

Social Studies Pre and Post-Test Blueprints 2026 – 2027

This document provides the blueprint for the Exploros Social Studies Pre and Post Tests for each course. These tests are given at the beginning and end of the academic year. Each test includes 20 –25 questions aligned to the standards and units listed in the blueprint. The same blueprint is used for both the Pre-Test and the Post-Test.

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Grade 4 – Texas Studies Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
History	4.1B, 4.2B, 4.2E, 4.3A, 4.3E, 4.4A, 4.4B, 4.5A, 4.18B	9
Geography and Culture	4.7A, 4.7B, 4.8B, 4.17B	4
Government and Citizenship	4.13A, 4.13B, 4.15B	3
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	4.11A, 4.11D	2
Process	4.19A, 4.19C	2

Grade 4 – Texas Studies Blueprint by Unit

Texas Geography and Its Indigenous People

History	4.1B
Geography and Culture	4.7A

European Exploration and Settlement

History	4.2B
Geography and Culture	4.7B

Age of Empressarios

History	4.2E
Geography and Culture	4.8B

Revolution and Republic of Texas

History	4.3A
Process	4.19A

Early Texas Statehood and the Civil War

History	4.3E
History	4.4A
Process	4.19C

Reconstruction and Frontiers

History	4.4B
Government and Citizenship	4.13A
Government and Citizenship	4.13B
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	4.11D

Modern Texas

History	4.5A
History	4.18B
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	4.11A

Texas Culture

Geography and Culture	4.17B
Government and Citizenship	4.15B

Grade 5 – American History Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
History	5.1A, 5.2A, 5.2C, 5.4C, 5.4D, 5.4E, 5.5A, 5.5C, 5.14C	9
Geography and Culture	5.7A, 5.7C, 5.21B	3
Government and Citizenship	5.14B, 5.15A, 5.19A	3
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	5.11A, 5.12B, 5.22B	3
Process	5.23A, 5.23C	2

Grade 5 – American History Blueprint by Unit

Geography of the United States

Geography and Culture	5.7C
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	5.12B

Colonial America

History	5.1A
Process	5.23C

American Revolution

History	5.2A
History	5.2C

Constitution and Government

History	5.14C
Government and Citizenship	5.14B
Government and Citizenship	5.15A
Government and Citizenship	5.19A

Westward Expansion to 1850

History	5.4C
Geography and Culture	5.7A

Civil War through 1900

History	5.4D
History	5.4E
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	5.22B

The United States in the 20th Century

History	5.5A
History	5.5C
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	5.11A

Contemporary United States

Process	5.23A
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American Identity

Geography and Culture	5.21B
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Grade 6 – World Cultures Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
History	6.1A, 6.1B, 6.2B, 6.3A, 6.3B, 6.7B, 6.13D, 6.17A	8
Geography and Culture	6.5B, 6.13A, 6.14A, 6.15A	4
Government and Citizenship	6.9A, 6.9B, 6.10A	3
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	6.6C, 6.7A, 6.18A	3
Process	6.19B, 6.20A	2

Grade 6 – World Cultures Blueprint by Unit

Introduction to Physical and Human Geography

Process 6.20A

Government and Economic Systems

History 6.7B

Government and Citizenship 6.10A

The United States, Canada, and Mexico

Government and Citizenship 6.9B

Process 6.19B

Central America

History 6.3B

South America

Geography and Culture 6.15A

Government and Citizenship 6.9A

Europe

Geography and Culture 6.14A

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society 6.7A

Russia and the Republics

History 6.1B

Southwest Asia and North Africa

Geography and Culture 6.5B

Geography and Culture 6.13A

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society 6.18A

Sub-Saharan Africa

History 6.3A

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society 6.6C

South Asia

History 6.17A

East and Southeast Asia

History 6.2B

History 6.13D

Australia and Oceania

History 6.1A

Grade 7 – Texas History Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
History	7.1A, 7.2B, 7.2F, 7.3A, 7.5A, 7.7C, 7.7E	7
Geography and Culture	7.8B, 7.8C, 7.10A, 7.9A	4
Government and Citizenship	7.13A, 7.16B, 7.14A, 7.16A	4
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	7.11A, 7.19C, 7.12B	3
Process	7.20B, 7.20C	2

