

Dear Parent or Guardian,

In Grade 6, students study people, places, and societies of the contemporary world, as required by Texas Law [TEKS]. Below you will find the order in which these topics are taught.

1st Six Weeks: Physical Geography	4 th Six Weeks: Europe
Human Geography	
Government	
Economics	
2 nd Six Weeks: North America	5 th Six Weeks: Asia
3 rd Six Weeks: Latin America	6 th Six Weeks: Africa & Oceania

The following are the Process Skills that your student will practice throughout the year:

- Comparing and Contrasting Point of View
- Engaging in Pair/Share
- Engaging in Peer Tutoring
- Engaging in student collaborative learning
- Explaining Political, Economic and Social roots of Historical periods
- Interacting with Academic Vocabulary

- Making connections between different groups
- Making connections to Future
 Historical Events and Present Situations
- Marking the text
- Taking Cornell Notes
- Taking Formative & Summative Assessments
- Using Thinking Maps and Graphic Organizers

We are looking forward to a great year! Respectfully,

6th Grade World Geography and Culture Teachers