



Grade 8 Alternate Pacing Guides

[Bayou Bridges](#) units are a coherent set of plans that ensure students have broad and deep knowledge about the world, are able to express reasoned and nuanced arguments, and are prepared to participate in civic life. Each unit topic is organized around a framing question and contains engagingly written texts along with color illustrations, photographs, maps, and primary source documents.

The Bayou Bridges Alternate Pacing Guides provide additional pacing options that are instructionally coherent, aligned with the Louisiana Student Standards for Social Studies, and organized to meet student needs. Teachers should use alternative pacing guides to create flexible instructional plans that promote deeper learning, maximize student engagement, and respond to the diverse needs of their students.

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Unit 1 Available Now!	Unit 2 Available Now!	Unit 3 Available Now!	Unit 4 Available Now!	Unit 5 Coming Soon!	Unit 6 Coming Soon!	Unit 7 Coming Soon!

The LDOE will release Alternate Pacing Guides on a rolling basis. For suggestions and questions, please contact socialstudies@la.gov.