

Scope and Sequence - Middle School-1 Lesson Plans

History/Reading	Fine Arts	Science	Language Arts/Phonics
<u>Unit 1: Ancients</u> Major Canaanite Civilizations during OT Times: Israelites, Phoenicians, Philistines, Hittites Ancient Egypt: Geography and Leaders Ancient Greece: Geography, Contributions to Government, Philosophy Literature and Architecture Ancient Rome and the Early Church	Ancient Architecture Works of Art from Many Ancient Civilizations Architectural Achievements of the Greeks and Romans	Creation, Evolution and the Big Bang Theory Two Immutible Laws of Science Theories Explaining the Past Types of Rock and their Formation Geographic Land Forms and Features Erosion and Tsunamis Dating Methods Science in Ancient Rome	Analytical Reading: Making Inferences and Conclusions from Context Writing: Exploratory and Research/Note-taking, Thesis statement development Writing a Book Review Capitalization: book titles Literary: understanding plot Parts of Speech Review: Speaking: narration skills Poetry/Ancient Greek and Other Period Works
<u>Unit 2: Middle Ages</u> The British Isles Daily Life: Monastic Life, Common Occupations The Magna Carta Famous People: Eleanor of Aquitaine, King Alfred Empires: Japan, Mongol, Aztec, and Inca The Crusades	Illustrating Literature Works of Art Byzantine Art Architecture	Plants Continents and Oceans Tropics of Capricorn and Cancer The Rainforest Forests: Boreal and Temperate	Writing a Lab Report, Summaries Descriptive/Sensory Writing Self-editing Internet and Encyclopedias Period Poetry Punctuation: quotation marks Writing and Punctuating Dialogue Writing Essays: topic selection, outlining, paragraph development Reading: skimming for information
<u>Unit 3: Renaissance and Reformation</u> Daily Life: Major Kingdoms, Cities Travel, Monarchy, Guilds, and more	Study and Evaluation of Art	Insects and Spiders	Independent and Dependent

History/Reading

Unit 3: Renaissance and Reformation cont.

Daily Life: Printing Press, the Plague,
Hundred Years' War, Thirty Years War
Great Reformers: Wyclif, Huss, Tyndale
Calvin, Luther, Askew, Latimer, Ridley,
D'Albret, Rene, Duchess of Ferrara
Purpose and Effect of the Reformation
The Huguenots and the Edict of Nantes

Unit 4: Colonial Life

Mayflower
Colonial Overview: Mayflower trip,
Puritans and Separatists, 13 colonies,
The Mayflower Compact, Native
Americans, Trades, Farming, Medicine,
Quakers, Slavery, the Salem Witch
Trials

Unit 5: Revolution

Conditions before the War
Notable Europeans: King George,
Napoleon, Marie Antoinette, Louis XVI,
Frederick the Great, Catherine the Great
Beginning of the War: Continental
Congress
Famous Patriots: James Otis, Betsy
Ross, Paul Revere, Sam Adams,
George Washington, Dr. Joseph Warren
Molly Pitcher and more
European Events: Treaty of Paris,
September Massacre, French Revolution
and the Reign of Terror

Fine Arts

Picture Study: Velasquez
Sculpture Study
Drawing

Music: Bach, Pachelbel,
Handel
Picture Study: Vermeer

Music of the American
Revolution

Science

Astronomy

Static Electricity
Current Electricity
Magnetism

Human Body

Language Arts/Phonics

Common Writing Errors:
subject-verb agreement,
consistent verb tense
Oral Report with Visual Aid
Literary: Figurative Language
Punctuation: appositive
phrases, comma usage
Researching- who, what
when, where, why and how

Literary Elements: plot,
characters, setting, conflict,
climax and resolution
Characterization
Poetry/Anne Bradstreet
Literary: focus on conflict,
moving the plot along
Literary: historical fiction

Grammar: types and uses
of nouns, forming possessive
nouns, predicate nominatives
nouns as objects
Free Writing
Writing: newspaper articles
Poetry/Emerson, Longfellow

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<p><u>Unit 6: Westward Expansion</u> A Journey of Discovery Geography of America Native Americans Maps War of 1812</p> <p><u>Unit 7: Civil War</u> Causes and Initial Actions, Battles, Conclusion and Results Confederate and Slave States Important People: Henry Clay, Harriet Tubman, Abraham Lincoln, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Ulysses S. Grant, Robert E. Lee, Events: Fugitive Slave Act, Dred Scott Decision, 13th Amendment</p> <p><u>Unit 8: Immigration</u> World Missions and World Geography Missionaries: David Livingstone, John Paton, Hudson Taylor, Amy Carmichael Transcontinental Railroad and Ellis Island Manifest Destiny The Boxer Rebellion Europe: Health, Disease and Social Reform, Conditions Leading to Immigration, the Crimean War</p> <p><u>Unit 9: Modern</u> The Great War (WWI) The Great Depression WWII: Before, During and After</p>	<p>Classical Music: Tchaikovsky American National Anthem</p> <p>Civil War Music Picture Study</p> <p>Picture Study: Monet and French Impressionism Color Theory</p> <p>Music: Debussy and Puccini Music from WWII era Patriotic music</p>	<p>The Human Body</p> <p>Chemistry: Matter, Forces and Gases</p> <p>Oceans</p> <p>History of Flight</p>	<p>Idioms and Hyperbole Descriptive Writing Narrative Writing Poetry Punctuation of Titles</p> <p>Capitalization: regions vs. directions Analytical reading skills Phrases and Clauses Punctuation: Introductory Clauses Parallelism Literary: foreshadowing Grammar: misplaced modifiers Poetry</p> <p>Writing: biographical report, taking reading notes, web and traditional outlines Poetry: alliteration Poetry/Tennyson Writing: advanced writing skills and common errors, homonyms, hyphens and dashes</p> <p>Poetry/WWI Literary: personification Writing: answering study and essay questions, varying</p>

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Unit 9: Modern cont
The Holocaust

Fine Arts

Art Deco
Picture Study: Rockwell

Science

Skyscrapers
Solar System

Language Arts/Phonics

Writing: show, don't tell,
creative writing, reading
response journal, reading
notes
Literary: elements of literature