

**Course Title:** Grade 2 Social Studies    **Board Approval Date:** June, 2010

**Course Description:**

The Lewisburg Area School District Second Grade utilizes the Pennsylvania State Standards to create learning experiences in Social Studies. The students gain knowledge about communities, Native Americans, Colonial America, Government and the beginning skills needed to use a map.

**Learning Activities/Methods of Assessment:**

- Whole Group Instruction
- Small Group Instruction
- Hands-on Learning
- Cooperative Learning
- Worksheets
- Computer Program and Websites
- Teacher Observation
- Speakers
- Media

**Instructional Resources:**

Bednarz, S., Bennett, S., Fernald, E., Flanders, C., Holstrom, M., Rice, G., Robeson, P. (2001)  
*National Geographic Map Essentials*. Washington, DC National Geographic School Publishing.  
Age-appropriate Internet resources  
Trade books identified on LASD Approved Reading List

# Course Pacing Guide

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Course Unit (Topic)	Length of Instruction
1. Communities	25 Days
2. What is a Government	25 Days
3. Birth of a Nation	25 Days
4. Mapping/Geography	10 Days