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YEAR AT A GLANCE Student Competencies by Quarter 2013-2014

Adopted Text: Harcourt Horizons: Pennsylvania

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Quarter 1 - 49 Instructional Days

How did the convergence of West Africa, Europeans, and Native Americans in the Americas reshape people's identities and culture?

Textual References

Harcourt Horizons- Pennsylvania Vol. 1
Unit 1
Unit 2 Chapter 3
Lesson 1
PA 1 - 1-16

African American History Module

Lessons 1, 2
Activity Masters 1 – 9

Economic Development in Philadelphia Module

Lesson 1
Activity Masters 1 - 3

To Demonstrate Proficiency By The End Of The Quarter Students Will:

- Define the term geography and the application of its five themes
- Demonstrate a clear understanding of the use of maps and globes
- Interpret the key elements used to read a map/globe
- Identify the seven continents and oceans of the world
- Locate North America and the United States on a map
- Define the major landforms, climates, natural resources and river systems of the US
- Define the concept of world regions. Explain that a region is determined by its physical, economic and cultural characteristics
- Locate and describe the regions of the US
- Identify the physical locations, regions, landforms, climate and natural resources of PA

- Discuss Egypt's location, climate and major contributions to world culture and history
- Discuss facts about Africa's geography and history

- Realize the importance of Philadelphia's geographic location in relation to Penn's Vision and the economic/population growth of the city

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Quarter 3 - 48 Instructional Days How has Pennsylvania changed over time?	
Textual References	To Demonstrate Proficiency By The End Of The Quarter Students Will:
<p>Harcourt Horizons Pennsylvania Vol. 2 <i>Unit 4</i> <i>Chapter 8 –</i> <i>Unit 5 - Chapter 10</i> <i>PA 4-1 – PA 4-16</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Locate Great Lake States on a map and identify landforms, climate, settlement patterns• Locate Plains States on a map and identify landforms, discuss importance of farming and way of life.• Review Pennsylvania’s history and use of natural resources.• Identify Mountain States and examine how the mountains affected travel and settlement of region.
<p>Economic Development in Philadelphia Module <i>Lesson 2</i> <i>Activity Masters</i> <i>4 – 9</i> <i>Lesson 3</i> <i>Activity Masters</i> <i>10-12</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research the immigrants of the 1800’s that came to Philadelphia and their contributions to the city.• Compare and contrast values of Lenape with that of the Europeans

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Quarter 4 - 41 Instructional Days	
How does the economy and government of Pennsylvania look today?	
Textual References	To Demonstrate Proficiency By The End Of The Quarter Students Will:
Harcourt Horizons: Pennsylvania Vol. 2 <i>Unit 5</i> <i>Chapter 11-</i> <i>Unit 6</i> <i>Chapter 14</i> <i>PA 5 - 1-16</i> <i>PA 6 – 1-16</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Locate Pacific States on a map and describe landforms and assess the region’s climate.• Discuss how the discovery of gold, the Pony Express, the telegraph and Transcontinental Railroad linked the east coast of the US with the west coast.• Understand the political, economic and cultural contributions of individuals and groups to PA history• Discover ways in which immigrants have shaped life and culture in the US.• Review the principles and functions of the US Federal Government.• Understand the duties and responsibilities of US citizens.• Examine the free enterprise system and its relationship to the economic development of PA.
Economic Development in Philadelphia Module <i>Lesson 4</i> <i>Activity Masters</i> <i>13-17</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discuss African American’s economic achievements in Philadelphia.
African American History Module <i>Lesson 4</i> <i>15-16</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describe African American’s role in our nation’s history and antislavery movement.