

# Course Scope & Sequence

## **The Geography of Utah**

- Utah's Regions
- Utah's Climate
- Utah's Wildlife
- Using Maps: Physical and Political Utah
- National Parks and Monuments

## The Geology of Utah

- What is Geology?
- When Dinosaurs Walked the Land
- The Making of Mountains
- Volcanoes Shape the Land
- The Power of Ice
- Natural Forces at Work Today

## Utah's First People

- History and Archaeology
- The First People in Utah
- The Archaic People
- The Anasazi and the Fremont Peoples
- The Historic American Indians
- Different and Changing Ways of Life

## More People Come to Utah

- The Spanish
- The Expedition of Fathers Escalante and Dominguez
- The Mountain Men
- Notable Trappers and Traders
- The Government Sends Explorers

## Pioneers

- The Mormons
- Learning from Artifacts and Primary Sources
- Events at Nauvoo
- The Journey West
- Along the Mormon Trail
- Into the Valley
- More People Follow

## Settling in the Valley

- Building the Kingdom
- The Immigrants' Journey
- Early Settlements
- Expansion
- The coming of the Railroad
- The Expeditions of John Wesley Powell

## Cooperation and Conflict

- Pioneers Meet Native Americans
- Different Cultures
- Fighting Erupts
- The Wars Continue
- The Reservations
- The Role of Religion
- Thinking About Perspective

#### The Utah Territory

- Living Off the Land
- Education in the Settlements
- A Place of Tradition
- Religion
- Formation of the Territory
- The Utah War
- Curbing Polygamy
- Understanding Political Cartoons

#### Life in the Territory

- Information and Communication
- Transportation
- Big Business
- Mining and Ranching
- Analyzing Letters from the Past

#### Statehood

- Reconciliation
- A State Constitution
- The Forty-Fifth State
- Constitutions
- State Government
- City and County Government
- At the End of a Century

#### Into the Twentieth Century

- New Immigrants
- Improvements in Transportation
- New Types of Technology
- Public Lands

#### Reform and War

- Industry and Labor
- The Progressive Movement
- World War
- The Roaring Twenties

#### Hard Times

- The Crash
- The Impact on Utah's People
- A New Deal
- More Hardship

- Government and Church Aid
- Relief and Recovery

#### Another World War

- Global Conflict
- Utah Goes to War
- Life at Home
- The Contributions of Women and the Navajo Code Talkers

#### The Mid-1900s

- After World War II
- The Korean Conflict
- The Search for Uranium
- The Threat of Polio
- The Political Impact of Television
- New Types of Businesses
- Life in the 1950s and 1960s

#### Turbulent Times

- War in Vietnam
- The Civil Rights Movement
- Challenges During the 1970s
- Milestones
- Shifting Politics

#### Into the Modern Age

- Politics, Education, and Economics
- Working in Utah
- The computer Age
- Scientific Innovations
- Weathering Nature
- Utah Artists
- Utah's Literature and Performing Arts

#### Utah at the Turn of the Millennium

- War and Politics in the 1990s
- Economic Growth
- Utah's Place in the Nation
- Control Over Public Lands
- The Many Faces of Utah
- A Growing Problem
- Recreation, Celebration and You