Discover the Waters of Tennessee

4th GRADE
CORRELATION TO STATE STANDARDS

“Tennessee Watersheds” pages 2, 3

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✓ 0407.2.1 Analyze how an increase or decrease in competition or predation affects an ecosystem  
SPI 0407.2.1 Recognize the impact of predation and competition on an ecosystem |
| Life Science – Flow of Matter and Energy | GLE 0407.3.2 Investigate different ways that organisms meet their energy needs  
✓ 0407.3.1 Create a food web that illustrates the energy relationships between plants and animals and the key issues or assumptions found in the model  
✓ 0407.3.2 Classify organisms as carnivores, herbivores, or omnivores  
✓ 0407.3.3 Identify how a variety of organisms meet their energy needs  
SPI 0407.3.1 Determine how different organisms function within an environment in terms of their location on an energy pyramid |
| Life Science – Biodiversity and Change | GLE 0407.5.1 Analyze physical and behavioral adaptations that enable organisms to survive in their environment  
✓ 0407.5.1 Classify animals according to their physical adaptations for obtaining food, oxygen, and surviving within a particular environment  
✓ 0407.5.2 Describe how animal behaviors such as migration, defense, means of locomotion, and hibernation enable them to survive in an environment  
✓ 0407.5.3 Investigate tropisms that plants exhibit in response to changes in their environment  
SPI 0407.5.1 Determine how a physical or behavioral adaptation can enhance the chances of survival |
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**Content Standard 1.0**

- **4.1.01 Understand the diversity of human cultures**
  - a. Describe cultures of Native American tribes
  - b. Explain how European settlers created a new culture

- **4.1.02 Discuss cultures and human patterns of places and regions of the world**
  - b. Compare how people from different cultures think about and handle their physical environments and social conditions

- **4.1.03 Recognize the contributions of individuals and people of various ethnic, racial, religious, and socioeconomic groups to the development of civilizations**

- **4.1.04 Understand the contributions of individuals and people of various ethnic, racial, religious and socioeconomic groups to Tennessee**
  - a. Identify the similarities and differences within and among selected racial, ethnic and religious groups in Tennessee
  - b. Identify customs, celebrations, and traditions of various cultures groups in early Tennessee
  - c. Summarize the contributions of people of various racial, ethnic and religious groups to the development of early Tennessee

- **4.1.spi.1 Identify pre-Colonial Native American groups**

- **4.1.spi.5 Identify various racial and ethnic groups in Tennessee at the founding of statehood**

- **4.1.tpi.1 Discovery the story the early Tennessee settlers in the formation of the Wautaga settlement**

- **4.1.tpi.2 Discuss the importance of forts such as Fort Loudon in the development of the emerging Tennessee community and the lives of the soldiers**

- **4.1.tpi.7 Write or give an oral report about early American Spanish**
| **Economics** | Globalization of the economy, the explosion of population growth, technological changes and international competition compel students to understand both personally and globally production, distribution, and consumption of goods and services. Students will examine and analyze economic concepts such as basic needs versus wants, using versus saving money and policy making versus decision making. |
| **Content Standard 2.0** | 4.2.02 Give examples of the interaction of groups, businesses, and governments in a market economy  
  a. Explain the economic patterns of various early Native American groups in Tennessee and the Western Hemisphere  
  c. Explain the economic patterns of early European colonial governments and their relationships with foreign governments  
 4.2.04 Understand the development of economics within Tennessee and early America  
  a. Identify the economic motivations for European exploration and settlement in Tennessee and the Western Hemisphere  
  b. Examine the location, distribution, and patterns of economic activities and of settlement in Tennessee  
  c. Evaluation the effects of supply and demand on business, industry, and agriculture, including the plantation system, in Tennessee and various regions  
 4.2.spi.2 Interpret a chart of major agricultural produce in Tennessee  
 4.2.spi.5 Analyze the impact of European exploration and colonization on the economy of Tennessee |
| **Geography** | Geography enables the students to see, understand and appreciate the web of relationships between people, places, and environments. Students will use the knowledge, skills, and understanding of concepts within the six essential elements of geography: world in spatial terms, places and regions, physical systems, human systems, environment and society, and the uses of geography. |
| **Content Standard 3.0** | 4.3.04 Understand the geographic factors that determined the |
locations of and patterns of settlements in Tennessee

a. Explain how the patterns and processes of migration affect the development of Tennessee

b. Explain how environmental issues such as water supply, air quality, and solid waste confronted humans when settling Tennessee

4.3.spi.3 Recognize the reasons settlements are founded on major river systems

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- GLE 0407.Inq.4 Identify and interpret simple patterns of evidence to communicate the findings of multiple investigations
- ✔ 0407.Inq.4 Analyze and communicate findings from multiple investigations of similar phenomena to reach a conclusion
- SPI 0407.Inq.1 Select an investigation that could be used to answer a specific question

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## Math

**Strand 19: Tables, Graphs and Charts**

- A. Identify correct information from tables, bar graphs, pictographs, and charts
- B. Create bar graphs and pictographs from data in tables and charts

**Strand 24: Classification and Logical Reasoning**

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- B. Sort or classify objects and draw logical conclusions from data including Venn diagrams and transitive reasoning questions
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