Grade 5 Social Studies Syllabus 2023-2024

Ms. Anne

**First Semester:  Introduction to the United States & Caribbean History & Maps** (Students will take notes are receive study packets for this information.  Mapping skills will be supplemented throughout this semester.)

**Caribbean History & Geography / Mapping**

Lesson 1:  Our part of the world

Lesson 2:  Rocks, reefs & minerals

Lesson 3:  Skills for using Caribbean maps

Lesson 4:  People in the Caribbean

Lesson 7:  St. Maarten- Culminating in St. Maarten’s Day Celebration on November 11th!!

* **Travel Brochure Project**

**Second Semester:  UNITED STATES**

**Chapter 1: Native Peoples of North America**

Lesson 1: Settling the Americas

Lesson 2: Native Americans of the West

Lesson 3: People of the Southwest

Lesson 4: Native Americans of the Plains

Lesson 5: People of the Eastern Woodlands

**Chapter 2: Exploration and Colonization**

Lesson 1: The World Expands

Lesson 2: Spaniards Reach the Americas

Lesson 3: Spanish Exploration and Conquest

Lesson 4: Spain’s Overseas Empire

Lesson 5: Searching for the Northwest Passage

Lesson 6: The First French Colonies

Lesson 7: The First English Colonies

**Chapter 3: Colonial America**

Lesson 1: New England

Lesson 2: The Middle Colonies

Lesson 3: The Southern Colonies

Lesson 4: Colonial Life

Lesson 5: Slavery in the Colonies

* **Culture Day Project & Presentation – February**
* **Explorers Project & Presentation**