Middle School Standards

8th Grade Social Studies

8.1.1
Produce clear and coherent writing for a range of tasks, purposes, and audiences by:
• Conducting historical research
• Evaluating a broad variety of primary and secondary sources
• Determining the meaning of words and phrases from historical texts
• Recognizing varied points of view within historical context

8.1.2
Construct and interpret a timeline of key events in Louisiana history and describe how they connect to United States and world events

8.2.6
Identify and describe economic, social, and political characteristics of Louisiana during the Antebellum/plantation economy, the Civil War, and the Reconstruction eras

8.2.7
Explain major social, political, and economic changes that affected Louisiana during the Progressive, Great Depression, and Huey Long eras