

## **Grade 6**

### **History of Our World: Early Ages with World Studies**

**State Assessment: CBA is required**

#### **Foundations of Geography**

##### **The World of Geography**

- The Five Themes of Geography
- The Geographers Tools

##### **Earth's Physical Geography**

- Our Planet, Earth
- Forces shaping the Earth
- Climate and weather
- How climate effects vegetation

##### **Earth's Human Geography**

- Population
- Migration
- Economic Systems
- Political Systems

##### **Cultures of the World**

- Understanding Culture
- Cultural Change

##### **Interacting with Our Environment**

- Natural Resources
- People's Effects on the Environment

#### **History of Our World: The Early Ages**

##### **The Beginnings of Human Society (Prehistory – 2500 B.C.)**

- Geography and History
- Prehistory
- The Beginnings of Civilization

##### **The Fertile Crescent (3500 B.C. – A.D. 300)**

- Land Between Two Rivers
- Fertile Crescent Empires
- The Legacy of Mesopotamia
- Mediterranean Civilizations
- Judaism

# **Ancient Egypt, India, China**

## **Ancient Egypt and Nubia (3100 B.C. – 31 B.C.)**

The Geography of the Nile

- The Rulers of Egypt
- Egyptian Religion
- Ancient Egyptian Culture
- The Cultures of Nubia

## **Ancient India (2500 B.C. – A.D. 500)**

The Indus and Ganges Rivers Valleys

- Hinduism in Ancient India
- The Beginnings of Buddhism
- Empires of Ancient India

## **Ancient China (1760 B.C. – A. D. 220)**

The Geography of China's River Valleys

- Confucius and His Teachings
- Warring Kingdoms Unite
- Achievements of Ancient China

# **World Studies Today**

## **Africa**

### **Political Geography**

- Countries

### **Physical Geography**

- Land and Water
- Climate and Vegetation
- Resources and Land Use

### **Cultures of North Africa**

- Elements of Culture
- Islam Influences
- Cultural Change

## **Asia**

### **South, Southwest, and Central**

- Political Geography
- Physical Geography
- Cultural
- Economic