

## Economics

State Standard Number	State Standard Area/Description	Unit Name	Course Topic Description
1	The student understands and applies knowledge of government, law, politics, and the nation's fundamental documents to make decisions about local, national, and international issues and to demonstrate thoughtful, participatory citizenship.		
1.1	Understands key ideals and principles of the United States, including those in the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and other fundamental documents.		
0	Washington has no content for this Component at this grade level.		
1.2	Understands the purposes, organization, and function of governments, laws, and political systems.		
1.2.1	Structure of Government		
1.2.1.a	Washington has no expectation for this topic at this grade level.		
1.2.2	Function of Government		
1.2.2.a	Washington has no expectation for this topic at this grade level.		
1.2.3	Forms of Government		
1.2.3.a	Evaluates the impact of various forms of government on people in the past or present.	Unit 3: Economic Systems	Section 3: Free Market Economy Section 4: Centrally Planned or Command Economy Section 5: Mixed or Modernized Economy
1.2.4	Political Parties		
1.2.4.a	Washington has no expectation for this topic at this grade level.		

## Economics

1.3	Understands the purposes and organization of international relationships and United States foreign policy.		
1.3.1	International Relationships		
1.3.1.a	Analyzes the relationships and tensions between national interests and international issues in the world in the past or present.	Unit 8: The United States and Globalization	Section 2: International Trade Section 3: Economic Development Section 4: The World Bank
1.4	Understands civic involvement.		
1.4.1	Civic Involvement		
1.4.1.a	Washington has no expectation for this topic at this grade level.		
2	The student applies understanding of economic concepts and systems to analyze decision-making and the interactions between individuals, households, businesses, governments, and societies.		
2.1	Understands that people have to make choices between wants and needs and evaluate the outcomes of those choices.		
2.1.1	Economic Choices	Unit 2: Foundations of Economics and the Problem of Scarcity  Unit 3: Economic Systems  Unit 4: American Free Enterprise and U.S. Government Involvement	Section 3: Scarcity and the Factors of Production Section 4: Decision Making  Section 2: Answering Economic Questions and Prioritizing Economic Goals  Section 3: The U.S. Government's Role in the American Free Enterprise System

## Economics

		Unit 6: Business, Banking and Finance	Section 1: Business, Banking, and Finance Section 2: Types of Business Organizations
		Unit 8: The United States and Globalization	Section 2: International Trade
2.1.1.a	Analyzes how the costs and benefits of economic choices have shaped events in the world in the past or present.	Unit 8: The United States and Globalization	Section 2: Writing Assignment: International Trade Article Section 2: Discussion: Free Trade or No Free Trade? Section 4: Discussion: To Aid or not to Aid?
2.2	<b>Understands how economic systems function.</b>		
2.2.1	<b>Economic Systems</b>		
2.2.1.a	Understands and analyzes how planned and market economies have shaped the production, distribution, and consumption of goods, services, and resources around the world in the past or present.	Unit 3: Economic Systems	Section 1: Economic Systems Introduction Section 2: Answering Economic Questions and Prioritizing Economic Goals Section 3: Free Market Economy Section 4: Centrally Planned or Command Economy Section 5: Mixed or Modernized Economy
2.2.2	<b>Trade</b>		
2.2.2.a	Analyzes how and why countries have specialized in the production of particular goods and services in the past or present.	Unit 2: Foundations of Economics and the Problem of Scarcity  Unit 3: Economic Systems  Unit 8: The United States and Globalization	Section 3: Scarcity and the Factors of Production Section 4: Decision Making  Section 2: Answering Economic Questions and Prioritizing Economic Goals  Section 2: International Trade

## Economics

2.3	Understands the government's role in the economy.		
2.3.1	Government and the Economy		
2.3.1.a	Analyzes the costs and benefits of government trade policies from around the world in the past or present.	Unit 8: The United States and Globalization	Section 4: Discussion: To Aid or Not to Aid?
2.4	Understands the economic issues and problems that all societies face.		
2.4.1	Economic Issues		
2.4.1.a	Analyzes and evaluates how people across the world have addressed issues involved with the distribution of resources and sustainability in the past or present.	Unit 8: The United States and Globalization	Section 2: International Trade Section 2: Writing Assignment: International Trade Article Section 2: Discussion: Free Trade or No Free Trade? Section 3: Economic Development Section 3: Writing Assignment: Researching Less Developed Countries Section 4: The World Bank