Social Studies

Brunswick School Department Grade 5 Colonization 1500 to 1754

Essential Understandings	 Colonies were established in North America for a variety of reasons.
Essential Questions Essential Knowledge	 What countries established colonies in North America? What were the reasons for colonization in North America? What conflicts arose as a result of the colonization of North America? What were the 13 colonies? What are the three regions of the English colonies? How did the colonists and Native Americans differ in their use of natural resources? England, France, Spain, and the Netherlands established colonies in North America. Reasons for colonization include: Power (control of land and/or people) Economics (trade, money) Freedom (personal and religious) Conflicts in the new colonies arose as a desire to control North America (e.g., French and English, Native American, and Spanish) The three regions and 13 colonies are: New England (Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire) Middle (New York, Delaware, New Jersey, Pennsylvania) Southern (Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia) Differences in the use of natural resources include: Native Americans: Use of the entire animal for survival Paths Movable houses Seasonal movement Colonists Used items to replicate European life styles. Development of roads
	 Building houses-European model Building permanent settlements Terms:
Vocabulary	 <u>Terms:</u> Colonization, investors, profit, trade, freedom, religion, economics, missions, tax, monarch, explore, settlement, slavery <u>Places:</u>
	 New Spain, New France, New Amsterdam, New England

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Essential Skills	 Identify some countries that established colonies in North America. Identify the general location of colonies established by France, England, and Spain. Explain why people settled in North America. Identify a conflict that arose as a result of colonization in North America. Identify the original 13 colonies and the region in which they were located. Compare and contrast the use of natural resources by Native Americans and colonists.
Related Maine Learning Results	 <u>Social Studies</u> <u>History</u> A. Chronology 2. Identify sequence of major events and people in the history of Maine, the United States, and selected world civilizations. B. Historical Knowledge, Concepts and Patterns Demonstrate an understanding of the causes and effects of major events in United States history and the connections to Maine history with an emphasis on events up to 1877. <u>Geography</u> B. Human Interaction with Environments Explain how cultures differ in their use of similar environments and resources
Sample Lessons And Activities Sample Classroom Assessment Methods Sample	 Complete a Venn diagram of natural resources that were available in the colonies. Complete a map of the colonies. Complete a settlement map by country. Develop a timeline for colonization. Research a colony and develop a brochure or poster to attract settlers to the colony. <u>Publications:</u>
Technology Link	 <u>America's History: Land of Liberty</u> – Vivian Bernstein <u>History of the United States</u> – Joy Hakin http://www.brunswick.k12.me.us/curriculum