

GEOGRAPHY
Measurement Topic: Maps & Globes
 Grade Four

Evidence shows student has met or exceeded the learning target

Evidence shows misunderstanding, misconceptions, or omissions

4.0	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught
3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determining location and distance using map features and scale (UNIT: Geography) • Interpreting different types of maps (UNIT: Geography)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Latitude ○ Longitude ○ Equator ○ Prime Meridian • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Locating features on a map (latitude & longitude lines, scale) ○ Identifying types of maps and geographical representations
1.5	Partial knowledge of score 2.0 elements Major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 elements
1.0	With assistance, student demonstrates partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements and some of score 3.0 elements
0.5	With assistance, a partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements but not score 3.0 elements

GEOGRAPHY
Measurement Topic: Physical Features
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4.0	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught
3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comparing physical features of their state to regions in the United States (UNITS: US Regions Studies, State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Coastline ○ Canal • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Describing physical features of different regions in the United States ○ Describing physical features of their state
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1.0	With assistance, student demonstrates partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements and some of score 3.0 elements
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GEOGRAPHY
Measurement Topic: Political Features
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4.0	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught
3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grouping the United States into regions in a variety of ways (political, physical, economical) (UNIT: US Region Studies) • Locating geographical areas within regions of the United States (states, capital cities, & major cities) (UNIT: US Region Studies) • Locating geographical areas of their own state (boundaries, capital city, other major cities) (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Region • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Naming different regions of the United States ○ Identifying geographic areas within regions of the United States ○ Identifying geographical areas of their own state
1.5	Partial knowledge of score 2.0 elements Major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 elements
1.0	With assistance, student demonstrates partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements and some of score 3.0 elements
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GEOGRAPHY
Measurement Topic: 5 Themes of Geography
 Grade Four

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3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defining and listing an example of each of the 5 Themes of Geography (UNIT: Geography) • Describe features of their own state using the 5 Themes of Geography (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 5 Themes of Geography ○ Region ○ Human-Environment Interaction • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Naming each of the 5 Themes of Geography ○ Identifying physical and political features of their own state
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ECONOMICS
Measurement Topic: Economic Concepts
 Grade Four

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4.0	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught
3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analyzing the strengths and weaknesses of the concept of specialization (UNIT: Economics)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Specialization • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Identifying examples of specialization
1.5	Partial knowledge of score 2.0 elements Major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 elements
1.0	With assistance, student demonstrates partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements and some of score 3.0 elements
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ECONOMICS
Measurement Topic: Resources
 Grade Four

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4.0	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught
3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Categorizing real-life examples of productive resources (natural, human, capital resources) (UNIT: Economics) • Explaining the concept of “income” (generating income and using income) (UNIT: Economics)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Wages ○ Budget ○ Income • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Comparing and contrasting different categories of productive resources (natural, human, and capital) ○ Identifying examples of income
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1.0	With assistance, student demonstrates partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements and some of score 3.0 elements
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ECONOMICS
Measurement Topic: Economics of the World
 Grade Four

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3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defining the purpose of an economic system (UNIT: Economics) • Explaining how the government is an example of an economic system (UNIT: Economics) • Describe the economy of their state (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Economic system • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Describing basic economic concepts
1.5	Partial knowledge of score 2.0 elements Major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 elements
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US HISTORY
Measurement Topic: Significant Events, Individuals, & Contributions
 Grade Four

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4.0	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught
3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describing the important individuals and events within each region of the United States (UNIT: US Region Studies) • Explaining how the geographical location of these regions impact historical events in that region (UNIT: US Region Studies) • Sequencing important historical events of their individual state (UNIT: State Studies) • Explaining the impact of national historical events on their individual state (exploration, conflicts, and other important events that are applicable) (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Exploration ○ Region • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Identifying important individuals and events within each region of the United States ○ Locating each of the regions of the United States ○ Describing important historical events of their individual state ○ Identifying national historical events
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US HISTORY
Measurement Topic: Current Events in the Context of History
 Grade Four

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4.0	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught
3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Predicting the impact that the current events will have on the future of their state (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Current events • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Explain current events happening within their state
1.5	Partial knowledge of score 2.0 elements Major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 elements
1.0	With assistance, student demonstrates partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements and some of score 3.0 elements
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CIVICS & GOVERNMENT
Measurement Topic: Citizenship- Awareness, Rights, & Responsibilities
 Grade Four

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3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describing the rights and responsibilities involved with American citizenship (freedom of speech, voting, knowing representatives) (UNIT: State Studies) • Identifying the major officeholders within their individual state and federal government representatives (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Citizen/citizenship ○ Representative democracy • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Describing citizenship ○ Identifying the offices held in the state and federal government
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CIVICS & GOVERNMENT
Measurement Topic: Government Systems
 Grade Four

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3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describing the 3 Branches of Government (UNIT: State Studies) • Ordering the levels of government (local, state, and national) in a hierarchy (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Executive ○ Legislative ○ Judicial ○ Senator ○ Governor • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Identifying the 3 Branches of Government ○ Describing the levels of government (local, state, national)
1.5	Partial knowledge of score 2.0 elements Major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 elements
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PEOPLE, CULTURE, & CIVILIZATIONS

Measurement Topic: Human Characteristics

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3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describing the cultural characteristics of people within their state (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Human characteristics Culture Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identifying different cultures in their state
1.5	Partial knowledge of score 2.0 elements Major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 elements
1.0	With assistance, student demonstrates partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements and some of score 3.0 elements
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PEOPLE, CULTURE, & CIVILIZATIONS
Measurement Topic: Historical Societies & Lifestyles
 Grade Four

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3.5	In addition to score 3.0, in-depth inferences and applications with partial success
Score 3.0	Student exhibits no major errors or omissions and demonstrates understanding by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describing the way of life of Native American tribes within their state (e.g., homes, traditional dress, foods, transportation, crafts, tools and other accomplishments) (UNIT: State Studies) • Explaining Native American influences on their state (UNIT: State Studies)

2.5	No major errors or omissions regarding score 2.0 elements with partial knowledge of score 3.0 elements
Score 2.0	Student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements. No major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing and recalling specific terminology, events, people, and locations such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Influence ○ Culture ○ Tribe • Performing basic processes such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Identifying the Native American tribes within their state ○ Recognizing that there are Native American influences within their state
1.5	Partial knowledge of score 2.0 elements Major errors or omissions regarding score 3.0 elements
1.0	With assistance, student demonstrates partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements and some of score 3.0 elements
0.5	With assistance, a partial understanding of some of score 2.0 elements but not score 3.0 elements