



Grade 8 Instructional Slide Decks

[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 instructional slide decks follow the Core Lesson of each chapter in each unit, providing teachers and students with access to the **Big Idea; Framing Questions; literal, inferential, and evaluative questions; visuals; Checks for Understanding; and scaffolded supports** all in one convenient location. Teachers should use the instructional decks along with the Student Reader as they implement the Core Lesson of each chapter to increase engagement, assist in lesson pacing, and complete formative checks for understanding.

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

Units will be developed and released on a rolling basis. For suggestions and questions, please contact socialstudies@la.gov.