

SOCIAL STUDIES COURSE DESCRIPTION
FOURTH GRADE – TEXAS HISTORY

In fourth grade social studies, students learn about the history and geography of Texas. They learn how Native Americans in Texas lived and adapted to the environment, and they study the European exploration and colonization of Texas. Students learn how Texans fought for their independence from Mexico, established a republic, and eventually joined the United States. Students also discuss other important issues that faced Texas in the nineteenth century and issues influencing our lives today. Specific TEKS to be mastered are indicated in the scope and sequence.