



## 6<sup>th</sup> Individuals & Societies

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### Subject Aims

- Appreciate human and environmental commonalities and diversity
- Understand the interactions and interdependence of individuals, societies and the environment
- Understand how both environmental and human systems operate and evolve
- Develop inquiry skills that lead towards conceptual understandings of the relationships between individuals, societies and the environments in which they live

### Keys to Class

- *Discovery Our Past: A History of the World* can be accessed online for each student through the school year. All curriculum is built from the outlines of the textbook.
- Our classroom relies heavily on OneNote in which all classwork and assignments are posted and explained, along with due dates.
- Individuals and Societies is an interactive class, uncovering the history of the world through note-taking and in class discussions. In 6<sup>th</sup> grade, we learn about ancient civilizations and how they connect to today's world, government, and society while also learning what it means to be a good citizen.

### I.B. Grading Criteria

<b>Objective A: Knowing &amp; Understanding</b>	Students will be able to use a range of historical terminology in context as well as demonstrate knowledge and understanding of historical content and concepts through descriptions, explanations and examples.
<b>Objective B: Investigating</b>	Through an investigative process, students will complete their own historical investigation by choosing a clear research question, collect information, and evaluate the results.
<b>Objective C: Communicating</b>	Students will communicate information and ideas through structure and historically accurate references.
<b>Objective D: Thinking Critically</b>	To understand historical events, students will analyze concepts, issues, and visual representations through a variety of sources. They will make valid arguments through analysis and understand to recognize different views and their implications in history.

### Content Brief

<b>Trimester 1</b>	<b>Trimester 2</b>	<b>Trimester 3</b>
<p><i>Learn the responsibilities &amp; duties of citizens, how to identify reliable sources, agricultural revolution, and history of ancient Egypt.</i></p> <p>Citizenship and Democracy World Geography The Agricultural Revolution Ancient Egypt</p>	<p><i>Learn and uncover the development of governments and royal societies, how our government today was influenced by ancient societies.</i></p> <p>Ancient Civilizations and History: Greece, Rome, and India</p>	<p><i>Explore different religions and how they shaped the development of societies, learn about social class, art, and government through ancient civilizations.</i></p> <p>World Religions, Ancient Civilizations: Africa, China, Americas; Medieval</p>