We the People... The Citizen and the Constitution

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CORRELATION GUIDE Level 1

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Introduction

What follows is a correlation between the lessons contained in the "level 1" text We the People: the Citizen and the Constitution (2003) and the Michigan Grade-Level Content Expectations (GLCE) for Social Studies (v.12/7), focusing on grades four and five. Connections to fundamental principles/values of American constitutional democracy, most of which are known in Michigan as "core democratic values," are included as well.

In the first section, each lesson from the text is listed along with the content expectations and principles/values that are addressed in each lesson. Included are the GLCE codes from the state document. The codes reflect the grade, the standard category, the standard, and the expectation for each GLCE. Codes for fourth grade expectations, for example "4 - C1.0.1," refer to fourth grade, first Civics standard, first expectation (K-4 expectations are organized using the standard categories and do not have codes for individual standards, and have a "0" inserted as a place holder). Fifth grade codes, for example "5 - U3.3.8," refer to fifth grade, third U.S. History and Geography era, third standard, eighth expectation.

While the focus of this correlation is on Civics expectations, relevant Geography and History expectations were included as well. Expectations shown in italics are touched upon in the text, and may be useful to reinforce instruction from other sources.

Except for the italicized expectations mentioned above, expectations are listed in their entirety. Bold type is used to show the portions of multiple-part expectations that are addressed in the particular lesson.

Page numbers following the expectations refer to the pages in the text where the expectation is specifically addressed.

The second section of this correlation guide contains a listing of the GLCE for Social Studies for fourth and fifth grades and identifies which lessons and page numbers address each expectation.

SECTION ONE

Unit One: What basic ideas about government did the Founders have?

	Lesson	Expectation (pages from WTP text))	Fundamental Principles/Values of American Constitutional Democracy
1:	What were the British colonies in America like in the 1770s? (pg. 5-12)	4 – G4.0.1 Use a case study or story about migration within or to the Unit States to identify push and pull factors (why they left, why they came) that influenced the migration. (pg. 6-8)	
	48	4 – G4.0.2 Describe the impact of immigration to the United States on the cultural development of different places or regions of the United States (e.g., forms of shelter, language, food). (pg. 6-9)	
		 5 – U2.1.1 Describe significant developments in the Southern colonies, including patterns of settlement and control including the impact geography (landforms and climate) on settlement. (pg. development of slavery. (pg. 8-9) 	9
		 5 – U2.1.2 Describe significant developments in the New England colonie including patterns of settlement and control including the impact geography (landforms and climate) on settlement. (pg. relations with American Indians (e.g., Pequot/King Phillip's War) (pg. 7) growth of agricultural (small farms) and non-agricultural (shipping, manufacturing) economies (pg. 8) 	t of 8)
		 5 – U2.1.3 Describe significant developments in the Middle Colonies, including patterns of settlement and control including the impact geography (landforms and climate) on settlement. (pg. the growth of Middle Colonies economies (e.g., breadbasket) (pg. 8) 	

			Describe the daily life of people living in the New England, Middle, and Southern colonies. (pg. 6-11) Describe colonial life in America from the perspectives of at least three different groups of people (e.g., wealthy landowners, farmers, merchants, indentured servants, laborers and the poor, women, enslaved people, free Africans, and American Indians). (pg. 6-9)	
		5 – U2.3.4	Describe the development of the emerging labor force in the colonies (e.g., cash crop farming, slavery, indentured servants). (pg. 6-9)	
		5 – U2.3.5	Make generalizations about the reasons for regional differences in colonial America. (pg. 7-8)	
2:	Why did the Founders believe that people needed a government? (pg. 13-20)	4 – C1.0.1	Identify questions political scientists ask in examining the United States (e.g., What does government do? What are the basic values and principles of American democracy? What is the relationship of the United States to other nations? What are the roles of the citizen in American democracy?). (pg. 15-19)	Individual RightsLifeLibertyPropertyRule of Law
		4 – C1.0.2	Explain probable consequences of an absence of government and of rules and laws. (pg. 16-18)	
		4 – C5.0.1	Explain responsibilities of citizenship (e.g., initiating changes in laws or policy, holding public office, respecting the law, being informed and attentive to public issues, paying taxes, registering to vote and voting knowledgeably, serving as a juror). (pg. 19)	
		4 – C5.0.2	Describe the relationship between rights and responsibilities of citizenship. $(pg.\ 19)$	
		5 – U3.1.7	Describe how colonial experiences with self-government (e.g., Mayflower Compact, House of Burgesses and town meetings) and ideas about government (e.g., purposes of government such as protecting individual rights and promoting the common good, natural rights, limited government,	

