

Teacher Portfolio Artifact Cover Sheet

ACEI STANDARD #: 2.4 Social Studies

2.4 Social studies—Candidates know, understand, and use the major concepts and modes of inquiry from the social studies—the integrated study of history, geography, the social sciences, and other related areas—to promote elementary students’ abilities to make informed decisions as citizens of a culturally diverse democratic society and interdependent world.

Element A: Candidates demonstrate in-depth knowledge and understanding of how the major concepts and themes of social studies are integrated across academic fields.

Element B: Candidates have knowledge and understanding of the themes, concepts, and modes of inquiry from the fields of the social studies and demonstrate an in-depth knowledge in more than one of those fields.

Element C: Candidates use their in-depth knowledge of the social studies to provide K-6 students with multiple explanations and highly-integrated learning experiences.

Element D: Candidates help K-6 students demonstrate an understanding of the integration across the academic fields of the social studies.

Element E: Candidates plan and implement engaging learning experiences in which K-6 students are challenged to research, analyze, and evaluate real world situations and are able to demonstrate their competence.

NAME OF ARTIFACT: Social Studies Lesson Plan

TYPE OF ARTIFACT: Lesson Plan

Brief description of artifact:

Brief description of how artifact demonstrates ACEI Standard 2.4:

Attached is the assignment that generated this artifact and the artifact scoring guide completed by a Keene State College instructor.