

MOVE TO LEARN GLOBAL SCHOOL

GRADE 5 CURRICULUM - GEOGRAPHY

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS: THE WORLD IN SPACIAL TERMS

Unit 1

- Around the World
- Earth Seasons
- East and West
- Navigating the Globe
- Finding Places on the Globe
- Taking Away the Lines

Unit 2

- The Bermuda Triangle
- Columbus
- Magellan
- Around the World
- Care Package
- Ocean Voyage Journal

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS: PLACES AND REGIONS

Unit 3

- National Park Summer
- New Zealand
- Down Under
- Special Places
- National Park Trivia
- A Future National Park

Unit 4

- Stuck in the Ice
- Antarctica
- The Arctic
- Earth's Poles
- Stuck in the Ice!
- Can You Get Out?

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS: PHYSICAL SYSTEMS

Unit 5

- Thousands of Living Things
- Plants As Medicine
- The Amazon
- Amazing Region
- Do Your Own BioBlitz!
- Takes From the Amazon

Unit 6

- The Dog on the Glacier
- Glaciers
- Europe's Glaciers
- Glacier Words
- Protecting the Ice
- Glacier Protection

Unit 7

- The Hall of Mosses
- Temperate Rainforests
- Gondwana
- Special Rainforests
- Create a Nurse Log
- Save the Temperate Rainforests

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS: HUMAN SYSTEMS

Unit 8

- Saturday Explorations
- Ancient Greece
- How Old Is It?
- Exploring the Past
- Artifacts at Home
- Protecting the Past

Unit 9

- Scouting the Globe
- Spanning the Globe
- Negro Leagues
- Baseball Around the World
- Mapping the Players

- Baseball Connections

Unit 10

- Lost and Found
- Time Zones
- What Time Is It?
- Times Around the World
- Planning a Trip
- Oh, the Places I Will Go!

Unit 11

- A Secret Journey
- A Giant Well
- Roman Water
- Is There Enough Water?
- Montezuma Castle
- Changing the Land

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS: ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY

Unit 12

- The Mighty Colorado
- Panama Canal
- Three Gorges Dam
- Controlling Water
- Mapping the Water
- Keep the River Wild?

Unit 13

- Ask the Astronaut
- The Great Wall
- Open Pit Mines
- Visible From Space
- Where Are They/
- Hello Down There!

Unit 14

- The AT Trail
- PCT
- Camino de Santiago
- Long Journey Words
- Your Personal Journey

- Advertising a Long Journey

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS: THE USE OF GEOGRAPHY

Unit 15

- Protecting the Trees
- Seeing Is Believing
- An Amazing Forest
- Great Trees and Forests
- How Long Is That Sequoia?
- Saving Trees

Unit 16

- Don't Rain on the Olympics
- Making More Rain
- Stop the Storm!
- Modifying the Weather
- Make It Rain!
- Water Needed!