Content Area	Social Studies
Grade/Course	Seventh/World Studies
Unit of Study	Geography of Southwest Asia/Environmental Issues/Pop. Distribution
Instructional Period	1,2,5,6

Insert a standard(s) below (include code). HIGHLIGHT the SKILLS that students need to be able to do and UNDERLINE the CONCEPTS that students need to know.

SS7G5 The student will locate selected features in Southwestern Asia (Middle East).

- a. Locate on a world and regional political-physical map: Euphrates River, Jordan River, Tigris River, Suez Canal, Persian Gulf, Strait of Hormuz, Arabian Sea, Red Sea, and Gaza Strip.
- b. Locate on a world and regional political-physical map the nations of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Saudi Arabia, and Turkey.

SS7G6 The student will discuss environmental issues across Southwest Asia (Middle East).

a. Explain how water pollution and the unequal distribution of water impacts irrigation and drinking water.

SS7G7 The student will explain the impact of location, climate, physical characteristics, Distribution of natural resources and population distribution on Southwest Asia (Middle East).

- a. Explain how the distribution of oil has affected the development of Southwest Asia (Middle East).
- b. Describe how the deserts and rivers of Southwest Asia (Middle East) have affected the population in terms of where people live, the type of work they do, and how they travel.

•	List Behaviors (what students should be able to do; focus on verbs)	List Content (what students should know; focus on concepts)		nine DOK on and assessment)
	Students should be		DOK Levels	DOK Ceiling
	able to locate selected countries and major physical features in Southwest Asia using a world and regional political- physical map.	Students should know how to use a political- physical or physical map to locate where in Southwest Asia the listed physical features are located. Students should know the specific aspects of the issues in the element, but based on the standard should also be able to provide some	1,2,3,4	4
	Students should be able to discuss how the specific environmental issues identified in the elements affect the economies and	background on the issues and their consequences. Students should know that development refers to population and population distribution, changes in standard of living, and overall economic development.		

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Southwest Asia.		IAFS I, Z
Students		
should be able		
to explain how		
location,		
climate, and		
distribution of		
natural		
resources have		
impacted		
population		
distribution and		
trade in		
Southwest Asia.		

Pre-Planning Worksheet

DOK Level TAPS 2, 3, 4, 5	Possible Aligned Activities and Questions	Resources
1APS 2, 3, 4, 5		(on/offline)
DOK 1	Students will locate and memorize selected features in	Maps, PowerPoint, Personal
	Southwest Asia.	Technology
DOK 2	Students will summarize how location affects a society's	Maps, PowerPoint, Personal
	economy, culture, and development.	Technology
DOK 3	Student will compare/contrast how location affects a society's	Maps, PowerPoint, Personal
	economy, culture, and development.	Technology
DOK 4	Students will analyze how location affects a society's economy,	Maps, PowerPoint, Personal
	culture, and development.	Technology
DOK Level	Possible Aligned Assessment Items/Tasks	Resources
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TAPS 2, 3, 4, 5		(on/offline)
TAPS 2, 3, 4, 5	Students will identify how water pollution and the unequal	(on/offline) Maps, PowerPoint, Personal
TAPS 2, 3, 4, 5 DOK 1	Students will identify how water pollution and the unequal distribution of water impacts irrigation and drinking water.	(on/offline) Maps, PowerPoint, Personal Technology
TAPS 2, 3, 4, 5 DOK 1	Students will identify how water pollution and the unequal distribution of water impacts irrigation and drinking water. Students will interpret how water pollution and the unequal	(on/offline) Maps, PowerPoint, Personal Technology Maps, PowerPoint, Personal
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Standards (Prin	nary)	DOK (Ceiling) Integrated
KNOW/UNDERSTAND	Essential Question/End EU- Location: The stude understand that loc a society's economy and development. EQ: 1. Where are sele EU - Human Environment The student will und humans, their society environment affect e	ent will cation affects y, culture, ected features located cal Interaction: erstand that y, and the each other. eteraction of y, and the	TAPS 2, 3
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	KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS (Key Vocabulary)		
	Vocabulary- Tier 1 Words using to teach Tiers 2-3	Vocabulary Tier 2 Academic vocabulary across content-areas	Vocabulary Tier 3 Content-specific, domain-specific .
	Identify Explain Locate	Summarize Infer Predict Classify Categorize	Human Environment Interaction Physical Geography Movement Migratic TAPS 2, 3, 5 Population Distribution Location Distribution of Natural Resources Physical Characteristics Climate Oil Agriculture Pollution Irrigation

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Pre-assessment to Inform Instruction Unit Pre-test Assessment for Learning or Assessment of Learning **Unit Post-test TAPS 2, 3, Product** Content **Process** <u>D</u>O Students can Guide students to Students will complete a Advanced identify selected understand where map locating selected locations in various locations features in Southwest are located. Southwest Asia. Asia. Students Students will create a Ready Guide students understand the to create Venn Diagram that interaction of various graphs illustrates the humans and their and charts. similarities and differences in various society. regions of the Middle East. Students need Guide students Students will explain Need through various understanding of how the environment **Prerequisites** map skills. tasks to identify the and humans impact each selected locations in other. the Middle Fast. TAPS 2, 3, 5, 6, 8 Steps to Deliver the Lesson Using WICOR Warm Up Question Engage (Hook, introduction to lesson Students will answer standard based warm up guestions in the first 5-7 concepts) minutes of class. WICOR: Discuss map skills and the human and environment interactions that impact Explore/Explain society. (teaching content all students need to know, understand and be able to do

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WICOR:	
Enrich/Elaborate (differentiation of process)	Students will write on their individual levels and be able to produce a text at their capacity. Students will be supported through the scaffolding of graphic organizers. Students will work in academic groups based on ability and demonstrated skill need. Varying levels of demonstration will be required based on student need and ability.
WICOR:	
Evaluation (Formative assessment)	Students will be able to locate selected features in Southwest Asia and create charts and diagrams that explain and illustrate the environmental issues in Southwest Asia.
	Unit 1 Post Assessment
WICOR:	
Resources	Articles, Vocabulary Words, Group Activities, PowerPoint, Students Personal Technology, Maps

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