Social Studies Curriculum Guide				
SUBJECT: Social Studies	GRADE LEVEL: 6th	GRADING PERIOD: 3 rd 9 weeks	Textbook Pages 419-446 (28 pages)	
Chapter: 15	Time Frame: 14 days Dates: 2/10-2/28	Unit: African Civilizations	Timeline 400 B.C. to A.D. 1500	

Essential Standards:

Write to Learn

*Write to Learn is continually adding new writing prompts. Please refer back to Write to Learn if you need additional material.

Lessons	Technology and Literacy Standards and Tasks.	Academic Vocabulary:	Assessment(s):	Additional Resources:
Lesson 1: The Rise of African Civilizations Clarifying Objective(s): Time Frame: 4 days Essential Question: Why do people trade?		Content Vocabulary Savanna Plateau Griot Dhow Academic Vocabulary Area Adequate Transport	Formative: Review and Assess Lesson Quizzes can be customized or given as online assessments using McGraw-Hill Networks Assessment Guided Notes: Have Students use the My Notes feature in the Student Center to create comprehensive study notes. Lesson	Videos and Presentation Resources ↓ Video Great African Queens ↓ Interactive Map Geography and Climate Zones in Africa ↓ Interactive Map Trade Routes of North Africa c. 1050-1500 ↓ Interactive Chart African Kingdoms ↓ Interactive Graphic Organizer Camels vs. Horses ↓ Interactive Whiteboard Activity How West Africa Changed Because of Trade ↓ Lecture Slide Trading Empires in Africa ↓ Lecture Slide Geographic

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		comprehensive study notes. Lesson Review: Assign the Lesson Review in the Student Edition. Self-Check Quiz Lesson 3: African Society and Culture	 Interactive Image The Great Zimbabwe and Bantu Migrations Game African Society and Culture, Fill in the Blank Game Game African Society and Culture, Concentration Game Worksheets and Activities
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Vocabulary List

savannas tropical grasslands with small trees and bushes plateau an area of high, mostly flat land griot a traditional African storyteller dhow a sailboat with a special triangle shaped sail clan a group of people who all share the same ancestor Swahili the unique culture of Africa's East Coast and the language spoken there extended family a family made up of several generations matrilineal tracing family history through mothers instead of fathers oral history stories told out loud and passed down from generation to generation sugarcane a grassy plant that is grown as a source of sugar spiritual a gospel song