

Saint Theresa of Avila School- West Roxbury, MA

Curriculum Maps

Subject: Social Studies

Grade: K2

Essential Question	Topic	Content	Resources	Assessments
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -What are the school and classroom rules? -Why is it important to listen and follow directions? -Why is it important to be kind? -How can we be kind? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Back to School -School Community 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -School rules -Classroom rules and routines -Being a friend 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Scholastic News -Children's books -Videos -Worksheets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Class -Homework -Group work -Friendship -Illustrations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Who was Christopher Columbus? -Why is fire safety important? -How can we be safe on Halloween? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Columbus Day -Fire Prevention Week -Halloween 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Christopher Columbus -Fire safety -Fire drill practice -Halloween fun and activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Scholastic News -Children's books -Videos -Field trips -Worksheets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Class -Homework -Group work -Illustrations
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -What is a veteran and why do we celebrate Veterans Day? -Why are we thankful? -Who were the 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Veterans Day -Thanksgiving 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Learning about veterans/military -Turkeys -Pilgrims/Native Americans -Mayflower -Being thankful 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Scholastic News -Children's books -Videos -Worksheets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Class -Homework -Group work -Picture

<p>pilgrims and Native Americans?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -What are the characteristics of turkeys? -What did the pilgrims sail on? -How is Thanksgiving celebrated? <p>(Past/Present)</p>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -What is Advent a time for? -What is an Advent wreath? -Why do we celebrate Christmas? -What is the difference between a need and a want? 	<p>-Christmas</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Advent -Jesus' birth -Needs/Wants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Scholastic News -Children's books -Videos -Children's bible -Worksheets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Classroom calendar -Home activities -Group discussions -Illustrating pictures/Writing
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Who was Martin Luther King? -What was Martin Luther King's message? -What is your address and phone number? -Who are important members of the community? Why do we need them? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Martin Luther King Day -Community Helpers -Address/Phone number -Catholic Schools Week 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Martin Luther King, Jr. -Police officers, firefighters, nursed, doctors, teachers, etc. -Importance of knowing your address/phone 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Scholastic News -Children's books -Videos -Community visitors -Worksheets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Classroom calendar -Home activities -Group discussions -Illustrating pictures/Writing
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Why do we celebrate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Groundhog Day -Valentine's Day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Groundhog -Love/Kindness 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Scholastic News -Children's books 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Classroom calendar -Home activities

<p>Groundhog day? -Who was Saint Valentine? -Who are two important presidents? -Why is Black History Month important?</p>	<p>-Presidents Day -Black History Month</p>	<p>-Saint Valentine -post office -Presidents -Martin Luther King, Ruby Bridges, Rosa Parks</p>	<p>-Videos -Worksheets</p>	<p>-Group discussions -Illustrating pictures/Writing</p>
<p>-Who was Saint Patrick? -What are some symbols of our country? -How many states are there? -What is a state and which one do we live in? -Which coast is west and witch coast is east?</p>	<p>-St. Patrick's Day -Our Country</p>	<p>-Leprechauns -Saint Patrick -50 States -State Symbols</p>	<p>-Scholastic News -Children's books -Videos -USA map -Out of state mail -Map puzzles -Smart board map -Worksheets</p>	<p>-Classroom calendar -Home activities -Group discussions -Illustrating pictures/Writing</p>
<p>-How can we keep the earth clean? -Why is it important to keep the world clean? -What is Lent? -How and why did Jesus die?</p>	<p>-Earth Day -Easter</p>	<p>-Nature -Environment -Keeping the earth clean and safe -Lent -Jesus' death and resurrection</p>	<p>-Scholastic News -Children's books -Videos -Children's bible -Worksheets</p>	<p>-Classroom calendar -Home activities -Group discussions -Illustrating pictures/Writing</p>
<p>-Who is the mother of Jesus? -What makes a mom special? -Why do we celebrate</p>	<p>-Mother's Day -Memorial Day</p>	<p>-Mothers/Mother figures -Deceased military personnel</p>	<p>-Scholastic News -Children's books -Videos -Worksheets</p>	<p>-Classroom calendar -Home activities -Group discussions -Illustrating pictures/Writing</p>

Memorial Day?				
-What songs are important for our celebration?	-Graduation	-Preparing for graduation and moving on	-Children's books -Songs	-Classroom calendar -Home activities -Group discussions -Illustrating pictures/Writing