

Lansing School District Social Studies – 1st Grade

Families and Schools - Students continue to explore the social studies disciplines of history, geography, civics and government, and economics through an integrated approach using the context of school and families. This is the students' first introduction to social institutions.

Quarter	Pacing	Unit	Open Book Project Chapter
1	August - October	<i>Community Building - Classroom Constitution, Rules and Routines practiced. 1-2 weeks</i> 1 – What Is a Family?	1 – How do people get along with each other?
2	November - January	2 – How Do We Get What We Need or Want? 3 – How Do We Learn About Places?	5 – How do we get what we need and want? 3 – Where are we? 4 – How are we part of our environment?
3	February - March	4 – How Do we Learn About the Past?	2 – What stories are part of our past, present, and future?
4	April - June	5 – What Is a Citizen?	6 – How do people solve problems to make things better?