

This week in Social Studies

9/28-10/02

6th Grade

This week, 6th grade continued learning about ancient Mesopotamia and the development of early civilizations. Students explored important Sumerian achievements, including cuneiform, technology, irrigation, and other innovations that helped civilizations grow. We also discussed how geography and natural resources influenced daily life in Mesopotamia.

Coming Up:

Next week, students will continue exploring the civilizations of ancient Mesopotamia and how they developed over time. We will build on our understanding of government, inventions, written language, and the accomplishments of early empires.

7th Grade

This week, 7th grade continued our study of the English colonies in North America. Students learned about Jamestown and the development of the English colonies, while examining how geography, resources, and economic opportunities influenced where people settled and how they lived. We also began comparing the different colonial regions and their characteristics.

Coming Up:

Next week, students will continue learning about the New England, Middle, and Southern Colonies. We will compare the geography, economies, resources, and ways of life that made each colonial region unique.

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8th Grade

This week, 8th grade continued comparing the development of early river valley civilizations. Students examined ancient Egypt, Mesopotamia, India, and China and discussed how rivers, landforms, and natural resources influenced the growth of each civilization. We also focused on similarities and differences among these early societies.

Coming Up:

Next week, students will continue exploring the development and achievements of early civilizations. We will look more closely at how geography, government, culture, and innovations shaped these societies and contributed to their lasting impact.

Thank You, Ms. Layan