

Idaho Content Standards

Social Studies Concepts And Vocabulary Grades 6 - 9

Geography-Eastern Hemisphere

***This word list is not to be taught to students. The list is only reflective of concepts that students may encounter in classroom or state assessments.**

***The words in this list are intended to match the language of instruction to the language of assessment.**

Students are expected to know and apply VOCABULARY from previous grades.

Standard 1: History

Eastern Civilization indigenous cultures colonization colonial powers historical perspective historical origins central beliefs points of view Africa Asia	China Japan sub-Sahara Africa Muslim Judaism Christianity Islam Hinduism Buddhism Confucianism
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Standard 2: Geography

Eastern Hemisphere map components map projection Mercator projection visual data mathematical data charts tables graphs graphic organizers latitude longitude locational technology mental maps physical geography human geography erosion mountains alluvial deposition biomes earth/sun relationships ocean currents	winds climate regions country city physical characteristics cultural characteristics rural population urban population migration population distribution cultural patterns compare contrast manufacturing region agricultural region natural resources physical environment natural hazard technological hazard population centers historical trend land forms
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water forms
natural vegetation
climate
contrasting perspectives
acid rain

air pollution
water pollution
deforestation
Global Positioning System (GPS)
Geographic Information Systems (GIS)

Standard 3: Economics

standard of living
per capita
economic indicators
economic systems

economic issues
basic economic questions
factors of production
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)

Standard 4: Civics and Government

democracy
direct democracy
democratic republic
representative democracy
monarchy
parliament
congress
dictatorship
state
coup d`etat

junta
civil disobedience
revolution
legitimacy
independence
colonialism
empire
emperor
prime minister
president

Standard 5: Global Perspectives

culture
cultural institutions
cultural groups
social institutions
ethnicity
ethnocentrism

nation-state
global markets
urbanization
developing world
extinction