		representative government) influenced the decision to declare independence. (pg. 19)	
3: What is a republican government? (pg. 21-28)	4 – C1.0.1	Identify questions political scientists ask in examining the United States (e.g., What does government do? What are the basic values and principles of American democracy? What is the relationship of the United States to other nations? What are the roles of the citizen in American democracy?). (pg. 22-27)	 Common Good Patriotism Popular Sovereignty Representative Government
	5 – U3.3.5	Give reasons why the Framers wanted to limit the power of government (e.g., fear of a strong executive, representative government, importance of individual rights). (pg. 23-24)	
4: What is a constitutional government? (pg. 29-38)	4 – C3.0.1	Give examples of ways the Constitution limits the powers of the federal government (e.g., election of public officers, separation of powers, checks and balances, Bill of Rights). (pg. 32)	Constitutional Government
	5 – U3.3.5	Give reasons why the Framers wanted to limit the power of government (e.g., fear of a strong executive, representative government, importance of individual rights). (pg. 32-37)	
5: What ideas did the Founders use in the Declaration of Independence? (pg. 39-46)	4 – C5.0.1	Explain responsibilities of citizenship (e.g., initiating changes in laws or policy, holding public office, respecting the law, being informed and attentive to public issues, paying taxes, registering to vote and voting knowledgeably, serving as a juror). (pg. 40-41)	 Life Liberty Pursuit of Happiness
-marpenasaee (PS. 65 16)	5 – U3.1.1	Describe the role of the French and Indian War, how British policy toward the colonies in America changed from 1763 to 1775, and colonial dissatisfaction with the new policy. (pg. 40-41)	
	5 – U3.1.3	Using an event from the Revolutionary era (e.g., Boston Tea Party, quartering of soldiers, writs of assistance, closing of colonial legislatures), explain how British and colonial views on authority and the use of power without authority differed (views on representative government). (pg. 42-44)	

	5 – U3.1.4	Describe the role of the First and Second Continental Congress in unifying the colonies (addressing the Intolerable Acts, declaring independence, drafting the Articles of Confederation). (pg. 41-42)	
	5 – U3.1.5	Use the Declaration of Independence to explain why the colonists wanted to separate from Great Britain and why they believed they had the right to do so. (pg. 42-44)	
	5 – U3.1.6	Identify the role that key individuals played in leading the colonists to revolution, including George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Benjamin Franklin, Patrick Henry, Samuel Adams, John Adams, and Thomas Paine. (pg. 42, 44)	
	5 – U3.1.7	Describe how colonial experiences with self-government (e.g., Mayflower Compact, House of Burgesses and town meetings) and ideas about government (e.g., purposes of government such as protecting individual rights and promoting the common good, natural rights, limited government, representative government) influenced the decision to declare independence. (pg. 43-44)	
	5 – U3.1.8	Identify a problem confronting people in the colonies, identify alternative choices for addressing the problem with possible consequences, and describe the course of action taken. (pg. 40-44)	
6: What were the first state governments like? (pg. 47-52)	5 – U3.1.8	Identify a problem confronting people in the colonies, identify alternative choices for addressing the problem with possible consequences, and describe the course of action taken. (pg. 48-50)	 Individual Rights Popular Sovereignty Representative Government Constitutional Government
	5 – U3.3.5	Give reasons why the Framers wanted to limit the power of government (e.g., fear of a strong executive, representative government, importance of individual rights). (pg. 48-50)	Separation of PowersChecks and BalancesCivilian Control of the Military

Unit Two: How did the Founders write our Constitution?

