



**DISTANCE LEARNING PACKET**

**5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**

**SOCIAL STUDIES**

## Social Studies Day II

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Social Studies: Amelia Earhart Timeline

1897	Born in Atchison, Kansas
1908	Saw her first airplane at the fair
1921	Took flying lesson from Anita "Neta" Snook
1928	1st woman to fly as a passenger across the Atlantic Ocean with pilots Bill Stultz and Louis Gordon
1932	1st woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean
1937	Plane disappeared over the Pacific while attempting to be the first person to fly around the world

1. What does it mean when it said that Earhart flew *solo*? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What happened in 1908? \_\_\_\_\_

3. What was she trying to do when her plane disappeared? \_\_\_\_\_

## Social Studies Day 1a

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Social Studies: Geography - Scotland



1. In which part of Scotland is Aberdeen located?

2. To travel from Glasgow to Edinburgh, which direction would you travel? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Edinburgh is near which body of water? \_\_\_\_\_

## Social Studies Day 13

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Social Studies: Geography - Western Russia



1. Which body of water borders Russia in the northwest?  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Kazakhstan is \_\_\_\_\_ of Russia.

3. If you wanted to travel from Russia to Finland, which direction would you go? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Does Turkey border Russia to the south?

## Social Studies Day 14

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Social Studies: Meriwether Lewis Timeline

1774	Born in Virginia
1794	Joined the Virginia militia and fought in the Whiskey Rebellion
1803	President Thomas Jefferson asked Lewis and Clark to lead a transcontinental expedition to explore the Louisiana Purchase
1807	Became governor of the Louisiana Territory
1809	Died of gunshot wounds
2004	A postage stamp was created to honor Lewis and Clark's expedition

1. When did Lewis become governor of the Louisiana Territory? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. What does transcontinental mean? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. What was created to honor Lewis and Clark in 2004? \_\_\_\_\_

## Social Studies Day 15

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Draw and label a COMPASS ROSE. Then write a paragraph explaining how it helps us with geography, direction, and navigation.

# Social Studies Day 16

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Use what you've learned, or do internet research to answer the following questions.

1. List 3 NEEDS we have.

a) \_\_\_\_\_ b) \_\_\_\_\_ c) \_\_\_\_\_

2. List 2 examples of natural resources:

\_\_\_\_\_

3. The turning point of the Revolutionary War was the Battle of:

- a) Lexington
- b) Washington
- c) Saratoga
- d) New York

4. The colonists wanted to be free from British rule, so they wrote:

- a) The Declaration of Independence
- b) The Constitution
- c) The Magna Carta
- d) The Mayflower

5. The name of the type of government that we have in the U.S. (everyone can vote):

\_\_\_\_\_

6. The capital of the United States is: \_\_\_\_\_

7. The ocean that touches NY is the: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Two benefits of the Erie Canal were that we could ship goods  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

9. The Executive Branch of Government includes:

- a) The Supreme Court
- b) Congress
- c) the President
- d) judges

10. The Judicial Branch of Government includes:

- a) The Supreme Court
- b) Congress
- c) the President
- d) the Vice President

# Social Studies Day 17

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Use what you've learned, or do internet research to answer the following questions.

1. The capital of the United States is \_\_\_\_\_.

2. The ocean that touches NY is the:

- a) Pacific Ocean                      b) Atlantic Ocean
- c) Indian Ocean                      d) Arctic Ocean

3. The ocean that touches California is the:

- a) Pacific Ocean                      b) Atlantic Ocean
- c) Indian Ocean                      d) Arctic Ocean

4. The Great Lake that touches NY is:

- a) Lake Huron                      b) Lake Michigan
- c) Lake Erie                      d) Lake Ontario

5. There were 2 main benefits of the Erie Canal for New Yorkers.

We could ship goods \_\_\_\_\_ and we could ship goods \_\_\_\_\_.

6. The immigration station, where many immigrants passed through on their way to live in the U.S. is called:

\_\_\_\_\_

7. An immigrant is a person who: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_.

8. Name 2 reasons why immigrants might have come to live in the U.S.

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_



## Social Studies Day 18

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Use a map, atlas, or the internet to answer the following questions.

1. What state borders Utah to the south?
2. If you were to drive from Wisconsin to Mississippi, what direction would you travel?
3. What body of water borders South Carolina to the east?
4. What is the capital of the state of Pennsylvania?

**Social Studies Day 19**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Use your map skills to write a descriptive paragraph detailing where you live. Be sure to list bordering states, counties, towns, etc.**

## Social Studies Day 20

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

If you could make one law for the classroom, what would it be and why? Write an essay describing your law, it's purpose, how it would help better the classroom, and what you would name it.