

HMH Social Studies

Uncover the **Connections**

Program Overview | Middle School





Active Inquiry for All Learners



Embark on a journey with HMH Social Studies!

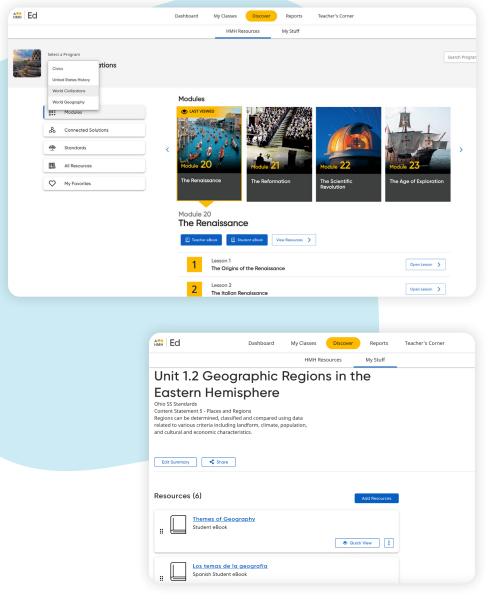
Packed with inquiry-based resources, immersive virtual field trips, customizable assessments, and unlimited access to curated professional learning, *HMH Social Studies* empowers teachers to tailor their classroom experience.

With ongoing updates for *United States History, World Civilizations, World Geography*, and *Civics* content, teachers can fully align with state and district standards within a single solution.



Easy Access to All Subjects

Ed, the HMH learning platform, gives easy access to World Civilizations, World Geography, United States History, and Civics in the HMH Social Studies Middle School Student Digital License.



One Subscription to Advance Flexibility

Within a single subscription, you can instantly pull content from seven different subject areas to create lessons that perfectly match your classroom needs.

Easily Meet State Standards

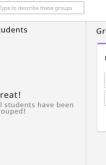
The **My Stuff** tab allows teachers to save resources from different programs to create customizable lessons to use with their classes.

Lessons can be fully customized to fit state requirements AND meet the needs of ALL students.

Sharing Lessons

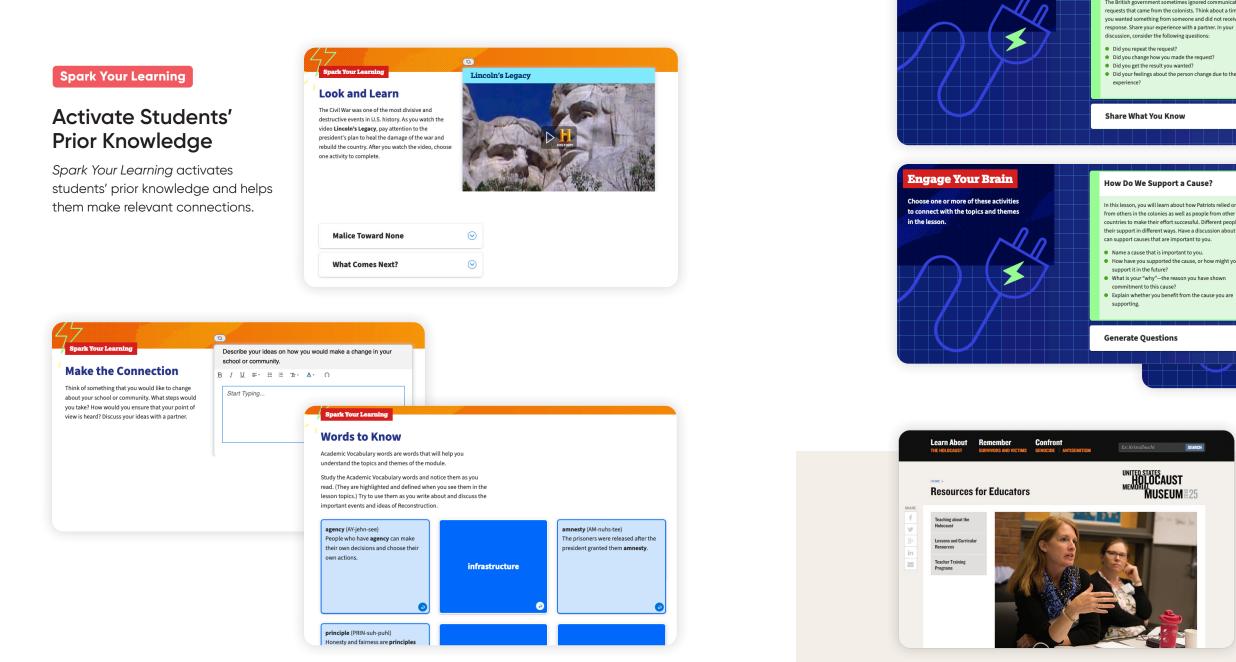
Teachers can also share their lessons with other teachers to support collaboration and team-teaching.

