

# 4th Grade Social Studies Curriculum Map

Quarter	Topic	Concepts Covered	IL Standards	Assessments	Resources & Tools
Quarter 1	<b>Topic 1:</b> Illinois	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Illinois History</li> <li>• Illinois Geography</li> <li>• Illinois People</li> <li>• Patriot Day</li> <li>• Constitution Day</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SS.CV.1.4</li> <li>• SS.CV.2.4</li> <li>• SS.CV.4.4</li> <li>• SS..G.1.4</li> <li>• SS.G.2.4</li> <li>• SS..G.3.4</li> <li>• SS..H.1.4</li> <li>• SS..H.2.4</li> <li>• SS.H.3.4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 Formatives</li> <li>• 1 Summative</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Studies Textbook~ Regions of the United States</li> <li>• Inquiry Journal</li> <li>• Online resources</li> <li>• Teacher-created resources and materials</li> <li>• Maps, read alouds</li> <li>• Interactive TV</li> <li>• Chromebooks</li> <li>• Learning Videos</li> <li>• Scholastic News Magazine</li> </ul>
Quarter 2	<b>Topic 2:</b> Midwest Region	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How did the Midwest's Climate and Geography Affect early peoples</li> <li>• Why did different peoples move to and through the Midwest?</li> <li>• How did the Lakes and rivers contribute to the Industrial growth of the Midwest?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SS.<u>EC</u>.1.4</li> <li>• SS.<u>EC</u>.2.4</li> <li>• SS.H.1.4</li> <li>• SS.<u>IS</u>.3.3-5</li> <li>• SS.IS.5.3-5</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 Formatives</li> <li>• 1 Summative</li> </ul>	

Quarter 3	<b>Topic 3:</b> West Region	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What role did the geography of the West have in developing early cultures?</li> <li>• Why did people in the past migrate to the West?</li> <li>• How have people reacted to changes and challenges in the West?</li> <li>• How do natural resources drive the economy of the West?</li> </ul>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	
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Quarter 3	<b>Topic 4:</b> Southwest Region	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How did early people cope with the harsh environment of the Southwest?</li> <li>• What impact did the arrival of the Spanish have on the Southwest?</li> <li>• What drove people in and out of the Southwest?</li> <li>• How has the past influenced the culture and economy today?</li> </ul>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	
Quarter 4	<b>Topic 5:</b> State Research Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Topics researched about a state: geography, symbols, landforms, popular places to visit, fun facts, state motto, state symbols, state capital, cities, famous people, etc.</li> </ul>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	
	<b>Topic 6:</b> Northeast Region	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How did the geography of the Northeast influence the way people lived?</li> <li>• Why did revolutionary ideas prosper in the Northeast?</li> <li>• What conditions powered the Industrial Revolution?</li> <li>• What attracts people to the Northeast today?</li> </ul>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	
	<b>Topic 7:</b> Southeast Region	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How do people and the environment interact in the Southeast?</li> <li>• What made the southeast grow during the 1700's?</li> </ul>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	<b>Work in Progress/ Will be Updated Soon</b>	

		• What conflicts changed the Southeast?			
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