**GRADE 6**

Social Studies: Global Issues and Governance

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| * Diverse concepts of Canadian identity * Canadian society compared with the society of another country * Society’s artistic expression relation to its culture * Key characteristics of the justice system in Canada (Now Grade 5) * The Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms (Now Grade 5) | * Rights and responsibilities of Canada compared with those in other countries (Now Grades 5 and 6) * The role of Canada in the world * The importance of trade for BC and Canada * Communications technologies in Canada * Canada’s economy, technology, and quality of life compared with those in other countries | * Global poverty and inequality issues, including class structure and gender * Roles of individuals, governmental organizations, and NGOs, including groups representing indigenous peoples * Economic policies and resource management, including effects on indigenous peoples * Globalization and economic interdependence * International cooperation and responses to global issues * Regional and international conflict * Media technologies and coverage of current events |

Science

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| * Electricity (Now Grade 7) | * Exploration of extreme environments (Modified) | * Multicellular organisms have organ systems that enable them to survive and interact within their environment (Was Grades 5 and 8) * Everyday materials are often mixtures (Was Grade 7) * Newton’s three laws of motion describe the relationship between force and motion (Was Grade 11) * The solar system is part of the Milky Way, which is one of billions of galaxies (Was Grade 9) |

Mathematics

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| * Volume of rectangular prims (Now Grade 7) * Represent and compare integers (Now Grade 7) – weren’t they always!? | * Decimals to thousandths including addition and subtraction (Modified from to millionths; to thousandths in Grade 4) * Emphasis on benchmarks for comparing and ordering and for relating numbers in different forms (Modified to include benchmarks for comparing and ordering) * Modelling and solving one-step equations (Modified from preservation of equality in equivalent equations) * Perimeter of complex shapes (Modified to include complex shapes instead of less complex polygons) | * Financial literacy for budgeting and consumer math, saving and purchasing * Percentage discounts * Common multiples, least common multiple, common factors, greatest common factor (Was Grade 7) * Divisibility (Was Grade 7) * Multiplication and division strategies to 100 * Area of parallelogram, triangle, trapezoid * Volume of 3-D objects (Was Grade 5) * Capacity (Was Grade 5) * Logic and patterns in puzzles and games, including coding * Emphasis on First Peoples contexts such as First Peoples language, birchbark biting, seaweed drying, berry baskets, print making, Lahal stick games |

English Language Arts:

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| **What’s Changed?** | **What’s New?** |
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