**Unit 1: Geography**

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| **Essential Questions** |

Common Assessments:* Pre-Assessment
* Summative Assessment
* How does using maps, charts, graphs, geographic data and available

 technology tools allow for people to draw conclusions about the emergence, expansion and decline of civilizations?* How does the construction of maps, charts and graphs explain data about geographic phenomena in various civilizations?
* What factors influenced the movement of people, goods and ideas and the effects of that movement on civilizations overtime?
* What are distinguishing characteristics of civilizations?
 | * I totally get it
* I sort of get it
* I don’t get it
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| **Enduring Understanding****Students will understand that…** |
| * 6.G.2.1 using maps, charts, graphs, geographic data and available technology tools allow you to draw  conclusions about the emergence, expansion and decline of civilizations.
* 6.G.2.2  The construction of maps, charts and graphs explain data about geographic phenomena in various civilizations (e.g., migration patterns and population and resource distribution patterns).
* 6.G1.2   Various factors influenced the movement of people, goods and ideas and the effects of that movement on civilizations overtime (e.g., scarcity of resources, conquests, desire for wealth, disease and trade).
* 6.G1.3 Civilizations have distinguishing characteristics (e.g., physical features, culture, political organization and ethnic make-up).
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| **Vocabulary Master** |
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| * Geography
 | * 5 Themes of Geography
 | * Physical Feature
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| * Culture
 | * Latitude
 | * Longitude
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* Week 1 – Procedures / Getting to Know Each Other
* Week 2-What is Geography/Location/Place
* Week 3- Region/Movement/Human-Environment Interaction/Summative Assessment