# Scope and Sequence

**DIVERSITY**  
**GRADES 5–8**

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| Understand population density and how choropleth maps measure population | Geography, Language Arts, Math, Civics | - Read a choropleth map  
- Interpret data from a population density map  
- Create a choropleth population density map | - Understand the characteristics and uses of maps, globes, and other geographic tools and technologies  
- Use reading skills and strategies to understand and interpret a variety of informational texts  
- Understand and apply basic and advanced concepts of statistics and data analysis |
| **LESSON 2: The Diversity Around Us** | | | |
| Understand that diversity includes race, ethnicity, and country of origin | Geography, Language Arts, Math, Civics | - Identify the population patterns of various racial and ethnic groups in the United States  
- Synthesize information from more than one map  
- Develop and participate in a quiz game on diversity | - Understand the nature, distribution, and migration of human populations on Earth’s surface  
- Use reading skills and strategies to understand and interpret a variety of informational texts  
- Understand the role of diversity in American life and the importance of shared values, political beliefs, and civic beliefs in an increasingly diverse American society |
| **LESSON 3: Diversity Fair** | | | |
| Understand the different races and ethnic cultures in the United States  
Understand the contributions racial and ethnic groups have made to the nation | Geography, Language Arts, Civics | - Research a major racial or ethnic group, or world region  
- Identify the group’s or region’s contributions to American life  
- Develop a presentation for a Diversity Fair | - Gather and use information for research purposes  
- Understand the role of diversity in American life and the importance of shared values, political beliefs, and civic beliefs in an increasingly diverse American society  
- Use listening and speaking strategies for different purposes |

*See National Standards and Benchmarks for a complete list of the benchmarks met by this program.*