



**KENOSHA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1
INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES**

**STANDARDS AND BENCHMARKS
SOCIAL STUDIES
GRADE 2**

Standard A: Geography

A-1.2 Identify location using cardinal directions (N, S, E, W)

A-2.2 Use a map or globe to locate continents and oceans

A-3.2 Use map grids with letters and numbers to locate places

Standard B: History

B-1.2 Use a timeline to sequence events in history

B-2.2 Identify important events, people, and groups in history (e.g., Native Americans)

B-3.2 Understand our national images and symbols and why we celebrate national holidays

Standard C: Political Science and Citizenship

C-1.2 Show respect through cooperation and collaborative work (e.g., building a model community)

C-2.2 Identify basic freedoms (e.g., speech, expression of ideas, etc.)

Standard D: Economics

D-1.2 Give examples of goods and services

D-2.2 Identify the difference between needs and wants

Standard E: Behavioral Science

E-1.2 Identify the contributions of groups of people in America (e.g., Native Americans, settlers, African Americans, Hispanics, etc.)

Standard F-I: Social Studies Processes

F Access Information

Identify main ideas and some details

Explain their reasons for identifying main ideas and details

G Analyze Information

Begin to tell the difference between nonfiction and fiction sources

H Use Essential Vocabulary and Communicates Effectively

Use key vocabulary in explaining social studies concepts

I Use Current Events to Make Connections to the Past and Present

Make basic connections to how people live today vs. the past

MOST ESSENTIAL BENCHMARKS ARE IN BOLD AND ITALICIZED PRINT.