

# Eleventh Grade | Social Studies Power Standards

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## **Civics**

1. Analyzes and evaluates the causes and effects of U.S. Foreign policy on people in the United States and across the world.

## **Economics**

2. Understands that nations have competing philosophies about how best to produce, distribute and consume goods, services and resources.

## **Geography**

3. Analyzes the causes and effects of voluntary and involuntary migration in U.S. history.
4. Analyzes and evaluates elements of geography to trace the emergence of the U.S. as a global economic and political force.

## **History**

5. Understands how the following themes and developments help to define eras in U.S. history:
  - Industrialization and the emergence of the U.S. as a world power
  - Reform, prosperity, and Great Depression
  - WWII, the Cold War, and international relations
  - Movements and domestic Issues
  - Entering a new era.
6. Analyzes multiple causes of events in U.S. history distinguishing between proximate and causal long term factors.

## **Social Studies Skills**

7. Evaluates the validity, reliability, and credibility of sources when researching an issue or historical event in the United States.
8. Evaluates and interprets other points of view on an issue within a paper or presentation.

