



You the Time Traveler

This world explores history and social studies. Students will learn how individual people and cultures of the past have helped shape today's world. Geography, timelines, and recognition of artifacts are also addressed in this curriculum.

Grades K-1

Grade 5

Grade 2

Grade 6

Grade 3

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Grades K-1							
Curriculum Themes:	Places & Events		People & Culture		Chronology & Time		
Theme Topics:	how events of the past can affect us in the present; important events in US history; types of maps and basic geography; comparing past habits and practices to those of the present		important inventors and innovations; key figures in US history; ways that cultures have and have not changed over time; how different cultures contribute(d) to the US in the present; introduction to ancient Egyptian civilization		terminology that is used to describe time and chronological order; calendars and the different units of time; days of the week, months, seasons, and holidays		
Key Terms:	history, settler, colony, geography, distance, continent, country, state, city, population, travel, transport		inventor, invention, communication, telegraph, president, ancient, mummy, tomb, artifact, community, tribe, tradition, language, culture		past, present, future, tomorrow, yesterday, day, week, month, year, weekday, weekend, leap day		
Additional Learning: Vocabulary Skill & Drill	• Comprehensive multiple-choice quiz with vocabulary drawn from the Time Traveler curriculum						
Additional Learning: Math Skill & Drill	• Counting Numbers: skip counting with whole numbers				• Counting Money: identifying and counting coins	• Solving Equations: arithmetic (addition, subtraction)	• Shapes: 2D and 3D Shapes

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Grade 2				
Curriculum Themes:	Places & Events		People & Culture	Chronology & Time
Theme Topics:	how events of the past can affect us in the present; important events in US history; types of maps and basic geography; comparing past habits and practices to those of the present		important inventors and innovations; key figures in US history; ways that cultures have and have not changed over time; how different cultures contribute(d) to the US in the present; introduction to ancient Egyptian civilization	terminology that is used to describe time and chronological order; calendars and the different units of time; days of the week, months, seasons, and holidays
Key Terms:	history, settler, colony, geography, distance, continent, country, state, city, population, travel, transport		inventor, invention, communication, telegraph, president, ancient, mummy, tomb, artifact, community, tribe, tradition, language, culture	past, present, future, tomorrow, yesterday, day, week, month, year, weekday, weekend, leap day
Additional Learning: Vocabulary Skill & Drill	• Comprehensive multiple-choice quiz with vocabulary drawn from the Time Traveler curriculum			
Additional Learning: Math Skill & Drill	• Counting Numbers: skip counting with whole numbers	• Counting Money: identifying and counting coins	• Solving Equations: arithmetic (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)	• Shapes: 2D and 3D shapes, shapes of everyday objects, symmetrical vs. asymmetrical

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Grade 3				
Curriculum Themes:	Events & Innovations		People & Culture	The Study of History
Theme Topics:	significant inventions, conflicts, and other key events in US history; how methods of communication have changed over time; comparing past habits and practices to those of the present; important dates and holidays		beliefs and practices in some Native American cultures; characteristics of early and ancient civilizations; important figures in US history; immigration and how different cultures contribute(d) to the US in the present	how to make and read historical timelines; methods that scientists use to study history; types of maps and how to read them; what art and architecture can teach us about the past
Key Terms:	canal, railroad, telegraph, telegram, construction, inventor, Industrial Revolution, colonial, colonist		tradition, origin, territory, civilization, mummification, immigrant, migrate, population, contribution, culture, custom, ancient, prehistoric, language, indigenous	chronological, year, century, decade, artifact, archaeologist, dig, boundary, border, geography, scholar, historian, architecture
Additional Learning: Vocabulary Skill & Drill	• Comprehensive multiple-choice quiz with vocabulary drawn from the Time Traveler curriculum			
Additional Learning: Math Skill & Drill	• Counting Numbers: skip counting with whole numbers	• Counting Money: identifying and counting coins and bills	• Solving Equations: arithmetic (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)	• Shapes: 2D and 3D shapes, shapes of everyday objects, symmetry, identifying triangles, identifying lines

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Grade 4					
Curriculum Themes:	Events & Innovations		People & Culture		The Study of History
Theme Topics:	significant inventions, conflicts, and other key events in US history; how methods of communication have changed over time; comparing past habits and practices to those of the present; important dates and holidays		beliefs and practices in some Native American cultures; characteristics of early and ancient civilizations; important figures in US history; immigration and how different cultures contribute(d) to the US in the present		how to make and read historical timelines; methods that scientists use to study history; types of maps and how to read them; what art and architecture can teach us about the past
Key Terms:	canal, railroad, telegraph, telegram, construction, inventor, Industrial Revolution, colonial, colonist		tradition, origin, territory, civilization, mummification, immigrant, migrate, population, contribution, culture, custom, ancient, prehistoric, language, indigenous		chronological, year, century, decade, artifact, archaeologist, dig, boundary, border, geography, scholar, historian, architecture
Additional Learning: Vocabulary Skill & Drill	• Comprehensive multiple-choice quiz with vocabulary drawn from the Time Traveler curriculum				
Additional Learning: Math Skill & Drill	• Counting Numbers: skip counting with whole numbers and decimals		• Counting Money: identifying and counting coins and bills	• Solving Equations: arithmetic and algebra (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)	• Shapes: 2D and 3D shapes; triangles and quadrilaterals; identifying lines; symmetry

