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SOCIAL SCIENCES PROGRAM

SS 091 – KINDERGARTEN SOCIAL SCIENCES - 1ST SEM

0.5 CREDIT

- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	0.1	0.4
 - Social Sciences

Presents broad Social Studies themes in the context of the child's world using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

SS 092 – KINDERGARTEN SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

0.5 CREDIT

- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 091
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	0.4	0.9
 - Social Sciences

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SS 101 – 1ST GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 092
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	0.9	1.4

Explores calendar-based themes that focus on families, teams, neighbors, celebrations, heroes, and holidays using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

SS 102 – 1ST GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

0.5 CREDIT

- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 101
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	1.4	1.9

Explores calendar-based themes that focus on families, teams, neighbors, celebrations, heroes, and holidays using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

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SS 201 – 2ND GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 102
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	1.9	2.4
 - Social Sciences

Teaches an understanding of neighborhoods and communities. Early American and contemporary communities are studied using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

SS 202 – 2ND GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

0.5 CREDIT

- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 201
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	2.4	2.9
 - Social Sciences

Teaches an understanding of neighborhoods and communities. Early American and contemporary communities are studied using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

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SS 301 – 3RD GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 202
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	2.9	3.4

Examines history, geography, economics, culture, and government within the context of real communities using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

SS 302 – 3RD GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

0.5 CREDIT

- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 301
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	3.4	3.9

Examines history, geography, economics, culture, and government within the context of real communities using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

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SS 401 – 4TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 302
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	3.9	4.4
 - Social Sciences

Surveys the geography, culture and economies of the different U.S. regions in early times and today, and highlights famous leaders using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

SS 402 – 4TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

0.5 CREDIT

- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 401
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	4.4	4.9
 - Social Sciences

Surveys the geography, culture and economies of the different U.S. regions in early times and today, and highlights famous leaders using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

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SS 501 – 5TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 402
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	4.9	5.4
 - Social Sciences

Chronicles American History from ancient times to the present, with an emphasis on citizenship today using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

SS 502 – 5TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

0.5 CREDIT

- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 501
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	5.4	5.9
 - Social Sciences

Chronicles American History from ancient times to the present, with an emphasis on citizenship today using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

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SS 601 – 6TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 502
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	5.9	6.4
 - Social Sciences

Explores culture and geography from prehistoric times to the modern age, then focuses on today's world using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

SS 602 – 6TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 601
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late Elementary skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	6.4	6.9
 - Social Sciences

Explores culture and geography from prehistoric times to the modern age, then focuses on today's world using the Houghton Mifflin We the People curriculum.

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SS 701 – 7TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 602
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Middle/Junior High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	6.9	7.4
 - Social Sciences

This course uses the Houghton Mifflin Social Studies curriculum. It integrates world cultures, geography, and history from ancient times to the present.

SS 702 – 7TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 701
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Middle/Junior High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	7.4	7.9
 - Social Sciences

This course uses the Houghton Mifflin Social Studies curriculum. It integrates world cultures, geography, and history from ancient times to the present.

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SS 801 – 8TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 702
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Middle/Junior High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	7.9	8.4
 - Social Sciences

This course uses the Houghton Mifflin Social Studies curriculum. It analyzes U.S. History from the Constitution through World War I. Students must pass the State and Federal Constitution Exams upon completion of the course.

SS 802 – 8TH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCES – 2ND SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 801
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Middle/Junior High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	8.4	8.9
 - Social Sciences

This course uses the Houghton Mifflin Social Studies curriculum. It analyzes U.S. History from the Constitution through World War I. Students must pass the State and Federal Constitution Exams upon completion of the course.

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SS 901 – GEOGRAPHY - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 802
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	8.9	9.4
 - Social Sciences

This course begins with the Old World and leads students on a study-tour of the continents, highlighting the different lands and peoples of Asia, Africa, Europe, Australia, and the Americas.

SS 902 – GEOGRAPHY – 2ND SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 901
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	9.4	9.9
 - Social Sciences

This course begins with the Old World and leads students on a study-tour of the continents, highlighting the different lands and peoples of Asia, Africa, Europe, Australia, and the Americas.

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SS 1001 - WORLD HISTORY - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 902
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	9.9	10.4
 - Social Sciences

This course builds a solid foundation of world history using McDougal Littell's curriculum. Students study Prehistory of about 2500 B.C. to the present.

SS 1002 - WORLD HISTORY - 2ND SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 1001
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Early High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	10.4	10.9
 - Social Sciences

This course builds a solid foundation of world history using McDougal Littell's curriculum. Students study Prehistory of about 2500 B.C. to the present.

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SS 1101 - US HISTORY - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 1002
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	10.9	11.4
 - Social Sciences

This course focuses on the Civil War to the Present using Prentice Hall's curriculum America - Pathways to the Present. Students must pass the State and Federal Constitution Exams upon completion of the course.

SS 1102 - US HISTORY - 2ND SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 1101
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	11.4	11.9
 - Social Sciences

This course focuses on the Civil War to the Present using Prentice Hall's curriculum America - Pathways to the Present. Students must pass the State and Federal Constitution Exams upon completion of the course.

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SS 1201 - GOVERNMENT - 1ST SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 1102
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	11.9	12.4

This course focuses on the building of the American Government by looking at the history of our country's government in relation to other forms of government in different countries.

SS 1202 - GOVERNMENT - 2ND SEM

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- Prerequisite: Pre-Diagnostic Assessment
- Course Requirements:
 - ELA 1201
 - Demonstrate mastery of the Late High School skills in the Social Sciences Learning Standards.
 - Complete the following assessment requirements:

	Prerequisite	Credit Requirement
○ Social Sciences	12.4	12.9

This course focuses on the building of the American Government by looking at the history of our country's government in relation to other forms of government in different countries.