	Lesson		Benchmarks	Fundamental Principles/Values of American Constitutional Democracy
7:	What was the first national government like? (pg. 55-62)	5 – U3.1.4	Describe the role of the First and Second Continental Congress in unifying the colonies (addressing the Intolerable Acts, declaring independence, drafting the Articles of Confederation). (pg. 56-58)	Freedom of ReligionFreedom of SpeechFreedom of Press
		5 – U3.3.1	Describe the powers of the national government and state governments under the Articles of Confederation. (pg. 57-58)	
		5 – U3.3.2	Give examples of problems the country faced under the Articles of Confederation (e.g., lack of national army, competing currencies, reliance on state governments for money). (pg. 59-61)	
		5 – U3.3.3	Explain why the Constitutional Convention was convened and why the Constitution was written. (pg. 61)	
8:	How was the Philadelphia Convention organized? (pg. 63-70)	5 – U3.3.3	Explain why the Constitutional Convention was convened and why the Constitution was written. (pg. 69)	
9:	How many representatives should each state have in Congress? (pg. 71-78)	4 – C3.0.3	Describe the organizational structure of the federal government in the United States (legislative , executive, and judicial branches). (<i>pg. 76-77</i>)	Representative Government
		5 – U3.3.4	Describe the issues over representation and slavery the Framers faced at the Constitutional Convention and how they were addressed in the Constitution (Great Compromise , Three-Fifths Compromise). (<i>pg. 72-77</i>)	

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10: What did the Framers do about the problem of slavery? (pg. 79-84)	4 – G4.0.1	Use a case study or story about migration within or to the United States to identify push and pull factors (why they left, why they came) that influenced the migration. (pg. 80)	
, 40	4 – G4.0.2	Describe the impact of immigration to the United States on the cultural development of different places or regions of the United States (e.g., forms of shelter, language, food). (pg. 80-81)	
	5 – U1.4.1	Describe the convergence of Europeans, American Indians and Africans in North America after 1492 from the perspective of these three groups. (pg. 80)	
	5 – U2.1.1	Describe significant developments in the Southern colonies, including • development of slavery (pg. 80)	
	5 – U2.3.3	Describe colonial life in America from the perspectives of at least three different groups of people (e.g., wealthy landowners, farmers, merchants, indentured servants, laborers and the poor, women, enslaved people , free Africans, and American Indians). (pg. 80)	
	5 – U3.3.4	Describe the issues over representation and slavery the Framers faced at the Constitutional Convention and how they were addressed in the Constitution (Great Compromise, Three-Fifths Compromise). (pg. 81-83)	

Unit Three: How does the Constitution organize our government?

Lesson		Expectation (pages from WTP text))	Fundamental Principles/Values of American Constitutional Democracy
	4 - C2.0.1	Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law,	 Common Good
11: What basic ideas about		checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights	 Justice
government are included in		(e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of	 Liberty
the Preamble to the		press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as	Popular Sovereignty

Constitution? (pg. 87-92)		reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 90)	
	4 – C1.0.3	Describe the purposes of government as identified in the Preamble of the Constitution. (pg. 89-91)	
12: How does the Constitution limit the powers of our government? (pg. 93-98)	4 – C2.0.1	Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 95-97)	Checks and BalancesSeparation of Powers
	4 – C3.0.1	Give examples of ways the Constitution limits the powers of the federal government (e.g., election of public officers, separation of powers, checks and balances, Bill of Rights). (pg. 95-97)	
	4 – C3.0.3	Describe the organizational structure of the federal government in the United States (legislative, executive, and judicial branches). (pg. 95)	
		Describe how the powers of the federal government are separated among the branches. (pg. 95-97) Give examples of how the system of checks and balances limits the power of the federal government (e.g., presidential veto of legislation, courts declaring a law unconstitutional, congressional approval of judicial appointments). (pg. 97)	
13: What is the legislative branch? (pg. 99-108)	4 – C2.0.1	Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 102-103)	 Checks and Balances Civilian Control of the Military Common Good Individual Rights Separation of Powers
	4 – C3.0.1	Give examples of ways the Constitution limits the powers of the federal government (e.g., election of public officers, separation of powers, checks and balances, Bill of Rights). (pg.	

