types of energy.
Unit 15 April:	Can I Buy It? (Economics) Introduces wants and needs, and buying and selling.	Make It, Sell It, Buy It! (Economics) Explores wants and needs, producers and consumers, and production of goods.	<b>Right on the Money</b> (Economics) Explores how to get the most out of your money by making smart purchases.	But I Want It! (Economics) Investigates how a budget impacts meeting wants and needs.
Unit 16 May:	Fast and Slow, the Earth Changes (Earth and Space Science) Provides a basic introduction to Earth's events and the changes they bring.	Making It Last (Earth and Space Science) Focuses on renewable and non-renewable resources and how we can conserve them.	Caring for Our Earth (Earth and Space Science) Focuses on ways to reduce, reuse and recycle our resources.	Our Changing Earth (Earth and Space Science) Investigates Earth and the many changes it undergoes.