Grade 7 – Texas History Blueprint by Unit

Natural Texas and Its People

Geography and Culture 7.8B

Geography and Culture 7.8C

Exploration and Early Colonization

History 7.2B

Mexican National Era

History 7.2F

Geography and Culture 7.10A

Texas Revolution

History 7.3A

Republic of Texas and Early Statehood

Process 7.20B

Civil War and Reconstruction

History 7.5A

Process 7.20C

Texas Government

Government and Citizenship 7.13A

Government and Citizenship 7.16B

Government and Citizenship 7.14A

Cotton, Cattle, Railroads, and Westward Expansion

History 7.7C

Geography and Culture 7.9A

Age of Oil

History 7.7E

Great Depression and World War II

History 7.1A

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society 7.11A

Civil Rights and Conservatism

Government and Citizenship

7.16A

Contemporary Texas

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society

7.19C

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society

7.12B

Grade 8 – U.S. History Through 1877 Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
History	8.2A, 8.3A, 8.4A, 8.5C, 8.6B, 8.6C, 8.1A, 8.9A	8
Geography and Culture	8.10B, 8.10C	3
Government and Citizenship	8.4D, 8.19B, 8.18A, 8.16B, 8.25C	4
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	8.12B, 8.13B, 8.27A	3
Process	8.29B, 8.29C	2

Grade 8 – U.S. History Through 1877 Blueprint by Unit

Exploration and Colonization

History	8.2A
History	8.3A
Geography and Culture	8.10B

American Revolution

History	8.4A
Process	8.29C

Constitution

Government and Citizenship	8.25C
Government and Citizenship	8.4D

Government and Citizenship 8.19B

Early Republic

Government and Citizenship 8.18A

Age of Jackson

History 8.5C

Westward Expansion

History 8.6B

History 8.6C

Industrialization

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society 8.12B

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society 8.13B

Reform and Culture

History 8.1A

Civil War

Geography and Culture 8.10C

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society 8.27A

Reconstruction

Process 8.29B

History 8.9A

Government and Citizenship

8.16B

High School – World Geography Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
Geographic	WG.13A, WG.6B, WG.3B, WG.8A, WG.7D, WG.2A, WG.8B, WG.7C, WG.4C, WG.4A	10
Culture	WG.1B, WG.4B, WG.16B, WG.17A, WG.17B, WG.18D	6
Government and Citizenship	WG.14B, WG.14C	2
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	WG.19A, WG.10C, WG.10D, WG.20A	4
Process	WG.21B, WG.21C, WG.21D	3

High School – World Geography Blueprint by Unit

Introduction to Physical and Human Geography

Process	WG.21C
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	WG.20A

Government and Economic Systems

Government and Citizenship	WG.14B
Government and Citizenship	WG.14C
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	WG.19A
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	WG.10C

The United States, Canada, and Mexico

Geographic	WG.6B
Geographic	WG.13A

Process WG.21B

Central America

Geographic WG.3B

Process WG.21D

South America

Culture WG.1B

Culture WG.4B

Europe

Geographic WG.8A

Geographic WG.7D

Russia and the Republics

Geographic WG.2A

Southwest Asia and North Africa

Culture WG.16B

Sub-Saharan Africa

Geographic WG.8B

South Asia

Geographic WG.7C

Culture WG.17B

East and Southeast Asia

Geographic	WG.4C
Culture	WG.18D
Culture	WG.17A
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	WG.10D

Australia and Oceania

Geographic	WG.4A
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World History – High School Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
History	WH.16A, WH.3B, WH.22B, WH.3A, WH.4F, WH.6A, WH.9A, WH.7C, WH.7B, WH.10A, WH.12C, WH.13C, WH.13E	13
Geography and Culture	WH.15A, WH.4I, WH.15B	3
Government and Citizenship	WH.24B, WH.18B	2
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	WH.26D, WH.17A, WH.16C	3
Process	WH.28A, WH.28E, WH.29A, WH.29B	4

World History – High School Blueprint by Unit

The Beginnings of Human Society

History	WH.16A
Geography and Culture	WH.15A
Process	WH.28A

Classical Civilizations and Empires

History	WH.3B
Government and Citizenship	WH.24B
Process	WH.29B

Eastern Empires

History	WH.22B
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History	WH.3A
Geography and Culture	WH.4I