	100-103)	
4 – C3.0.2	Give examples of powers granted to the federal government (e.g., coining of money, declaring war) and those reserved for the states (e.g., driver's license, marriage license). (pg. 101)	
4 – C3.0.3	Describe the organizational structure of the federal government in the United States (legislative , executive, and judicial branches). (pg. 100)	
4 – C3.0.4	Describe how the powers of the federal government are separated among the branches. (pg. 100-103)	
4 – C3.0.5	Give examples of how the system of checks and balances limits the power of the federal government (e.g., presidential veto of legislation, courts declaring a law unconstitutional, congressional approval of judicial appointments). (pg. 102-103)	
4 – C3.0.6	Describe how the President, members of the Congress , and justices of the Supreme Court come to power (e.g., elections versus appointments). (pg. 100)	
4 – C3.0.7	Explain how the federal government uses taxing and spending to serve the purposes of government. $(pg.\ 101)$	
4 – P3.1.1	Identify public issues in the United States that influence the daily lives of its citizens. (pg. 104-107)	
4 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on resolutions to a public policy issue in the United States. $(pg.\ 104-107)$	
5 – U3.3.6	Describe the principle of federalism and how it is expressed through the sharing and distribution of power as stated in the Constitution (e.g., enumerated and reserved powers). (pg. 101)	
5 – P3.1.1	Identify contemporary public issues related to the United	

	5 – P3.1.3	States Constitution and their related factual, definitional, and ethical questions. (pg.104-107) Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on contemporary constitutional issues in the United States. (pg. 104-107)	
14: What is the executive branch? (pg. 109-114)	4 – C2.0.1	Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 110-112)	 Checks and Balances Civilian Control of the Military Separation of Powers
	4 – C3.0.1	Give examples of ways the Constitution limits the powers of the federal government (e.g., election of public officers, separation of powers, checks and balances, Bill of Rights). (pg. 110-113)	
	4 – C3.0.2	Give examples of powers granted to the federal government (e.g., coining of money, declaring war) and those reserved for the states (e.g., driver's license, marriage license). (pg. 110-112)	
	4 – C3.0.3	Describe the organizational structure of the federal government in the United States (legislative, executive, and judicial branches). (pg. 113)	
	4 – C3.0.4	Describe how the powers of the federal government are separated among the branches. (pg. 110-112)	
	4 – C3.0.5	Give examples of how the system of checks and balances limits the power of the federal government (e.g., presidential veto of legislation, courts declaring a law unconstitutional, congressional approval of judicial appointments). (pg. 110-112)	
	4 – C3.0.6	Describe how the President, members of the Congress, and justices of the Supreme Court come to power (e.g., elections versus appointments). (pg. 113)	

	4 – C3.0.7	Explain how the federal government uses taxing and spending to serve the purposes of government. (pg. 111)	
	5 – U3.3.5	Give reasons why the Framers wanted to limit the power of government (e.g., fear of a strong executive, representative government, importance of individual rights). (pg. 110)	
	5 – U3.3.6	Describe the principle of federalism and how it is expressed through the sharing and distribution of power as stated in the Constitution (e.g., enumerated and reserved powers). (pg. 110-112)	
15: What is the judicial branch? (pg. 115-122)	4 – C2.0.1	Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 116-119)	 Checks and Balances Freedom of Religion Individual Rights Separation of Powers
	4 – C2.0.2	Identify situations in which specific rights guaranteed by the Constitution and Bill of Rights are involved (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press). (pg. 118, 120-121)	
	4 – C3.0.1	Give examples of ways the Constitution limits the powers of the federal government (e.g., election of public officers, separation of powers, checks and balances, Bill of Rights). (pg. 118-119)	
	4 – C3.0.2	Give examples of powers granted to the federal government (e.g., coining of money, declaring war) and those reserved for the states (e.g., driver's license, marriage license). (pg. 116-118)	
	4 – C3.0.3	Describe the organizational structure of the federal government in the United States (legislative, executive, and judicial branches). (pg. 116)	

