8th Grade/Course Social Science Unit 25: Roaring Twenties

Approximate Duration of Study: [Time]

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Standards &	Concepts &	Vocabulary Term(s)	Assessment(s)	Helpful Activities & Resources
Benchmark(s)	Skills/Essential			
	Questions			
HISTORY/SOCIAL	1. What changes	1. Warren G.	1. Quizzes	Chapter Study Guides
EL.MS.RH.1 - RH.6-8.1.	affected society most	Harding		
Cite specific textual	in the 1920's?		2. Chapter Test Pre	2. Henry Ford Biography Video
evidence to support		2. Teapot Dome	& Post	
analysis of primary and	Students will identify	Scandal		3. America – The Story of Us - Bust
secondary sources.	changes in technology		3. Think-Tac-Toes -	
EL.MS.RH.4 - RH.6-8.4.	and culture that	3. Calvin Coolidge	Student choices in	
Determine the meaning	changed society in the		projects	
of words and phrases as	1920s; such as new	4. Laissez Faire		
they are used in a text,	technology and			
including vocabulary	methods of	5. Isolationist		
specific to domains	productions.			
related to history/social		6. Kellogg-Briand		
studies.	2. What changes	Pact		
EL.MS.RH.7 - RH.6-8.7.	occurred socially and			
Integrate visual	economically in the	7. Assembly Line		
information with other	1920s?			
information in print and		8. Installment		
digital texts.	Students will	Buying		
EL.MS.RH.8 - RH.6-8.8.	understand that			
Distinguish among fact,	businesses prospered	9. Flapper		
opinion, and reasoned	and Americans bough			
judgment in a text.	consumer goods like	10. Prohibition		
Political Systems	never before. Lifestyle			
SOC.EH.014.F -	changes emerged that	11. Al Capone		
Understand the	impacted women in			
development of United	society.	12. NAACP		
States political ideas and				
traditions.		13. Marcus Garvey		
✓ 4A. Determine				
the historical		14.		
events and		Fundamentalism		
processes that				

brought about	15. Ku	Klux Klan		
changes in United				
States political	16. Jaz	z		
ideas and				
traditions (e.g.,	17. Ma	ss Media		
the New Deal,				
Civil War).	18. Por	oular Culture		
✓ 4B. Describe how	25			
United States'	19. Hai	rlem		
political ideas,	Renais			
practices and	rienais	541100		
technologies	20.109	t Generation		
have extended	20. 203	e deficiation		
rights for	21 Fyr	patriate		
Americans in the	21. 27,	difface		
20th century				
(e.g., suffrage,				
civil rights,				
motor-voter				
registration).				
Economics				
SOC.EH.015.D -				
Understand trade as an				
exchange of goods or services.				
✓ 4C. Describe the				
impact of worker				
productivity				
(output per				
worker) on				
business, the				
worker and the				
consumer.				
History				
SOC.EH.016.C -				
Understand the				
development of				
economic systems.				

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✓ 4C. (US) Describe		
how American		
economic		
institutions were		
shaped by		
industrialists,		
union leaders		
and groups		
including		
Southern		
migrants, Dust		
Bowl refugees,		
agricultural		
workers from		
Mexico and		
female workers		
since 1914.		
SOC.EH.016.D -		
Understand Illinois,		
United States and world		
social history.		
✓ 4A. (US) Describe		
the immediate		
and long-range		
social impacts of		
slavery.		
Political Systems		
SOC.MS.014.D -		
Understand the roles and		
influences of individuals		
and interest groups in the		
political systems of		
Illinois, the United States		
and other nations.		
√ 3. Describe roles		
and influences of		
individuals,		
groups and		

media in shaping		
current Illinois		
and United States		
public policy		
(e.g., general		
public		
opinion, special		
interest groups,		
formal parties,		
media).		
Economics		
SOC.MS.015.A -		
Understand how		
different economic		
systems operate in the		
exchange, production,		
distribution and		
consumption of goods		
and services.		
✓ 3A. Explain how		
market prices		
signal producers		
about what, how		
and how much to		
produce.		
✓ 3B. Explain the		
relationship		
between		
productivity and		
wages.		
✓ 3C. Describe the		
relationship		
between		
consumer		
purchases and		
businesses paying		
for productive		
resources.		

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SOC.MS.015.B -		
Understand that scarcity		
necessitates choices by		
consumers.		
✓ 3B. Explain the		
effects of choice		
and competition		
on individuals		
and the economy		
as a whole.		
SOC.MS.015.C -		
Understand that scarcity		
necessitates choices by		
producers.		
✓ 3A. Identify and		
explain the		
effects of various		
incentives to		
produce a good		
or service.		
15.EH.3 Understand that		
scarcity necessitates		
choices by producers.		
History		
SOC.MS.016.C -		
Understand the		
development of		
economic systems.		
✓ 3B. (US) Explain		
relationships		
among the		
American		
economy and		
slavery,		
immigration,		
industrialization,		
labor and		

urbanization,		
1700-present.		