



# MASTERY VIEW Predictive Assessments

## Louisiana 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Social Studies 2025-2026 Pacing Guide

*Note: Standards 3.1-3.5 of the 2022 Louisiana Social Studies Standards for 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Social Studies are skill-related and describe the things students should be able to do to demonstrate their understanding of history. These standards are not specifically listed in this pacing guide, but they should be embedded within each unit.*

Unit	Time Period	Standards	Major Topics/Concepts
USH: Geography	Foundations, Papers, and Places of America (Through 1787)	G.3.19-G.3.28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Significance of national historical figures and political leaders, including the Founding Fathers</li><li>• Key state and national holidays and celebrations</li><li>• Significant American landmarks, monuments, and symbols</li><li>• Causes and effects of the American Revolution</li><li>• Impact of the Declaration of Independence</li><li>• Protections of individual rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness</li><li>• Key features of democracy (republic) and monarchy</li><li>• Geographic features of places in the United States</li><li>• Key principles of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States</li><li>• Functions of the federal government</li><li>• Contributions of national historical figures and political leaders</li><li>• Civic virtues</li><li>• Reasons for and impact of American citizenship</li><li>• Key economic activity in urban, suburban, and rural places</li><li>• Human impact on natural resources, the environment, and land use</li><li>• Geographic features of places in the United States</li><li>• Map and globe terms</li><li>• Ways and reasons for modifying the environment</li><li>• Land use and economic activity in different environments</li></ul>
USH: Civics		C.3.10a-e, C.3.11-C.3.14	
USH: History		H.3.6a-e, H.3.7-H.3.9	
USH: Economics		E.3.15a-e, E.3.16-E.3.18	
1 <sup>st</sup> Cumulative Assessment (covering all content to this point)			

Unit	Time Period	Standards	Major Topics/Concepts
USH: Geography	A Growing and Changing Nation (Through 1877)	G.3.19-G.3.28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Contributions of national historical figures and political leaders</li><li>Impact of the Louisiana Purchase and the Lewis and Clark Expedition</li><li>Reasons for the first settlements in Louisiana</li><li>Impact of voluntary and involuntary migrations on the United States</li><li>Impact of the steam engine and railroad on transportation in the United States</li><li>Political, economic, and cultural characteristics of regions in the United States</li><li>Growth of cultural and economic differences in regions of the United States</li><li>Contributions of national historical figures and political leaders</li><li>Impact of the Emancipation Proclamation and the abolition of slavery after the American Civil War</li><li>Addition of the 13<sup>th</sup> Amendment to the Constitution</li><li>Impact of voluntary and involuntary migrations on the United States</li><li>Effects of territorial expansion on the growth of the nation and the environment</li><li>Economic decision-making involving financial choices</li><li>Geographic features of the United States involving cultural and economic characteristics</li></ul>
USH: Civics		C.3.10a-e, C.3.11-C.3.14	
USH: History		H.3.6a-e, H.3.7-H.3.9	
USH: Economics		E.3.15a-e, E.3.16-E.3.18	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Cumulative Assessment (covering all content to this point)			

Unit	Time Period	Standards	Major Topics/Concepts
USH: Geography	Industry, Innovation, and a More Perfect Union (After 1877)	G.3.19-G.3.28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Impact of the railroad and industry on the growth of the nation</li><li>• Contributions of national historical figures and political leaders</li><li>• Causes and effects of migration from rural to urban settings</li><li>• Impact of technological innovations related to electricity and transportation</li><li>• Economic principles and forces that influenced the growth of American manufacturing and factories</li><li>• Geographic features of the United States involving economic characteristics</li><li>• Impact of the women’s suffrage movement</li><li>• Effect of the Great Migration on the United States</li><li>• Civic virtues and participating in government</li><li>• Contributions of national historical figures and political leaders</li><li>• Changes to American society and political systems</li><li>• Significance of the introduction of the automobile</li><li>• Impact of the Civil Rights Movement on political rights and society in the United States</li><li>• Effect of the Space Race on the United States</li><li>• Impact of technological advancements in communication and media, such as radio, television, and the internet on the lives of Americans</li><li>• Importance of personal financial decision-making</li></ul>
USH: Civics		C.3.10a-e, C.3.11-C.3.14	
USH: History		H.3.6.a-e, H.3.7-H.3.9	
USH: Economics		E.3.15a-e, E.3.16-E.3.18	
Final Comprehensive Assessment (covering all content)			