

SOCIAL STUDIES CURRICULUM – 2nd Grade

STANDARD A:

GEOGRAPHY: PEOPLE, PLACES, AND ENVIRONMENTS:

Students in Wisconsin will learn about geography through the study of the relationships among people, places, and environments.

Wisconsin Standard Number.	GRADE LEVEL BENCHMARK	ACTIVITY	ASSESSMENT	RESOURCES
A.4.1	Students will: use reference points, direction, size, shape and scale to locate positions on various representations of the earth's surface using maps and globes.	Read a city map on page 20 and 21 Do Try It questions	Workbook Pg 6	Social Studies book and workbook
A.4.2	Students will: locate on a map or globe physical features such as continents, oceans, mountain ranges and land forms and human features such as cities, states and countries.	Read landforms and water on a map pg. 60. Do Try It questions	Pg. 61 Try It #3 on your own Or Workbook Pg. 15	Social Studies book and /or workbook
A.4.3	Students will: construct a map of the world showing location of land masses, bodies of water and mountain ranges.	Use attached worksheet to construct map on a sheet of paper.	Label land masses and oceans on constructed map	Social studies book pg. R4
A.4.4	Students will: describe and give examples of ways people interact with the physical environment including use of land to meet their basic needs and materials used to build shelters.	Read 204 – 205	Discuss ways people in our community use the land to meet their needs	Social studies book