



Alignment Document

State of Florida And Aventa Learning World History

World History 2005-2007 Benchmark Blueprint

State Standard Number	State Standard Area / Description	Unit Name	Course Topic Description
SS.A	Time, Continuity, and Change [History]		
SS.A.1.4	The student understands historical chronology and the historical perspective.		
SS.A.1.4.1	understands how ideas and beliefs, decisions, and chance events have been used in the process of writing and interpreting history.		Throughout the course
SS.A.1.4.2	identifies and understands themes in history that cross scientific, economic, and cultural boundaries.		Throughout the course
SS.A.1.4.3	evaluates conflicting sources and materials in the interpretation of a historical event or episode.		Throughout the course
SS.A.1.4.4	uses chronology, sequencing, patterns, and periodization to examine interpretations of an event.		Throughout the course
SS.A.2.4	The student understands the world from its beginnings to the time of the Renaissance.		
SS.A.2.4.1	understands the early physical and cultural development of humans.	Foundations	The Neolithic
SS.A.2.4.2	understands the rise of early civilizations and the spread of agriculture in Mesopotamia, Egypt, and the Indus Valley.	Foundations	The Neolithic
SS.A.2.4.3	understands the emergence of civilization in China, southwest Asia, and the Mediterranean basin.	Foundations	The Roman World
		Foundations	Classical China
		Foundations	Classical Greece

		The World in Transition	Chinese Renaissance and Early Japan
		Exploration and Expansion	Asia in Transition
SS.A.2.4.4	understands significant aspects of the economic, political, and social systems of ancient Greece and the cultural contributions of that civilization.	Foundations	Classical Greece
		Revolution	The Industrial Revolution
SS.A.2.4.5	understands the significant features of the political, economic, and social systems of ancient Rome and the cultural legacy of that civilization.	Foundations	The Roman World
		Revolution	The Industrial Revolution
SS.A.2.4.6	understands features of the theological and cultural conflict between the Muslim world and Christendom and the resulting religious, political, and economic competition in the Mediterranean region.	Foundations	The Roman World
		The World in Transition	Islamic Civilization
SS.A.2.4.7	understands the development of the political, social, economic, and religious systems of European civilization during the Middle Ages.	The World in Transition	Middle Ages & Crusades
		Revolution	The Industrial Revolution
SS.A.2.4.8	understands cultural, religious, political, and technological developments of civilizations in Asia and Africa.	The World in Transition	Chinese Renaissance and Early Japan
		The World in Transition	African Civilizations
		Exploration and Expansion	Asia in Transition
		Foundations	Classical China
SS.A.2.4.9	understands significant social, cultural, and religious features of India, and India's conflict with the Moslem Turks.	The World in Transition	Islamic Civilization
		Foundations	Classical India
SS.A.2.4.10	understands significant cultural, religious, and economic features of civilizations in Mesoamerica and Andean South America.	Foundations	Early Americas
SS.A.2.4.11	understands political and cultural features of the Mongol Empire and the Empire's impact on Eurasian peoples.	The World in Transition	Chinese Renaissance and Early Japan

SS.A.3.4	The student understands Western and Eastern civilization since the Renaissance.		
SS.A.3.4.1	understands the significant political and economic transformations and significant cultural and scientific events in Europe during the Renaissance.	The World in Transition	Renaissance & Reformation
SS.A.3.4.2	understands significant religious and societal issues from the Renaissance through the Reformation.	The World in Transition	Renaissance & Reformation
SS.A.3.4.3	understands the significant economic, political, and cultural interactions among the peoples of Africa, Europe, Asia, and the Americas during the Age of Discovery and the European expansion.	Exploration and Expansion	The Western Exploration of the World
SS.A.3.4.4	knows the significant ideas and texts of Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, and Judaism, their spheres of influence in the age of expansion, and their reforms in the 19th century.	Foundations	Classical India
		Foundations	The Roman World
		Foundations	The Neolithic
		The World in Transition	Islamic Civilization
SS.A.3.4.5	understands the significant scientific and social changes from the Age of Reason through the Age of Enlightenment.	World in Transition	Renaissance and Reformation
SS.A.3.4.6	understands transformations in the political and social realms from the Age of Absolutism through the Glorious Revolution to the French Revolution.	Revolution	The French Revolution
SS.A.3.4.7	understands significant political developments in Europe in the 19th century.	Revolution	
SS.A.3.4.8	understands the effects of the Industrial Revolution.	Revolution	Industrial Revolution
SS.A.3.4.9	analyzes major historical events of the first half of the 20th century.	Revolution	
SS.A.3.4.10	understands the political, military, and economic events since the 1950s that have had a significant impact on international relations.	The Modern World	



SS.A.4.4	The student understands U.S. history to 1880.		
SS.A.4.4.1	understands the economic, social, and political interactions between Native American tribes and European settlers during the Age of Discovery.		
SS.A.4.4.2	understands how religious, social, political, and economic developments shaped the settlement patterns of the North American colonies.		
SS.A.4.4.3	understands the significant military and political events that took place during the American Revolution.	Revolution	The American Revolution
SS.A.4.4.4	understands the political events that defined the Constitutional period.		
SS.A.4.4.5	understands the significant political events that took place during the early national period.		
SS.A.4.4.6	understands the military and economic events of the Civil War and Reconstruction.		
SS.A.5.4	The student understands U.S. history from 1880 to the present day.		
SS.A.5.4.1	knows the causes of the Industrial Revolution and its economic, political, and cultural effects on American society.	Revolution	The Industrial Revolution
SS.A.5.4.2	understands the social and cultural impact of immigrant groups and individuals on American society after 1880.		
SS.A.5.4.3	understands significant events leading up to the United States involvement in World War I and the political, social, and economic results of that conflict in Europe and the United States.	Revolution	World War I and the Russian Revolution
SS.A.5.4.4	understands social transformations that took place in the 1920s and 1930s, the principal political and economic factors that led to the Great Depression, and the legacy of the Depression in American society.	Revolution	Great Depression & Totalitarianism
SS.A.5.4.5	knows the origins and effects of the involvement of the United States in World War II.	Revolution	World War II



SS.A.5.4.6	understands the political events that shaped the development of United States foreign policy since World War II and knows the characteristics of that policy.	Modern World	Europe and North American in the postwar years
SS.A.5.4.7	understands the development of federal civil rights and voting rights since the 1950s and the social and political implications of these events.	Modern World	Europe and North American in the postwar years
SS.A.5.4.8	knows significant political events and issues that have shaped domestic policy decisions in contemporary America.	Modern World	Europe and North American in the postwar years