Medieval and Renaissance Europe

History	WH.4F
Process	WH.28E

The Americas

History	WH.6A
Process	WH.29A

An Era of Revolution

History	WH.9A
History	WH.7C
History	WH.7B
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	WH.26D

Industrialization and Imperialism

Geography and Culture	WH.15B
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	WH.17A

The World Wars

History	WH.10A
History	WH.12C

The Cold War

History

WH.13C

History

WH.13E

Globalization

Economics, Science, Technology, and Society

WH.16C

Contemporary Issues

Government and Citizenship

WH.18B

High School – U.S. History Since 1877 Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
History	US.3B, US.4A, US.4F, US.2A, US.7C, US.8A, US.8C, US.8F, US.8D, US.9G, US.11A, US.11B, US.3C, US.10C	14
Geography and Culture	US.25D, US.12A, US.14A	3
Government and Citizenship	US.18A, US.22A	2
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	US.15D, US.26C, US.27A	3
Process	US.28A, US.28B, US.28D	3

High School – U.S. History Since 1877 Blueprint by Unit

Gilded Age

History	US.3B
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	US.27A

Progressive Era

Geography and Culture	US.25D
History	US.3C

Rise of a World Power

History	US.4A
History	US.4F
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	US.15D
Geography and Culture	US.12A

Roaring Twenties

History	US.2A
Process	US.28A

The Great Depression

Government and Citizenship	US.18A
Process	US.28B

World War II

History	US.7C
Process	US.28D

Early Cold War

History	US.8A
History	US.8C

Vietnam and the 1960s

History	US.8F
History	US.8D

Civil Rights Movement

History	US.9G
Government and Citizenship	US.22A

1970s – End of the Cold War

Geography and Culture	US.14A
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History	US.10C
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1990s – 21st Century

History	US.11A
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History	US.11B
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Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	US.26C
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High School – Government Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
History	USG.1A, USG.1B, USG.2A, USG.2B, USG.6A, USG.12G	6
Citizenship	USG.14A, USG.12C, USG.12F, USG.15A, USG.12A, USG.12B, USG.9B	7
Government	USG.6D, USG.7H, USG.7A, USG.7B, USG.7C, USG.7E, USG.10A	7
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	USG.17A, USG.4B, USG.5B	3
Process	USG.19A, USG.19E	2

High School – U.S. Government by Unit

Foundations of the U.S. Government

History	USG.1A
History	USG.1B
Citizenship	USG.12B

The U.S. System of Government

History	USG.6A
Citizenship	USG.12A
Government	USG.6D
Government	USG.7H
Government	USG.7A
Government	USG.7B

Government	USG.7C
Government	USG.7E

The Constitution, Rights, and Civil Liberties

Citizenship	USG.12C
Citizenship	USG.12F
History	USG.12G

Political Parties and the Media

History	USG.2A
Citizenship	USG.15A
Government	USG.10A

Participation and Elections

Citizenship	USG.9B
Process	USG.19A
Process	USG.19E
Citizenship	USG.14A

Contemporary Governance

History	USG.2B
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	USG.17A
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	USG.4B
Economics, Science, Technology, and Society	USG.5B

High School – Economics Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
Economics	EC.1A, EC.1B, EC.2A, E.3A, EC.4A, EC.4C, EC.5A, EC.6A, EC.7A, EC.8A, EC.9A, EC.3B, EC.11A, EC.12A, EC.13A, EC.14A, EC.1D, EC.2C, EC.10A, EC.2B, EC.1C, EC.21A, EC.4B, EC.21E, EC.21C	25

High School – Personal Financial Literacy

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
	PFL.1A, PFL.2D, PFL.2F, PFL.3A, PFL.3B, PFL.4A, PFL.12F, PFL.5A, PFL.1C, PFL.6C, PFL.6B, PFL.7B, PFL.8C, PFL.10A, PFL.12A, PFL.12B, PFL.13A, PFL.14B, PFL.15D, PFL.16C, PFL.5D, PFL.6D, PFL.7A, PFL.8B, PFL.9B	25

High School – Personal Financial Literacy & Economics Blueprint

Report Category	Standards	Item Count
	9G, 8H, 8G, 6C, 9C, 1E, 9B, 1D, 2D, 1A, 6F, 4B, 3D, 2B, 6G, 8C, 2A, 6D, 2E, 1F, 1H, 2G, 2F, 3A, 4A	25