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Inspire Students with Thought-Provoking Lessons and Activities

Put the social back in social studies and get students excited to uncover connections to their world. Quality narrative blended with videos and activities provides learners with engaging ways to explore history and cultures.





Engage Your Brain

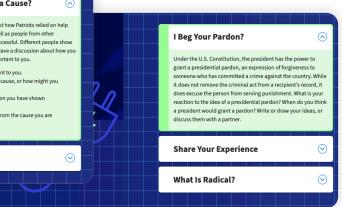
Choose one or more of these activities to connect with the topics and themes

in the lesson

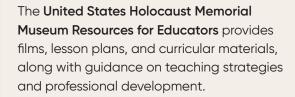
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Deepening Student Relevancy

Engage Your Brain empowers students to connect with the topics and themes of each lesson through various activities.

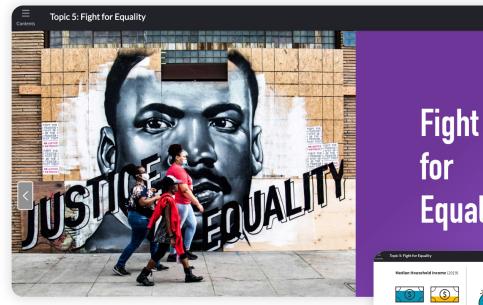






Ongoing Updates Ensure Content Stays Fresh

As part of HMH's commitment to provide teachers and students with the most up-to-date content, resources will continue to be added during the duration of your subscription. You'll have the opportunity to influence the direction of our future topics and features with your feedback.

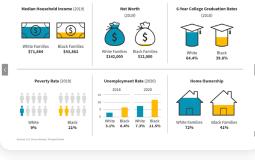


Topics for Today modules address important current events topics that keep the curriculum relevant for students.

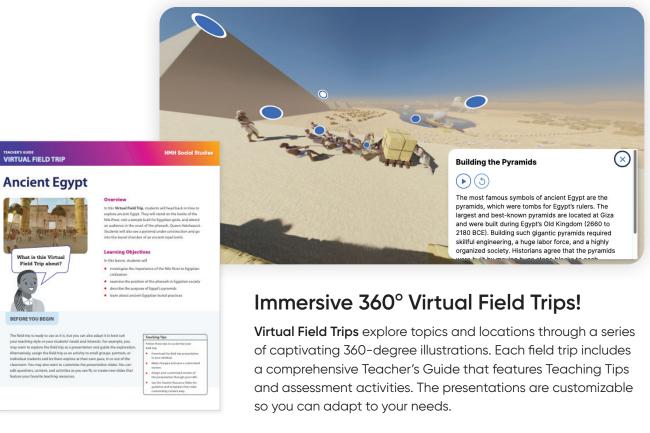
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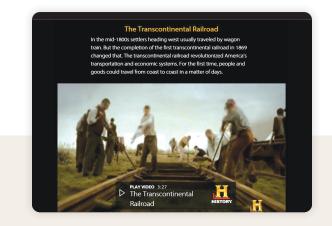
- Trump Administration
- COVID-19 Pandemic
- 2020 Presidential Election
- Biden Administration
- Social Justice Movements

Equality



Since the earliest days of American history, individuals and groups have campaigned to increase rights for people with fewer or no rights. Some of these efforts include the abolition movement, the women's rights movement of the late 19th century, and the civil rights campaigns of the 1950s and 1960s. All of these actions led to great change. Another such campaign began in recent years after the American public witnessed several incidents of discrimination and violence. This led to new reform efforts and national conversations about social justice.





Bring Content to Life

HISTORY videos enliven the classroom with primary source footage, dramatic storytelling, and expert testimonials.



