Grade 7 History Day Topics List

World Geography Eastern Hemisphere:

The Why of Where - Places, Patterns of Settlement, and Global Interactions

	Social Studies Content Standards		History Day Example Topics
1.	Analyze data from a geographic perspective	٠	Pax Mongolica
	using the skills and tools of geography.	•	Roman Roads and the Modern map of Europe
		٠	The Exploration and Population of Oceania
2.	Analyze the physical systems of the major		(Conflicts with Indigenous Peoples)
	regions of the Eastern Hemisphere.	٠	Trains and the Russo-Japanese War
		٠	The Columbian Exchange and its effects on
3.	Identify the characteristics, distribution, and		European Culture
	demographic patterns of human populations and	•	Rome and the Hebrew Diaspora
	systems of the Eastern Hemisphere.	٠	Gaius Julius Caesar, the Germanic Tribes, and
			the Rhine River Bridge
4.	Analyze the interactions of humans and their	٠	The Norman Conquest of England and the
	environment in the Eastern Hemisphere.		Modern English Language
		٠	The Upper Rhine, the Low Countries, and
5.	Compare common physical and human		Conflict between Germany and France
	characteristics of regions, which create identity	٠	Communism, Debt, and the Suez Canal
	or uniqueness and influence people's	٠	Afghanistan and the Death of Empires
	perceptions of the Eastern Hemisphere.	٠	India, Pakistan, and the Kashmir
		٠	China, European Imperialism, and the
			Handover of Hong Kong
		٠	Dooley Bin Bin and Don McLeod: Leading the
			Charge for Aboriginal Rights in Australia
		٠	Hammurabi's Code: The Legacy of the World's
			First Legal Code
		٠	Muhammad and the Rise of Islam