## 8th Grade History Social Science Curriculum Map

First Trimester	Europe During Medieval Times    Europe During Medieval Times   1. The First Americans   2. European Exploration and Settlement   3. The English Colonies in North America   4. Life in the Colonies   Revolution in the Colonies   5. Toward Independence   6. The Declaration of Independence   7. The American Revolution   Forming A New Nation   8. Creating the Constitution   9. The Constitution: A More Perfect Union   10. The Bill of Rights   Launching the New Republic 11. Political Developments in the Early Republic   12. Foreign Affairs in the Young Nation   13. A Growing Sense of Nationhood   14. Andrew Jackson and the Growth of American Democracy
Second Trimester	The Expanding Nation 15. Manifest Destiny and the Growing Nation 16. Life in the West 17. Mexicano Contributions to the Southwest Americans in the Mid-1800s 18. An Era of Reform 19. The Worlds of North and South 20. African Americans in the Mid-1800s The Union Challenged 21. A Dividing Nation 22. The Civil War 23. The Reconstruction Era
Third Trimester	Migration and Industry 24. Tensions in the West 25. The Rise of Industry 26. The Great Wave of Immigration A Modern Nation Emerges 27. The Progressive Era 28. The United States Becomes a World Power 29. Linking Past to Present