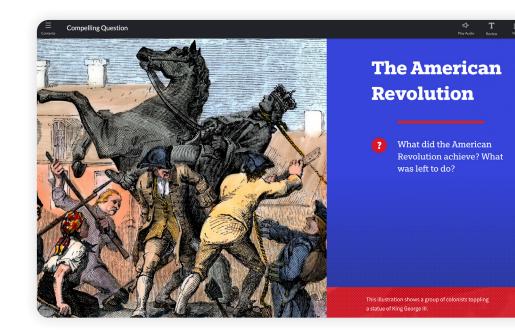


Discover the Story Behind the Story

HISTORY Shorts videos explore the extraordinary history behind inspiring people, places, and events, from the Continental Army to the Harlem Hellfighters, the Statue of Liberty to space flight.

Empower Students with Inquiry-Based Learning

Teaching students to think critically can be challenging. With this goal in mind, HMH Social Studies gives you the tools you need so students learn how to examine sources like a historian and complete evidence-based writing tasks.



Historical Source "The Mother Country"

Like many American colonists, Philadelphia printer (and, later, HMH Social Studies supports revolutionary) Benjamin Franklin viewed England with a mixture of fondness and frustration. He loved England as his mother the inquiry process with a country, or homeland, but he was enraged by the way England's government was treating the colonies. Franklin expressed his wide variety of features mixed feelings in this song, which he wrote sometime between 1765 and 1772, as tensions in the colonies were rising. and resources. Primary and secondary sources can

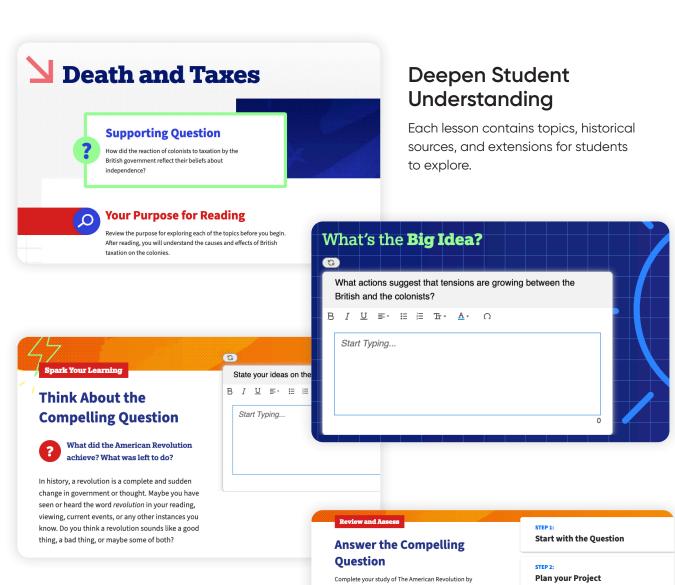


The Compelling

Question frames

student learning.

- 1 "We have an old Mother that peevish is grown She snubs us like Children that scarce walk alone; She forgets we're grown up and have Sense of our own; Which nobody can deny, deny, Which nobody can deny,
- 2 If we don't obey Orders, whatever the Case She frowns, and she chides, and she loses all Patience and sometimes she hits us a Slap in the Face, Which nobody can deny, etc.



Each lesson has opportunities for all learners to engage with the content in ways that work for them.

be used as the basis for

instruction.



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What did the American Revolution achieve? What was left to do?

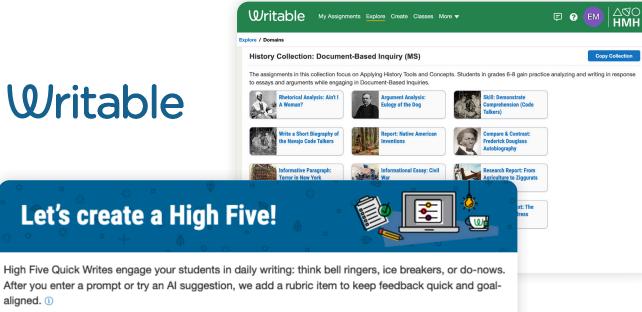
Your answer to the Compelling Question can take many forms. Choose one of the following formats, or another kind of project that you discuss with your teacher:

- an essav
- a speech
- a multimedia presentation a podcast
- a poster

STEP 3:

Complete your Project

STED A Share It!



Let's create a High Five!