	4 – C3.0.4	Describe how the powers of the federal government are separated among the branches. (pg. 116-118)	
	4 – C3.0.5	Give examples of how the system of checks and balances limits the power of the federal government (e.g., presidential veto of legislation, courts declaring a law unconstitutional, congressional approval of judicial appointments). (pg. 116-121)	
	4 – C3.0.6	Describe how the President, members of the Congress, and justices of the Supreme Court come to power (e.g., elections versus appointments). (pg. 116)	
	4 – P3.1.1	Identify public issues in the United States that influence the daily lives of its citizens. (pg. 120-121)	
	4 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on resolutions to a public policy issue in the United States. (pg. 120-121)	
	5 – P3.1.1	Identify contemporary public issues related to the United States Constitution and their related factual, definitional, and ethical questions. (pg.120-121)	
	5 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on contemporary constitutional issues in the United States. (pg. 120-121)	
16: How did the Constitution create a federal system of government? (pg. 123-129)	4 – C3.0.1	Give examples of ways the Constitution limits the powers of the federal government (e.g., election of public officers, separation of powers, checks and balances, Bill of Rights). (pg. 128-129)	• Federalism
	4 – C3.0.2	Give examples of powers granted to the federal government (e.g., coining of money, declaring war) and those reserved for the states (e.g., driver's license, marriage license). (pg. 124-	

	129)	
5 – U3.3.6	Describe the principle of federalism and how it is expressed through the sharing and distribution of power as stated in the Constitution (e.g., enumerated and reserved powers). (pg. 124-129)	
5 – U3.3.7	Describe the concern that some people had about individual rights and why the inclusion of a Bill of Rights was needed for ratification. (pg. 129)	

Unit Four: How does the Constitution protect our basic rights?

Lesson	Expectation (pages from WTP text))	Fundamental Principles/Values of American Constitutional Democracy
17: How does the Constitution protect your right to freedom of expression? (pg. 133-142)	4 – C2.0.1 Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 134-137)	Freedom of ExpressionIndividual RightsLiberty
	4 – C2.0.2 Identify situations in which specific rights guaranteed by the Constitution and Bill of Rights are involved (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press). (pg. 134-141)	
	4 – C5.0.3 Explain why rights have limits. (<i>pg. 137-141</i>)	
	4 – P3.1.1 Identify public issues in the United States that influence the daily lives of its citizens. (pg. 139-141)	
	4 – P3.1.3 Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on resolutions to a public policy issue in the United States. (pg. 139-141)	

	5 – U3.3.8	Describe the rights found in the First , Second, Third, and Fourth Amendments to the United States Constitution. (pg. 133-142)	
	5 – P3.1.1	Identify contemporary public issues related to the United States Constitution and their related factual, definitional, and ethical questions. (pg.139-141)	
	5 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on contemporary constitutional issues in the United States. (pg. 139-141)	
18: How does the Constitution protect your right to freedom of religion? (pg. 143-150)	4 – C2.0.1	Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 144-148)	Freedom of ReligionIndividual RightsLiberty
	4 – C2.0.2	Identify situations in which specific rights guaranteed by the Constitution and Bill of Rights are involved (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press). (pg. 144-149)	
	4 – C5.0.3	Explain why rights have limits. (pg. 146-147)	
	4 – P3.1.1	Identify public issues in the United States that influence the daily lives of its citizens. (pg. 146-149)	
	4 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on resolutions to a public policy issue in the United States. (pg. 146-149)	
	5 – U3.3.8	Describe the rights found in the First , Second, Third, and Fourth Amendments to the United States Constitution. (pg. 144-148)	
	5 – P3.1.1	Identify contemporary public issues related to the United States Constitution and their related factual, definitional, and ethical questions. (pg.146-149)	

	5 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on contemporary constitutional issues in the United States. (pg. 146-149)	
19: How does the Constitution protect your right to equal protection of the laws? (pg.	4 – C2.0.2	Identify situations in which specific rights guaranteed by the Constitution and Bill of Rights are involved (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press). (pg. 153-157)	EqualityIndividual RightsMinority Rights
151-158)	4 – C5.0.4	Describe ways citizens can work together to promote the values and principles of American democracy. (155-157)	
	4 – P3.1.1	Identify public issues in the United States that influence the daily lives of its citizens. (pg. 153-157)	
	4 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on resolutions to a public policy issue in the United States. (pg. 153-157)	
	5 – P3.1.1	Identify contemporary public issues related to the United States Constitution and their related factual, definitional, and ethical questions. (pg. 153-157)	
	5 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on contemporary constitutional issues in the United States. (pg. 153-157)	
20: How does the Constitution protect your right to due process of law? (pg. 159-164)	4 – C2.0.1	Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 160)	Individual RightsJusticeRule of Law
	4 – C2.0.2	Identify situations in which specific rights guaranteed by the Constitution and Bill of Rights are involved (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press). (pg. 160-163)	
	4 – P3.1.1	Identify public issues in the United States that influence the	

