

# Grade 2: Living and Working Together in State and Nation

## Civics SS24.2.C

- 1 Explain how rights and responsibilities for citizens are part of the American system of government. SS24.2.1**
  - a Describe the reasons for the settlement of the American colonies. SS24.2.1A
  - b Identify American principles found within the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States. SS24.2.1B

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- 2 Identify the three branches of government and describe their roles. SS24.2.2**
  - a Compare the state and national governments in respect to their powers, roles, and leaders. SS24.2.2A

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- 3 Explain the voting process. SS24.2.3**

## Economics SS24.2.E

- 4 Explain the economic processes of production and distribution, including the roles of producers, consumers, goods, and services. SS24.2.4**
  - a Identify examples of imported and exported goods, including those produced within Alabama. SS24.2.4A

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- 5 Explain how scarcity influences supply and demand. SS24.2.5**

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- 6 Explain how Alabama's natural resources are utilized in its economy. SS24.2.6**

## Geography SS24.2.G

- 7 Identify the seven continents, the five oceans, and the Equator shown on maps, globes, and satellite and digital images. SS24.2.7**

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- 8 Differentiate between the features of a physical map and a political map, and explain how these features contribute to the map's purpose. SS24.2.8**

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- 9 Compare the physical characteristics of regions throughout the United States, including landforms. SS24.2.9**
  - a Describe regions of the state and nation, using vocabulary associated with geographical features of Earth, including bay, hill, island, mountain range, peninsula, plateau, and valley. SS24.2.9A

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- 10 Identify cardinal and intermediate directions. SS24.2.10**
  - a Utilize gridlines to find locations on a map. SS24.2.10A

**11 Describe segments of time, including year, decade, and century.** SS24.2.11

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**12 Describe historical events and celebrations within the state and nation using primary and secondary sources.** SS24.2.12

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**13 Explain how national historical figures and celebrations relate to fundamental democratic principles.** SS24.2.13

- a Research and explain the importance of individual founders and significant figures who shaped the nation. SS24.2.13A
  - b Describe the purpose and significance of commonly observed holidays, commemorations, and celebrations. SS24.2.13B
  - c Describe the Alabama connections to national holidays, including Veterans Day and Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. SS24.2.13C
  - d Explain the history and significance of American symbols and monuments. SS24.2.13D
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**14 Explain how and why people have moved into and within the United States.** SS24.2.14

- a Describe the experiences of groups that have migrated to and within the United States throughout history. SS24.2.14A
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**15 Identify and summarize legends, stories, and songs that contributed to the cultural fabric of the United States.** SS24.2.15