High Five Quick Writes engage your students in daily writing: think bell ringers, ice breakers, or do-nows. After you enter a prompt or try an Al suggestion, we add a rubric item to keep feedback quick and goalaligned. 🕕

Write Your Own	AI Suggestions	
Causes and effects	s of American Revolution	Go
What role did the	Battle of Lexington and Concord play in the American Revolution?	>
How did the Intole	rable Acts affect the colonists and their desire for independence?	>
What impact did t	ne Boston Tea Party have on the American Revolution?	>

Add Writable® to Your HMH Social Studies Subscription

To maximize teacher effectiveness and boost student writing scores, pair HMH Social Studies with Writable. With hundreds of assignment templates and customizable rubrics, Writable helps teachers strengthen their writing instruction while saving time on prep and feedback. Increase teacher impact with AI tools that engage students and motivate better writing in the moment. Writable's approach to AI builds teacher agency and is teacher-intermediated, allowing for Al-suggested feedback and scores to be incorporated into their instruction to help drive purposeful revision and writing growth.



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Multimedia Analysis at Your Fingertips

You no longer have to search for powerful videos, maps, and primary sources. HMH Social Studies provides you with an integrated design so all resources and lesson plans are just a click away at point of instruction.

Energize Students with Dynamic **Primary Sources**

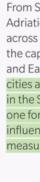
The HISTORY Channel's Multimedia Connections provide in-depth coverage of key concepts brought to life in the Interactive Online Edition. They extend and enrich the content with additional videos, primary sources, maps, and CGI films.

Supreme Court Cases that Impact Teens

HMH Judicial Inquiries: Interactive Supreme Court Case Studies promote critical viewing, source analysis, and writing about Supreme Court cases that impact teens' lives.

Master Primary Source Analysis

Close Read Screencasts model an analytical conversation about critical historical content and primary sources.

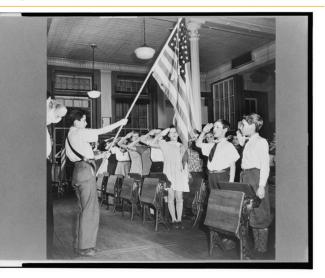








Free Speech in Public Schools



From Stettin in the Baltic to Trieste in the Adriatic, an iron curtain has descended across the continent. Behind that line lie all the capitals of the ancient states of Central and Eastern Europe.... All these famous cities and the populations around them lie in the Soviet sphere and all are subject in one form or another, not only to Soviet influence but to a very high and increasing measure of control from Moscow.

eph Stalin head e Communist Part nd was premier of e U.S.S.R.

Supporting All Learners the Way You Want

Supporting equity among students is critical. HMH Social Studies presents material and activities in a variety of ways, including digital Spanish Student Editions, to support students with different learning needs.

Spanish Ensures an Equitable Experience

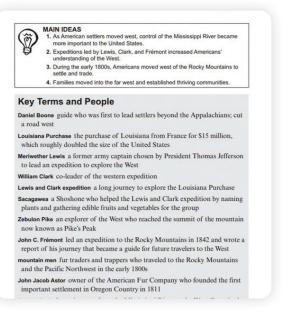
Digital Spanish Student Editions provide equity for Spanish-speaking audiences. They consider culture and language norms that call for transadaptation to decode and reencode target language with careful attention to cultural and linguistic norms.





Accessible Content

The Guided Reading Workbook and Spanish/English Guided Reading Workbook help students as they read and take notes while reading adapted-level summaries.



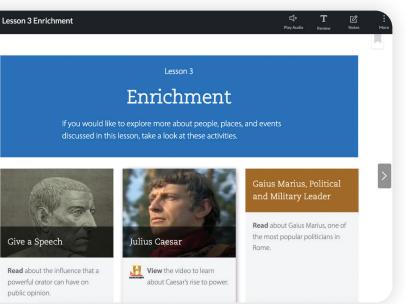
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Challenge Students to Explore More

Enrichment Activities at the end of every lesson provide avenues for students to stretch their curiosity and explore select topics in greater depth.



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	 Expeditions led by Lewis, Clark, and Frémont increased Americans' understanding of the West/Las expediciones conducidas por Lewis, Clark y Frémont dieron más información acerca del Oeste a los estadounidenses.
	 During the early 1800s, Americans moved west of the Rocky Mountains to settle and trade./A principios del siglo xxx, muchos estadounideness se mudaron al oeste de las montañas Rocallosas para vivir y comerciar.
	 Families moved into the far west and established thriving communities./Las familias se mudaron al Lejano Oeste y fundaron comunidades prósperas.
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Providing Choice for Your Students

You put the learning in your students' hands. Lessons and activities in HMH Social Studies are presented in a variety of ways to give you and your students options for how to examine content and important social studies concepts.