	4 – P3.1.3 5 – P3.1.1 5 – P3.1.3	daily lives of its citizens. (pg. 160-163) Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on resolutions to a public policy issue in the United States. (pg. 160-163) Identify contemporary public issues related to the United States Constitution and their related factual, definitional, and ethical questions. (pg. 160-163) Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on contemporary constitutional issues in the United States. (pg. 160-163)		
21: How does the Constitution protect your right to vote? (pg. 165-172)		the Chited States, (pg. 100-103)	•	Equality Individual Rights

Unit Five: What are the responsibilities of citizens?

Lesson		Expectation (pages from WTP text))	Fundamental Principles/Values of American Constitutional Democracy
22: What is the role of the United States in the world today? (pg. 175-182)	4 - C1.0.1 4 - C2.0.1	Identify questions political scientists ask in examining the United States (e.g., What does government do? What are the basic values and principles of American democracy? What is the relationship of the United States to other nations? What are the roles of the citizen in American democracy?). (pg. 176-180) Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. (pg. 179-180)	 Common Good Equality Individual Rights Liberty Life Popular Sovereignty Property Representative Government Rule of Law Separation of Powers
	4 - C3.0.4	Describe how the powers of the federal government are	

		separated among the branches. (pg. 178-179)	
	4 – P3.1.1	Identify public issues in the United States that influence the daily lives of its citizens. (pg. 176-178, 181)	
	5 – P3.1.1	Identify contemporary public issues related to the United States Constitution and their related factual, definitional, and ethical questions. (pg. 176-178, 181)	
23: What are some important responsibilities of citizens? (pg. 183-190)	4 – C1.0.1	Identify questions political scientists ask in examining the United States (e.g., What does government do? What are the basic values and principles of American democracy? What is the relationship of the United States to other nations? What are the roles of the citizen in American democracy?). (pg. 185-189)	 Checks and Balances Common Good Equality Freedom of Expression Freedom of Religion Individual Rights
	4 – C2.0.2	Identify situations in which specific rights guaranteed by the Constitution and Bill of Rights are involved (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press). (pg. 186-189)	JusticeSeparation of Powers
	4 – C5.0.1	Explain responsibilities of citizenship (e.g., initiating changes in laws or policy, holding public office, respecting the law, being informed and attentive to public issues, paying taxes, registering to vote and voting knowledgeably, serving as a juror). (pg. 186-189)	
	4 – C5.0.2	Describe the relationship between rights and responsibilities of citizenship. (pg. 185-189)	
	4 – C5.0.3	Explain why rights have limits. (pg. 184)	
	4 – C5.0.4	Describe ways citizens can work together to promote the values and principles of American democracy. (pg. 185-189)	
	5 – U3.3.8	Describe the rights found in the First, Second, Third, and Fourth Amendments to the United States Constitution. (pg. 186-188)	

	4 – C1.0.1	Identify questions political scientists ask in examining the	Common Good
24: How can citizens promote		United States (e.g., What does government do? What are the	Individual Rights
the common good? (pg.		basic values and principles of American democracy? What is	Popular Sovereignty
191-196)		the relationship of the United States to other nations? What are	
		the roles of the citizen in American democracy?). (pg. 192-195)	
	4 – C5.0.1	Explain responsibilities of citizenship (e.g., initiating changes in laws or policy, holding public office, respecting the law, being informed and attentive to public issues, paying taxes, registering to vote and voting knowledgeably, serving as a juror). (pg. 192-195)	
	4 – C5.0.2	Describe the relationship between rights and responsibilities of citizenship. (pg. 192-195)	
	4 – C5.0.4	Describe ways citizens can work together to promote the values and principles of American democracy. (pg. 192-195)	
	4 – P3.1.1	Identify public issues in the United States that influence the daily lives of its citizens. (pg. 193)	
	4 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on resolutions to a public policy issue in the United States. (pg. 193)	

