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## Floodplain Forest Exploration at Crosby Farm (Ecology)

Grade 5 Social Studies Standards	Grade 6 Social Studies Standards	Grade 7 Social Studies Standards	Grade 8 Social Studies Standards
	6.3.3.6.1 Locate, identify and describe major physical features in Minnesota; explain how physical features and the location of resources affect settlement patterns and the growth of cities in different parts of Minnesota.		8.3.3.5.1 Describe the locations of human populations and the cultural characteristics of the United States and Canada.  8.3.3.6.2 Describe how the physical and environmental features of Latin America affect human activity and settlement.



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## Prairie Exploration at Coldwater Spring (Ecology)

<b>Grade 5</b> Social Studies Standards	<b>Grade 6</b> Social Studies Standards	<b>Grade 7</b> Social Studies Standards	<b>Grade 8</b> Social Studies Standards
5.4.1.2.2 Explain a historical event from multiple perspectives.	<p>6.3.3.6.1 Locate, identify and describe major physical features in Minnesota; explain how physical features and the location of resources affect settlement patterns and the growth of cities in different parts of Minnesota.</p> <p>6.3.4.10.1 Describe how land was used during different time periods in Minnesota history; explain how and why land use has changed over time.</p>		<p>8.3.3.5.1 Describe the locations of human populations and the cultural characteristics of the United States and Canada.</p> <p>8.3.3.6.2 Describe how the physical and environmental features of Latin America affect human activity and settlement.</p>



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## Saint Anthony Falls Exploration (History)

<b>Grade 5</b> Social Studies Standards	<b>Grade 6</b> Social Studies Standards	<b>Grade 7</b> Social Studies Standards	<b>Grade 8</b> Social Studies Standards
<p>5.2.1.1.1 Apply a decision-making process to identify an alternative choice that could have been made for a historical event; explain the probable impact of that choice.</p> <p>5.4.1.2.2 Explain a historical event from multiple perspectives.</p> <p>5.4.2.3.1 Analyze multiple causes and outcomes of a historical event.</p>	<p>6.3.3.6.1 Locate, identify and describe major physical features in Minnesota; explain how physical features and the location of resources affect settlement patterns and the growth of cities in different parts of Minnesota.</p> <p>6.3.4.10.1 Describe how land was used during different time periods in Minnesota history; explain how and why land use has changed over time.</p> <p>6.4.4.18.1 Describe how and why the United States claimed and settled the upper Mississippi River region in the early nineteenth century; explain the impact of steamboat transportation and settlement on the physical, social and cultural landscapes.</p> <p>6.4.4.20.1 Analyze how the rise of big business, the growth of industry, the use of natural resources, and technological innovation influenced Minnesota's economy from 1860 to 1920.</p>	<p>7.4.4.18.2 Identify new technologies and innovations that transformed the United States' economy and society; explain how they influenced political and regional development.</p> <p>7.4.4.20.1 Explain the impact of the United States Industrial Revolution on the production, consumption and distribution of goods.</p> <p>7.4.4.23.1 Describe how new technologies have changed political, economic and social interactions.</p>	<p>8.3.3.5.1 Describe the locations of human populations and the cultural characteristics of the United States and Canada.</p> <p>8.3.3.6.2 Describe how the physical and environmental features of Latin America affect human activity and settlement.</p>



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## Bdote/Fort Snelling Exploration (History)

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<p>5.2.1.1.1 Apply a decision-making process to identify an alternative choice that could have been made for a historical event; explain the probable impact of that choice.</p> <p>5.2.4.6.1 Describe the concept of profit as the motivation for entrepreneurs; calculate profit as the difference between revenue (from selling goods and services) and cost (payments for resources used</p> <p>5.4.1.2.2 Explain a historical event from multiple perspectives.</p> <p>5.4.2.3.1 Analyze multiple causes and outcomes of a historical event.</p> <p>5.4.4.15.1 Describe complex urban societies that existed in Mesoamerica and North America before 1500.</p>	<p>6.3.3.6.1 Locate, identify and describe major physical features in Minnesota; explain how physical features and the location of resources affect settlement patterns and the growth of cities in different parts of Minnesota.</p> <p>6.3.4.10.1 Describe how land was used during different time periods in Minnesota history; explain how and why land use has changed over time.</p> <p>6.4.4.15.1 Compare and contrast the Dakota and Anishinaabe nations prior to 1800; describe their interactions with each other and other indigenous peoples.</p> <p>6.4.4.16.1 Describe European exploration, competition and trade in the upper Mississippi River region; describe varied interactions between Minnesota's indigenous peoples and Europeans in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.</p> <p>6.4.4.18.1 Describe how and why the United States claimed and settled the upper Mississippi River region in the early nineteenth century; explain the impact of steamboat transportation and settlement on the physical, social and cultural landscapes.</p> <p>6.4.4.19.3 Explain reasons for the United States-Dakota War of 1862</p>	<p>7.1.5.10.1 Describe diplomacy and other foreign policy tools; cite historical cases in which the United States government used these tools.</p> <p>7.4.2.4.1 Compare and contrast the distribution and political status of indigenous populations in the United States and Canada; describe how their status has evolved throughout the 19th and 20th centuries.</p> <p>7.4.4.18.1 Describe the processes that led to the territorial expansion of the United States, including the Louisiana Purchase and other land purchases, wars and treaties with foreign and indigenous nations, and annexation.</p> <p>7.4.4.18.2 Identify new technologies and innovations that transformed the United States' economy and society; explain how they influenced political and regional development.</p>	<p>8.3.3.5.1 Describe the locations of human populations and the cultural characteristics of the United States and Canada.</p> <p>8.3.3.6.2 Describe how the physical and environmental features of Latin America affect human activity and settlement.</p>