

Grade 3 (AAS)

GEOGRAPHICAL AND HISTORICAL STUDIES: PEOPLE, PLACES, AND REGIONS

- 1 Identify vocabulary associated with maps and globes, including megalopolis, landlocked, border, elevation, and geospatial technologies. [SS.AAS.3.1](#)**

- 2 Define hill, plateau, valley, peninsula, island, isthmus, ice cap, and glacier. [SS.AAS.3.2](#)**

- 3 Identify how the environment is affected by humans in the local community, Alabama, and the world. [SS.AAS.3.3](#)**

- 4 Identify geographic, economic, and historic reasons people move to different places. [SS.AAS.3.4](#)**

- 5 Define and give examples of trade; differentiate between imports and exports; distinguish between goods and services. [SS.AAS.3.5](#)**

- 6 Identify reasons for conflicts between people, and within and between organizations, and geographic areas; identify ways to resolve conflicts and encourage cooperation. [SS.AAS.3.6](#)**

- 7 Identify that people tend to live where there are resources available to them; identify resources that make an area/location attractive to people for settlement. [SS.AAS.3.7](#)**

- 8 Identify characteristics of geographic regions of Alabama; identify different ways people travel throughout the state to access these regions. [SS.AAS.3.8](#)**

- 9 Participate in a classroom discussion about different types of natural disasters and ways to prepare for them. [SS.AAS.3.9](#)**

- 10 Demonstrate an understanding that families, schools, organizations, and governments have certain structures and rules; identify the Constitution of the United States as a set of rules for the country. [SS.AAS.3.10](#)**

- 11 Compare documents, letters, diaries, maps, and photographs and explain how they are used to reconstruct the past. [SS.AAS.3.11](#)**

- 12 Identify representations of American values and beliefs, including the Statue of Liberty, the United States flag, and the national anthem. [SS.AAS.3.12](#)**

- 13 Identify American Indians that have lived in Alabama for many centuries; identify key aspects of American Indian cultures in Alabama. [SS.AAS.3.13](#)**