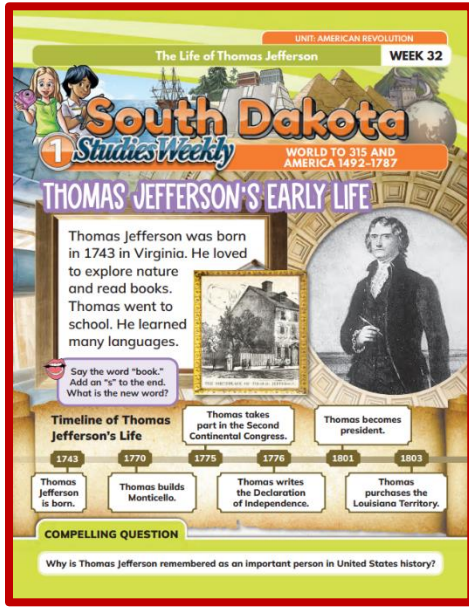


South Dakota Studies Weekly

CURRICULUM ALIGNED TO NEW SOCIAL STUDIES STANDARDS



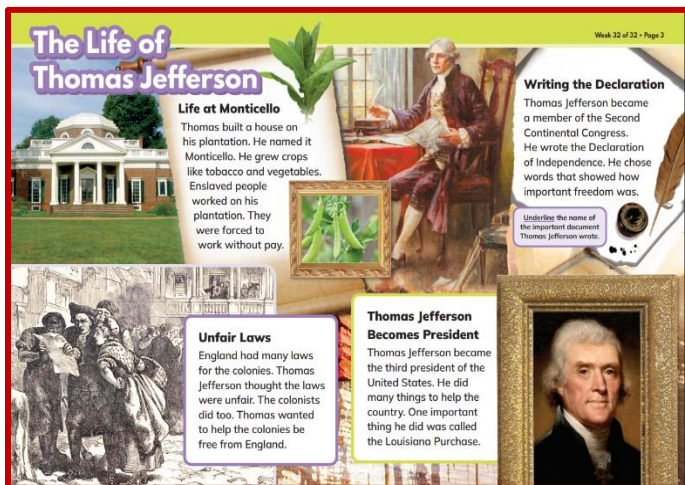
What is Studies Weekly?

Studies Weekly is Social Studies curriculum for grades K-5, provided free of charge by the South Dakota Department of Education (DOE). The curriculum package includes weekly periodicals aligned to the new Social Studies standards in grades K-5.

The South Dakota Studies Weekly curriculum (printed periodicals and online platform) will be available to districts for the first time for the 2025-26 school year. This state support will continue for six years – through the end of the 2030-31 school year.

What do the periodicals look like?

Each week will highlight different topics addressing the South Dakota Social Studies standards, and the material is presented in a colorful, engaging manner.



The curriculum supports literacy development through its weekly publications and online platform, incorporating multiple reading and learning strategies, vocabulary development, comprehension questions, and assessments, all while focusing on ELA support.

