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Social Studies 2nd Grade	
Pacing Calendar 2016-2017	
Week	Social Studies Weekly Week
	Staff Development
	Holidays
	Building a Classroom Community
	Early Release Days
	STAAR Testing Days
Week 1	Welcome to Second Grade
Week 2	Where is the United States?
Week 3	Rules and Responsibility
Week 4	Good Citizens
Week 5	History and Time
Week 6	Technology
Week 7	Let's Review
Week 8	Explorers
Week 9	North American Indian Nations
Week 10	Changes for American Indians
Week 11	Changes in America
Week 12	American Celebrations
Week 13	Maps
Week 14	Let's Review
Week 15	Maps and Globes
Week 16	People, Seasons and Weather
Week 17	Presidents and Patriots
Week 18	American Symbols
Week 19	American Cultures
Week 20	Governments
Week 21	Let's Review
Week 22	Rights and Responsibilities
Week 23	Scientists, Artists and Inventors
Week 24	Families and Trade
Week 25	Resources and Choices
Week 26	Goods and Services
Week 27	Money and Markets
Week 28	Let's Review

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Texas Second Grade Studies Weekly (v16)

Texas Second Grade Social Studies Standards Coverage

August-September

Week 1: Welcome to Second Grade

Students will learn about American symbols (e.g., the American Flag and the Bald Eagle). They will practice reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and the Pledge to the Texas Flag. They will discuss the importance of being honest. [TEKS.b.13.A](#), [TEKS.b.14.A](#), [TEKS.b.14.B](#), [TEKS.b.14.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 2: Where is the United States?

Students will learn the locations of various places in the U.S. and Texas. They will also describe distance. [TEKS.b.1.B](#), [TEKS.b.6.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 3: Rules and Responsibility

Students will extend and refine their knowledge of rules and the consequences of breaking them. They will learn that people in authority have limits on their authority. [TEKS.b.13.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#), [TEKS.b.20.A](#), [TEKS.b.20.B](#)

Week 4: Good Citizens

Students learn some qualities of a good citizen and understand the benefits of fulfilling their responsibilities. They will learn that privacy is a right guaranteed by the U.S. Constitution. [TEKS.b.13.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 5: History and Time

Students will learn that history tells the story of people and events from different times and places. They will also extend their knowledge of calendar time and timelines. [TEKS.b.2.A](#), [TEKS.b.2.B](#), [TEKS.b.2.C](#), [TEKS.b.6.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.D](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 6: Technology

The students will learn how to use technology in the media center and classroom. They will also learn about primary sources and how they help us learn about history. [TEKS.b.2.B](#), [TEKS.b.3.A](#), [TEKS.b.3.B](#), [TEKS.b.17.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 7: Let's Review

Students will review content learned in Quarter 1. [TEKS.b.2.C](#), [TEKS.b.14.A](#), [TEKS.b.14.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#), [TEKS.b.20.A](#)

Week 8: Explorers

Students will learn about world explorers (e.g., Christopher Columbus, Alvar Nunez Cabeza, Ferdinand Magellan and Marco Polo) and U.S. explorers (e.g., Lewis and Clark, Sacagawea). [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.D](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 15: Maps and Globes

Students will learn about types of maps. They will identify various locations in North America. [TEKS.b.5.A](#), [TEKS.b.6.A](#), [TEKS.b.6.B](#), [TEKS.b.6.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.D](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 16: People, Seasons and Weather

Students will discuss seasons and weather and how they affect where people live and the activities they do. They will also learn about different natural hazards and how they affect the people who live there. [TEKS.b.7.A](#), [TEKS.b.7.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 17: Presidents and Patriots

Students will learn about people who have made important contributions to our country's history. They will also learn about individuals, events and documents that represent the U.S. [TEKS.b.2.C](#), [TEKS.b.4.A](#), [TEKS.b.4.C](#), [TEKS.b.13.B](#), [TEKS.b.13.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 18: American Symbols

Students will discuss the importance of the Statue of Liberty. They will also recognize important American symbols like the Liberty Bell. They will learn about the contributions of an American Indian named Chief Joseph, a Hispanic leader named Cesar Chavez and President Theodore Roosevelt. [TEKS.b.1.B](#), [TEKS.b.4.A](#), [TEKS.b.14.D](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.E](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 19: American Cultures