SECTION TWO

Grade Four

	Expectation		the People sson/Pages
4 – C1.0.1	Identify questions political scientists ask in examining the United States (e.g., What does government do? What are the basic values and principles of American democracy? What is the relationship of the United States to other nations? What are the roles of the citizen in American democracy?).		15-19 22-27 176-180 185-189
		23: 24:	192-195
4 – C1.0.2	Explain probable consequences of an absence of government and of rules and laws.	2:	16-18
4 – C1.0.3	Describe the purposes of government as identified in the Preamble of the Constitution.	11:	89-91
4 – C2.0.1	Explain how the principles of popular sovereignty, rule of law, checks and balances, separation of powers, and individual rights (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press) serve to limit the powers of the federal government as reflected in the Constitution and Bill of Rights.	11: 12: 13: 14: 15: 17: 18:	90 95-97 102-103 110-112 116-119 134-138 144-148
4 – C2.0.2	Identify situations in which specific rights guaranteed by the Constitution and Bill of Rights are involved (e.g., freedom of religion, freedom of expression, freedom of press).	15: 17: 18: 19: 20: 23:	118, 120-121 134-141 144-149 153-157 160-163 186-189

4 – C3.0.1	Give examples of ways the Constitution limits the powers of the federal government (e.g., election of public officers, separation of powers, checks and balances, Bill of Rights).	4:	32
		12:	95-97
		13:	100-103
		14:	110-113
		15:	118-119
		16:	128-129
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4 – C3.0.2	Give examples of powers granted to the federal government (e.g., coining of money, declaring war) and those	13:	101
	reserved for the states (e.g., driver's license, marriage license).	14:	110-112
		15:	116-118
		16:	124-129
4 – C3.0.3	Describe the organizational structure of the federal government in the United States (legislative, executive,	9:	76-77
	and judicial branches).	12:	95
		13:	100
		14:	113
		15:	116
4 – C3.0.4	Describe how the powers of the federal government are separated among the branches.	12:	95-97
		13:	100-103
		14:	110-112
		15:	116-118
		22:	178-179
4 – C3.0.5	Give examples of how the system of checks and balances limits the power of the federal government (e.g.,	12:	97
	presidential veto of legislation, courts declaring a law unconstitutional, congressional approval of judicial appointments).	13:	102-103
	appointments).		tinued)

		14:	110-112
		15:	116-121
4 – C3.0.6	Describe how the President, members of the Congress, and justices of the Supreme Court come to power (e.g.,	13:	100
	elections versus appointments).	14:	113
		15:	116
4 – C3.0.7	Explain how the federal government uses taxing and spending to serve the purposes of government.	13:	101
		14:	111
4 – C5.0.1	Explain responsibilities of citizenship (e.g., initiating changes in laws or policy, holding public office,	2:	19
	respecting the law, being informed and attentive to public issues, paying taxes, registering to vote and voting knowledgeably, serving as a juror).	5:	40-41
	mo weagenou, ser and a juntor).	23:	186-189
		24:	192-195
4 – C5.0.2	Describe the relationship between rights and responsibilities of citizenship.	2:	19
		23:	185-189
		24:	192-195
4 – C5.0.3	Explain why rights have limits.	17:	137-141
		18:	146-147
		23:	184
4 – C5.0.4	Describe ways citizens can work together to promote the values and principles of American democracy.	19:	155-157
		23:	185-189
		24:	192-195
4 – P3.1.1	Identify public issues in the United States that influence the daily lives of its citizens.	13:	104-107
		15:	120-121
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		18:	146-149
		19:	153-157
		20:	160-163
		22:	176-178, 181
		24:	193
4 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on resolutions to a public	13:	104-107
	policy issue in the United States.	15:	120-121
		17:	139-141
		18:	146-149
		19:	153-157
		20:	160-163
		24:	193