Choices		MEDIA:
hoose an activity to	demonstrate	Make a Flyer
our understanding	of the lesson	The phrase "No Taxation without Representation" expressed
eath and Taxes.		colonists' unhappiness. With a partner, create a "No Taxation
		without Representation" flyer that reflects the colonists' view Include the following elements:
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s you write and dis		a list of colonists complaints illustrations of actions the colonists might take
achieve	conflict	brief captions that explain the actions
ideal	liberty	Be sure that your flyer reflects the colonists' beliefs about
ideal	uberty	independence.
reaction	tension	
		RESEARCH:
		A Form of Protest
		In this lesson, you read about how some colonists expressed
		their anger toward the British through boycotts. Boycotts are
		form of protest that is used to this day. Research a boycott th
		took place in more-recent years. Then, write two to three
		informative paragraphs about the boycott. You should include

Choices

Elevating Student Agency

Students can to demonstrate their understanding by choosing which activity to complete.



These students in Japan and Kenya have some culture traits in common, like eating lunch at school. Other culture traits are different.

Kenya Students are served large bow of a common Kenyan dish calle githeri. The stewed mixture consists of dried beans and co



Need help with visuals?



Need Help with Visuals?

Students can choose between a variety of lesson and module activities to demonstrate what they have learned.





Interactive Features that Inspire Curiosity

Interactive Features, Maps, and Games, provide quick, entertaining activities and assessments that present important content in a fun way.



1 Identify the subject.

Who or what does the visual show?

2 Examine the details.

Identify the type of visual. Photographs usually record actual historical events, while fine art is created after the events have occurred or may even be fictional. Look closely at the details in the visual and think about what they show. Why were they

Meeting the Needs of a Diverse Classroom

Instant Remediation to Ensure Student Comprehension

Lesson-Level Assessments serve to inform instruction rather than simply assign grades to students. If students miss a question, the system gives them the option to pause, review instructional material, and then go back to their work. Teachers can further guide this process through reports on their students' performance, tied to standards and curriculum, to provide personalized intervention.

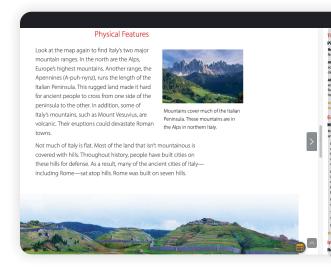
How did the ancient Inca of Peru practice farming?	
They moved periodically in search of fertile soil.	
They used center-pivot irrigation to water crops.	
They developed a slash-and-burn method to clear land.	
Lesson Assessment: The Human World, Lesson 4	
Farming	Dra
Farming is one of the best examples of human-environment interaction. Over time, people across the globe have developed farming practices to grow food under specific environmental conditions. Most notably, farming is affected by climate, vegetation, and soil conditions.	-
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Lesson Assessment: The Human World, Lesson 4

carved steps into steep hillsides to create flat land for growing crops. In thickly forested areas, such as the Amazon rain forest, farmers developed slash-and-burr agriculture. Using this technique, farmers cut down trees and plants with knives and machetes. Then they burn the fallen trees to clear land for farming. After a few years, when the soil's nutrients have been used up, farmers move to a new area. Today, in dry regions of the United States, farmers use a technique called center pivot irrigation, which uses a sprinkler system in the center of a large, circular field. The long arms of the sprinkler circle over the field to water crops

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	: using center-pivot irrigation
:	developing slash-and-burn agriculture

er choice into the box to complete the



Ensure All Students Succeed

Differentiated Instruction Activities in the Teacher eBook offer further options for varying lessons to meet the needs of every student.

World Geo - 1 Edit Item Geography is the study of X					
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Comp	pose question				
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Multip	ple choice options				
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=	the history and development of the earth.	Ŵ			
≡	the measurement and physical descriptions of places, regions, areas, and land masses.	ŵ			
=	the distribution and interaction of Earth's physical and human features.	Ŵ			
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Custom Assessments give teachers the flexibility to assign assessments that meet the assessment needs within their classroom.