Students will compare and contrast American Indian cultures of the past to cultures found in the U.S. today, including African American, Hispanic and Asian American cultures. [TEKS.b.15.A](#), [TEKS.b.15.B](#), [TEKS.b.16.A](#), [TEKS.b.16.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.18.D](#), [TEKS.b.18.E](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 20: Governments

The students will learn why people form governments. They will also learn various ways to become an American citizen. [TEKS.b.1.B](#), [TEKS.b.11.A](#), [TEKS.b.11.B](#), [TEKS.b.12.A](#), [TEKS.b.12.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 21: Let's Review

Students will review content learned in Quarter 3. [TEKS.b.4.A](#), [TEKS.b.5.B](#), [TEKS.b.6.A](#), [TEKS.b.6.B](#), [TEKS.b.7.A](#), [TEKS.b.7.B](#), [TEKS.b.11.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

Week 22: Rights and Responsibilities

Students will learn about major elected officials in their community (e.g., mayor, city commissioner). They will understand the difference between elected and appointed officials. They will understand that rights and responsibilities reinforce each other and promote the common good. [TEKS.b.11.B](#), [TEKS.b.12.C](#), [TEKS.b.12.D](#), [TEKS.b.13.A](#), [TEKS.b.13.D](#), [TEKS.b.18.A](#), [TEKS.b.18.B](#), [TEKS.b.18.C](#), [TEKS.b.19.A](#), [TEKS.b.19.B](#)

TEKS.b.12.A, TEKS.b.12.D

Week 9: North American Indian Nations

Students will learn that American Indians were the first inhabitants of North America. They will learn about American Indian culture. TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.18.D, TEKS.b.18.E, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 10: Changes for American Indians

Students will learn about the impact American Indians faced as immigrants arrived. They will learn about the different types of communities (urban, suburban and rural) that formed as populations grew. TEKS.b.7.D, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.18.D, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 11: Changes in America

Students will explore how daily life of early colonists changed over time and how communities eventually became the cities and towns we live in today. They will begin to learn the consequences of expansion and learn the importance of conserving natural resources. TEKS.b.7.B, TEKS.b.7.C, TEKS.b.8.A, TEKS.b.8.B, TEKS.b.8.C, TEKS.b.17.B, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.18.D, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 12: American Celebrations

The students will learn about some important American celebrations (e.g. Thanksgiving, Independence Day, Memorial Day, Veterans Day and Juneteenth). TEKS.b.1.A, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 13: Maps

Students will learn the purpose of a map. They will learn the parts of the map (e.g. legend, symbols, scale, compass rose). They will also learn the types of maps (e.g. political, physical, theme). TEKS.b.5.A, TEKS.b.5.B, TEKS.b.6.B, TEKS.b.6.C, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 14: Let's Review

Students will review content learned in Quarter 2. TEKS.b.5.A, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 23: Scientists, Artists and Inventors

Students will learn about people from various backgrounds and cultures who made important contributions to our country. TEKS.b.4.B, TEKS.b.17.A, TEKS.b.17.B, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 24: Families and Trade

Students will learn how trade helps families around the world meet their basic needs. They will discuss how scarcity affects the choices families make. TEKS.b.7.C, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.18.D, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 25: Resources and Choices

Students will extend and refine their knowledge of human, natural and capital resources and the ways they are used. They will know that there are costs and benefits of making choices. TEKS.b.7.C, TEKS.b.8.A, TEKS.b.8.C, TEKS.b.9.B, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 26: Goods and Services

Students will extend and refine their knowledge of the requirements of various jobs, understand that most people work to produce goods or services, and understand that work provides income. TEKS.b.9.A, TEKS.b.9.B, TEKS.b.10.A, TEKS.b.10.B, TEKS.b.10.C, TEKS.b.11.C, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 27: Money and Markets

Students will understand the purpose of markets and the functions of a bank. They will also understand that people in different places depend on each other for goods and services. TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

Week 28: Let's Review

Students will review content learned in Quarter 4. TEKS.b.4.B, TEKS.b.7.C, TEKS.b.8.C, TEKS.b.9.B, TEKS.b.10.B, TEKS.b.12.A, TEKS.b.12.B, TEKS.b.13.A, TEKS.b.17.A, TEKS.b.17.B, TEKS.b.18.A, TEKS.b.18.B, TEKS.b.18.C, TEKS.b.19.A, TEKS.b.19.B

