

## KINDERGARTEN SOCIAL STUDIES BENCHMARKS/EXIT SKILLS

| MAIN STRAND              | BENCHMARK  |
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| CONFLICT RESOLUTION      | <p>TLW become aware of rules and evaluate how the application of responsible decision-making affects daily life. /HOTS/</p> <p>TLW become aware of drugs in order to make responsible decisions.</p> <p>TLW explain and apply safety rules.</p>  |
| PRINCIPLES APPLICATION   | <p>TLW develop through the use of various communications an awareness of important people and events that have helped shape the principles of democracy. /COMM/</p> <p>TLW demonstrate an understanding of historical people and events.</p> <p>TLW recognize the social skills required in a learning environment and apply these skills in their daily life.</p> |
| CULTURAL DIVERSITY       | <p>TLW recognize that all people have the same basic needs while demonstrating and generating a sensitivity to cultural and individual uniqueness. /MCNS/</p> <p>TLW recognize that all people have the same basic needs.</p> <p>TLW demonstrate a sensitivity to cultural and individual uniqueness.</p>  |
| INFORMATIONAL PROCESSING | <p>TLW become aware of geographic skills and demonstrate the ability to apply this information. /GLOBAL/HOTS/LRN/</p> <p>TLW construct a map by demonstrating knowledge of geographic skills.</p>  |

LIFE LONG LEARNERS

TLW independently and cooperatively develop an awareness of the world in relationship to career opportunities and ever-changing technology.  
/CARED/TECH/GLOBAL/

TLW develop an awareness of community helpers in order to make career decisions.

ARTICULATE DEMOCRACY

TLW recognize the importance of one's own beliefs and accept the rights of others to their beliefs.  
/LRN/GLOBAL/MCNS/

TLW demonstrate an awareness of holidays and recognize the importance of one's beliefs and accept the rights of others beliefs.