Grade Five

	Expectation		the People sson/Pages
5 – U1.4.1	Describe the convergence of Europeans, American Indians and Africans in North America after 1492 from the perspective of these three groups.	10:	80
5 – U2.1.1	 Describe significant developments in the Southern colonies, including patterns of settlement and control including the impact of geography (landforms and climate) on settlement. development of slavery. 	1: 10:	8-9 80
5 – U2.1.2	 Describe significant developments in the New England colonies, including patterns of settlement and control including the impact of geography (landforms and climate) on settlement relations with American Indians (e.g., Pequot/King Phillip's War) growth of agricultural (small farms) and non-agricultural (shipping, manufacturing) economies 	1:	7-8
5 - U2.1.3	 Describe significant developments in the Middle Colonies, including patterns of settlement and control including the impact of geography (landforms and climate) on settlement. the growth of Middle Colonies economies (e.g., breadbasket) 	1:	8
5 - U2.3.2	Describe the daily life of people living in the New England, Middle, and Southern colonies.	1:	6-11
5 - U2.3.3	Describe colonial life in America from the perspectives of at least three different groups of people (e.g., wealthy landowners, farmers, merchants, indentured servants, laborers and the poor, women, enslaved people, free Africans, and American Indians).	1: 10:	6-9 80
5 – U2.3.4	Describe the development of the emerging labor force in the colonies (e.g., cash crop farming, slavery, indentured servants).	1:	6-9
5 – U2.3. 5	Make generalizations about the reasons for regional differences in colonial America.	1:	7-8
5 – U3.1.1	Describe the role of the French and Indian War, how British policy toward the colonies in America changed from 1763 to 1775, and colonial dissatisfaction with the new policy.	5:	40-41

5 – U3.1.3	Using an event from the Revolutionary era (e.g., Boston Tea Party, quartering of soldiers, writs of assistance, closing of colonial legislatures), explain how British and colonial views on authority and the use of power without authority differed (views on representative government).	5:	42-44
5 – U3.1.4	Describe the role of the First and Second Continental Congress in unifying the colonies (addressing the Intolerable Acts, declaring independence, drafting the Articles of Confederation).	5: 7:	41-42 56-58
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5 – U3.1.5	Use the Declaration of Independence to explain why the colonists wanted to separate from Great Britain and why they believed they had the right to do so.	5:	42-44
5 – U3.1.6	Identify the role that key individuals played in leading the colonists to revolution, including George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Benjamin Franklin, Patrick Henry, Samuel Adams, John Adams, and Thomas Paine.	5:	42, 44
5 – U3.1.7	Describe how colonial experiences with self-government (e.g., Mayflower Compact, House of Burgesses and town meetings) and ideas about government (e.g., purposes of government such as protecting individual rights and promoting the common good, natural rights, limited government, representative government) influenced the decision to declare independence.	2:	19
		5:	43-44
5 – U3.1.8	Identify a problem confronting people in the colonies, identify alternative choices for addressing the problem with possible consequences, and describe the course of action taken.	5:	40-44
		6:	48-50
5 – U3.3.1	Describe the powers of the national government and state governments under the Articles of Confederation.	7:	57-58
5 – U3.3.2	Give examples of problems the country faced under the Articles of Confederation (e.g., lack of national army, competing currencies, reliance on state governments for money).	7:	59-61
5 – U3.3.3	Explain why the Constitutional Convention was convened and why the Constitution was written.	7:	61
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5 – U3.3.4	Describe the issues over representation and slavery the Framers faced at the Constitutional Convention and how they were addressed in the Constitution (Great Compromise, Three-Fifths Compromise).	9:	72-77
		10:	81-83
5 – U3.3.5	Give reasons why the Framers wanted to limit the power of government (e.g., fear of a strong executive, representative government, importance of individual rights).	3:	23-24
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		6:	48-50
		14:	110
5 – U3.3.6	Describe the principle of federalism and how it is expressed through the sharing and distribution of power as stated in the Constitution (e.g., enumerated and reserved powers).	13:	101
		14:	110-112
		16:	124-129
5 – U3.3.7	Describe the concern that some people had about individual rights and why the inclusion of a Bill of Rights was needed for ratification.	16:	129
5 – U3.3.8	Describe the rights found in the First, Second, Third, and Fourth Amendments to the United States Constitution.	17:	133-142
		18:	144-148
		23:	186-188
5 – P3.1.1	Identify contemporary public issues related to the United States Constitution and their related factual, definitional, and ethical questions.	13:	104-107
		15:	120-121
		17:	139-141
		18:	146-149
		19:	153-157
		20:	160-163
		22:	176-178, 181
5 – P3.1.3	Give examples of how conflicts over core democratic values lead people to differ on contemporary constitutional issues in the United States.	13:	104-107
		15:	120-121
		17:	139-141
		18:	146-149
		19:	153-157
		20:	160-163