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Grade 5				
Curriculum Themes:	Events & Innovations		People & Culture	The Study of History
Theme Topics:	significant inventions, conflicts, and other key events in US history; the impact of innovation on culture and the environment; how transportation and communication have changed over time; comparing past habits and practices to those of the present		important figures in US history; the impact past activists have had on the present; beliefs and practices in some Native American cultures; early and ancient civilizations; immigration and cultural exchange; how different cultures contribute(d) to the US in the present; world religions	how to make and read historical timelines; how historians determine reliable sources; methods scientists use to study history; ways that the study of history has changed over time; types of maps and how to read them
Key Terms:	engineer, technology, transcontinental, telegraph, Morse code, Industrial Revolution, manufacturing, colonization, suffrage		culture, custom, language, generation, urbanization, migrate, immigration, indigenous, population, ancestor	timeline, historian, narrative, autobiography, primary source, secondary source, era, fact, opinion, artifact
Additional Learning: Vocabulary Skill & Drill	• Comprehensive multiple-choice quiz with vocabulary drawn from the Time Traveler curriculum			
Additional Learning: Math Skill & Drill	• Counting Numbers: skip counting with whole numbers and decimals	• Counting Money: identifying and counting coins and bills	• Solving Equations: arithmetic and algebra (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)	• Shapes: 2D and 3D shapes; triangles and quadrilaterals; identifying lines; symmetry

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Grade 6				
Curriculum Themes:	Events & Innovations		People & Culture	The Study of History
Theme Topics:	significant inventions, conflicts, and other key events in US history; the impact of innovation on culture and the environment; how transportation and communication have changed over time; comparing past habits and practices to those of the present		important figures in US history; the impact past activists have had on the present; beliefs and practices in some Native American cultures; early and ancient civilizations; immigration and cultural exchange; how different cultures contribute(d) to the US in the present; world religions	how to make and read historical timelines; how historians determine reliable sources; methods scientists use to study history; ways that the study of history has changed over time; types of maps and how to read them
Key Terms:	engineer, technology, transcontinental, telegraph, Morse code, Industrial Revolution, manufacturing, colonization, suffrage		culture, custom, language, generation, urbanization, migrate, immigration, indigenous, population, ancestor	timeline, historian, narrative, autobiography, primary source, secondary source, era, fact, opinion, artifact
Additional Learning: Vocabulary Skill & Drill	• Comprehensive multiple-choice quiz with vocabulary drawn from the Time Traveler curriculum			
Additional Learning: Math Skill & Drill	• Counting Numbers: skip counting with whole numbers and decimals	• Counting Money: identifying and counting coins and bills	• Solving Equations: arithmetic and algebra (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)	• Shapes: 2D and 3D shapes; triangles and quadrilaterals; identifying lines; symmetry

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Grade 7				
Curriculum Themes:	Events & Innovations		People & Culture	The Study of History
Theme Topics:	significant inventions, conflicts, and other key events in history; the impact of innovation on culture and the environment; how education, transportation, and communication have changed over time; comparing past habits and practices to those of the present		important figures in history; how activists of the past have shaped the present; immigration and the role it has played in US history; early/ancient civilizations and their long-term impacts; how different cultures contribute(d) to the US in the present	themes of geography; why different people/cultures may have different views on historical events; how historians determine reliable sources; methods scientists use to study history; ways that the study of history has changed over time
Key Terms:	technological, Industrial Revolution, agriculture, manufacturing, telegraph, transmit, communication, Morse code, settlement		urbanization, population, reform, globalization, international, pharaoh, mummification	geographer, geography, cartographer, surveyor, sensor, characteristic, historian, bias, judge, value
Additional Learning: Vocabulary Skill & Drill	• Comprehensive multiple-choice quiz with vocabulary drawn from the Time Traveler curriculum			
Additional Learning: Math Skill & Drill	• Counting Numbers: skip counting with whole numbers and decimals	• Counting Money: identifying and counting coins and bills	• Solving Equations: arithmetic and algebra (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)	• Shapes: 2D and 3D shapes; triangles and quadrilaterals; identifying lines; symmetry

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Grade 8				
Curriculum Themes:	Events & Innovations		People & Culture	The Study of History
Theme Topics:	significant inventions, conflicts, and other key events in history; the impact of innovation on culture and the environment; how education, transportation, and communication have changed over time; comparing past habits and practices to those of the present		important figures in history; how activists of the past have shaped the present; immigration and the role it has played in US history; early/ancient civilizations and their long-term impacts; how different cultures contribute(d) to the US in the present	themes of geography; why different people/cultures may have different views on historical events; how historians determine reliable sources; methods scientists use to study history; ways that the study of history has changed over time
Key Terms:	technological, Industrial Revolution, agriculture, manufacturing, telegraph, transmit, communication, Morse code, settlement		urbanization, population, reform, globalization, international, pharaoh, mummification	geographer, geography, cartographer, surveyor, sensor, characteristic, historian, bias, judge, value
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