NWEA + HMH Give Teachers Greater Insight into Students' Needs and Gains.

Customers who use both NWEA® MAP® Growth™ Reading assessment and HMH Social Studies will be able to see key MAP Growth Reading data on HMH Ed-the same place as their HMH Social Studies curriculum. Through this connection, educators can more easily track:

- Vocabulary acquisition
- Understanding text structure



Tiered Activity

Plav Audio

Picture a Journey to Ancient Rome

Below Level Have students use the reading to list all the features that make the Roman landscape unique

At Level Have students complete the Below Level activity, but then have them write several paragraphs describing the landscape.

Above Level Have students complete the Below Level activity and then pretend they are visiting ancient Rome for the first time. Have them write a letter to a friend back home describing the landscape in detail.

andbook, Rubric 42: Writing to Inform

English Language Learners

Make Collages

Materials: poster board, geography and travel magazines and brochures, art supplies

Provide students with geography magazines, travel magazines, and travel brochures. Have students use these or printouts from online sources to create collages of the Italian landscape. Images should focus on the natural landscape rather than on buildings.

Remind students that Italy has varying landscapes, including coastal and mountain areas, and to include as many different views of the Italian landscape as possible. Students could also draw pictures to fill in gaps.

Have students title their collages in large letters and write captions or tag lines for all the images.

Then have each student write three sentences to describe the Italian landscape as shown in the collages

Display the collages.

ment Handbook, Rubric 8: Collag

• Student growth in comprehending informational text

Professional Learning

Experience unlimited professional learning-on your schedule. Implementing a social studies program requires strong partnership, so HMH's professional learning is here to help teachers, students, and communities thrive.

HMH Ed

Teacher Success Pathway

Included with Your Program Subscription

Guided Implementation Support

Get Started with HMH Social Studies

Build community and prepare for your first lesson during a Getting Started session with an HMH Coach.

Build Teacher Confidence in 30 Days

Teachers starting at any time of the year can get up and running quickly with resources in their Teacher Success Pathways that help them plan, teach, and assess learning, using their new HMH program.

Self-paced, on-demand sessions include: preparing for the first two weeks of instruction; analyzing data and reports, differentiating instruction, and more!

Explore On-Demand Learning and Live Online Events

Teacher's Corner[®] on *Ed*, the HMH learning platform puts real-world classroom videos, teaching best practices and live, online PD events at your fingertips, on your schedule. Leader's Corner offers leader-specific resources and the ability to schedule teachers for live pathway sessions to encourage pathway completion.

Reports



Our People Make the Difference

HMH Instructional coaches bring years of classroom and subject-specific teaching experience to every coaching session and are committed to providing educators with year-round support for meeting their professional goals.

Partner with an HMH Coach for **Personalized Professional Growth**

HMH Coachly[™] gives teachers unlimited, 1:1 access to an intentionally matched instructional coach online via the Ed HMH learning platform. Teachers can message their coach or schedule a live coaching session anytime to get handson support when they need it the most.

Connect the Evidence-Based Practices with Daily Instruction

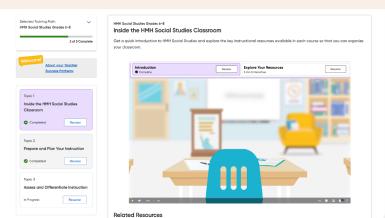
Live Online Courses provide evidence-based pedagogy that connects with your HMH Social Studies curriculum. Get six live online sessions curated to your grade-level and subject, delivered by an HMH Coach.

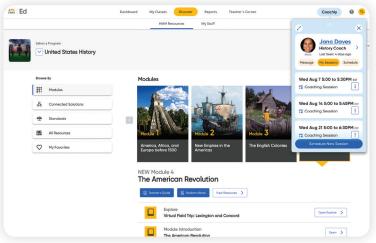
- Social Emotional Learning
- High Impact Strategies
- Supporting the Unique Needs of Learners
- Assessing & Monitoring Student Growth

Contact your HMH representative for a full list of the LIVE Online Course offerings

Learn how and where to use HMH Social Studies resources in the virtual classroom-part of the **Teacher Success Pathway.**







Nationally Recognized

Did you know HMH Professional Learning has been nationally **recognized** for our ability to support implementation and provide ongoing teacher and leader professional development?



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