

Common Core Literacy Standards for History and Social Sciences

- Analyze central ideas in primary and secondary sources.
- Reading increasingly complex texts
- Evaluate differing points of view on historical events
- Identify aspects of a source that reveal perspective or purpose.
- Compare two or more authors/characters for how they treat the same topics, including which details they include/leave out/emphasize.
- Integrate visual, quantitative, and qualitative information.
- Distinguish among facts, opinions, and reasoned judgments.
- Use discipline-specific vocabulary to describe political, social, and economic aspects of history/social sciences.
- Write arguments and explanations, based on research, citing specific evidence.
- Write (historically correct) narratives.