

Social Studies: Contemporary Issues

The issues will be studied under the 10 Strands/Themes of Social Studies

- **The students will use information for problem solving, decision-making, and planning:**
 - Poses analytical questions that suggest solutions for an issue
 - Evaluates a decision by raising new questions
- **The students will develop skills in constructive interpersonal relationships and in social participation:**
 - Uses questioning techniques that evaluate an event or issue
 - Views contemporary issues through perspective eyes
- **The students will participate effectively in civic affairs:**
 - Prioritizes solutions based on established criteria
 - Proposes an action plan to address the issue or to resolve the problem