

## 2022-2023 Reading List (TENTATIVE)

# Social Studies

**TOPIC:** The Roar of the 1920s and Their Echo Through Time:  
From the Great War to the Great Depression

### SOCIAL STUDIES CONTEST

The Social Studies Contest consists of 45 objective questions and an essay. Students are expected to master primary reading selections, as well as specific documents, and to be familiar with general-knowledge social studies concepts and terms. Each year, the contest focuses on a different topic area and a reading list that is provided by UIL.

### PRIMARY READING SELECTION

*New World Coming: The 1920s and the Making of Modern America* by Nathan Miller  
Da Capo Press; (2003)

Available from Texas Educational Paperbacks, Inc ♦ 800-443-2078 www.tepbooks.com

List price: \$19.95, TEP UIL price: \$12.97 plus shipping

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### SUPPLEMENTAL READING MATERIAL

#### Court Cases

- *Schenck v. United States* (1919)
- *United States v. Wheeler* (1920)
- *Ozawa v. United States* (1922)
- *Moore v. Dempsey* (1923)
- *Gitlow v. New York* (1925)
- *Pierce vs. Society of Sisters* (1925)
- *Whitney v. California* (1927)
- *Buck v Bell* (1927)
- *Olmstead v. United States* (1928)

#### Speeches

- Richmond P. Hobson, "Resolution for Prohibition" (1914)
- Eugene V. Debs, "The Bending Cross Speech" (1918)
- Warren G. Harding, "Return to Normalcy" (1920)
- Explanation of the Objects of the Universal Negro Improvement Association (1921)
- Margaret Sanger, "The Children's Era" (1925)
- Calvin Coolidge, "Address to the American Society of Newspaper Editors" (1925)
- Al Smith, "I Will Not Be Influenced in Appointments" (1928)
- Herbert Hoover, "Principles and Ideals of the United States Government" (1928)
- Herbert Hoover, "The President's News Conference on The National Economic Condition" (1929)
- Albert Einstein, "Wonders of Science" (1930)

#### Documentaries

- *Prohibition*, Ken Burns (2011)

#### Legislation

- 18th, 19th, and 21st Amendments
- Immigration Act (1917)
- Volstead Act (1920)
- Emergency Quota Act (1921)
- The Washington Treaty (1922)
- Immigration Restriction Act (1924)
- Butler Law (1925)
- Kellogg Briand Pact (1928)
- Boulder Canyon Project Act (1928)
- Undesirable Aliens Act/Blease's Law (1929)

#### Other Documents

- George William Hunter, *A Civic Biology Presented in Problems* (1914)
- Claude McKay, "If We Must Die" (1919)
- Crystal Eastman, "Now We Can Begin" (1920)
- A Mitchell Palmer, "The Case Against the 'Reds,'" (1920)
- Ellen Welles Page, "A Flapper's Appeal to Parents" (1922)
- Clarence Darrow, "Closing Arguments in The State of Illinois v. Nathan Leopold & Richard Loeb" (1924)
- H.L. Mencken, "Account of the Scopes Trial" (1925)
- Alain Locke, "New Negro" (1925)
- Hiram Evans, "The Klan's Fight for Americanism" (1926)
- New York Times, "Sacco and Vanzetti Put to Death Early This Morning" (1927)
- John Box, "Immigration Restriction" (1928)
- Ernesto Galarza, "Immigration Restriction" (1929)

**LINKS: TBD**

## KEY TERMS - GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

### **Individuals**

Armstrong, Lois  
Barton, Bruce  
Birdseye, Clarence  
Bow, Clara  
Brandeis, Louis  
Bryan, William Jennings  
Busch, Adolphus  
Byrd, Richard E.  
Capone, Alphonse  
Carter, Howard  
Chanel, Coco  
Chaplin, Charlie  
Clarke, Edward  
Coleman, Bessie  
Cooldige, Calvin  
Cox, James  
Darrow, Clarence  
Darwin, Charles  
Daugherty, Harry  
Davis, John W.  
de Forest, Lee  
De Priest, Oscar  
Dempsey, William  
Dos Passos, John  
Du Bois, W. E. B.  
Edison, Thomas  
Einstein, Albert  
Einstein, Isador  
Eliot, T.S.  
Ellington, Duke  
Fall, Albert  
Farnsworth, Philo Taylor  
Ferguson, Miriam  
Fitzgerald, F. Scott  
Fleming, Alexander  
Ford, Henry  
Francis Galton  
Frederick, Christine  
Freud, Sigmund  
Garvey, Marcus  
Gershwin, George  
Gloria Swanson  
Goddard, Robert H.  
Grange, Red  
Griffith, D.W.  
Hanchett Hunt, Mary  
Harding, Warren  
Hearst, William Randolph  
Hemingway, Ernest  
Hoover, Herbert  
Hoover, J. Edgar  
Hughes, Langston  
Hurston, Zora Neale  
John Logie Baird  
Keaton, Buster  
Kellogg, John Harvey  
La Follette, Robert  
Landis, Kenesaw Landis  
Lewis, John L.  
Lewis, Sinclair  
Lindbergh, Charles  
Long, Lois  
Luce, Henry  
McAdoo Jr., William  
McClatchy, V.S.  
McKay, Claude  
McPherson, Aimee Semple  
Mellon, Andrew  
Mencken, Henry L.  
Nation, Caroline  
Nielsen, Arthur C.  
O'Neill, Eugene  
Palmer, A. Mitchell  
Parker, Dorothy  
Ponzi, Charles  
Randolph, A. Philip  
Remus, George  
Roosevelt, Franklin  
Ross, Nellie Tayloe  
Runyon, Damon  
Ruth, Babe  
Sabin, Pauline  
Sanger, Margaret  
Simmons, William  
Smith, Alfred  
Smith, Bessie  
Smith, Jesse W.  
Stein, Gertrude  
Sunday, Billy  
Thompson, Big Bill  
Tunney, James  
Tyler, Elizabeth  
Valentino, Rudolph  
Walker, Madam C.J.  
West, Mae  
Wheeler, Wayne B.  
Willard, Frances  
Willebrandt, Mabel Walker  
Wilson, Edith  
Wilson, Woodrow

## Related Terms

100% Americans  
16th Amendment  
18th Amendment  
1920 Census  
19th Amendment  
21st Amendment  
American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)  
American Breeders Association  
*Amos n' Andy*  
anarchists  
Anti-Evolution League  
Anti-Saloon League  
Art Deco Movement  
Atlantic City Conference  
*Babbitt* (novel and term)  
Back to Africa  
Bible Belt  
Black Sox Scandal  
Black Thursday, Monday, Tuesday  
Bolshevik Revolution  
Bonus Army  
bootlegger  
Boston Police Strike  
buying on margin  
California Alien Land Law of 1920  
Centralia Massacre  
Chicago Beer Wars  
Chrysler Building  
Columbine Mine Massacre  
Communist Labor Party  
Coney Island  
consumerism  
Cotton Club  
dadaism  
dance marathons  
Dawes Plan  
disposable income  
Dust Bowl  
Dyer Anti-Lynching Bill  
Elaine Massacre  
Election of 1920, 1924, 1928, 1932  
Electric Suction Sweeper Company  
escapism  
eugenics  
Federal Highway Act of 1921  
flagpole sitting  
flapper  
Florida Land Boom  
forced sterilization  
Ford Motor Company  
Fordlandia  
Fordney-McCumber Tariff  
fundamentalist  
General Motors  
Great Colorado Coal Strike of 1927  
Great Depression  
*Great Gatsby*  
Great Migration  
Great Mississippi Flood (1927)  
Harlem Renaissance  
Hays Office  
Holland Tunnel  
Hollywood  
Hooverville  
hyphenated american  
Increased Penalties Act (1929)  
Indian Citizenship Act  
installment credit  
International Workers of the World  
issei  
Jazz Age  
Jim Crow laws  
KDKA  
Ku Klux Klan  
League of Nations  
Leopold and Loeb Trial  
lindy hop (dance)  
Lost Generation  
mah-jongg  
mass consumption  
mass culture  
mass media/communication  
Model T  
motels  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
National Broadcasting Company  
nativism  
"New Woman"  
nickelodeons  
nisei  
Ohio Gang  
Palmer Raids  
Pershing Map  
petting parties  
picture palace

Piggly Wiggly  
Progressive Movement  
prohibition  
Radio Corporation of America (RCA)  
Reader's Digest  
Red Scare  
*The Rising Tide of Color: The Threat Against White  
World-Supremacy*, by Lothrop Stoddard (1920)  
Route 66  
Sacco-Vanzetti Trial  
saloon  
Saint Valentine's Day Massacre  
Scientific Temperance Instruction  
scofflaw  
Scopes Trial  
Seattle General Strike  
*Shuffle Along* (play)  
Soviet Ark  
Spanish Flu Epidemic  
speakeasy  
Spindletop  
Steamboat Willie (film)  
Stock Market Crash of 1929  
surrealism  
talkies  
Teapot Dome Scandal  
teenager  
Temperance Movement  
*Ten Nights in a Bar-room* (film)  
*The Birth of a Nation* (film)  
the Charleston (dance)  
*The Clansman*, by Thomas Dixon (1915)  
*The Jazz Singer* (film)  
*The New Yorker* (magazine)  
Time Magazine  
Treaty of Versailles  
Tulsa Race Massacre  
urbanization  
victorianism  
videophone  
vitascope  
Volstead Act  
Wall Street Bombing  
*The Wasteland* by T.S. Eliot (1922)  
war reparations  
Washington Naval COntention  
Washingtonians  
White Russians  
Women's Christian Temperance Union (WCTU)  
xenophobia

yellow peril  
Young Plan