Brandon Valley School District District Learning Plan May 11-15, 2020

Grade 2 Social Studies/Science



Brandon Valley School District Distance Learning Plan

LESSON/UNIT: Holiday SUBJECT/GRADE: Science/SS Grade 2 DATES: May 11-15

What do students need to do? Link to BV instructional video for week of May 11-15, 2020	Monday 5/11 - Read both posters about recycling.	
	Tuesday 5/12 -List ways to reuse an egg carton, plastic water bottle, aluminum can, and an	
	empty toilet paper roll.	
	Wednesday 5/13 - Read Cinco de Mayo and Independence Day articles.	
	Thursday 5/14 - Fill out T-chart about articles.	
	Friday 5/15 - No assignment	
	Triady 5/15 The assignment	
What do students need	1. T-chart about holidays	
to turn in?		
What standards do the	2.H2.1 Compare how holidays are celebrated in different cultures.	
lessons cover?	2.G6.2 Suggest ways people can responsibly interact with their environment	
) A / 1	2.PS.1-4 Matter exists as different substances that have different properties.	
What materials do students need?	Need: • articles and posters	
students need:	paper/pencil	
What extra resources	• worksheets	
can students use?		
What can students do if	Make the things you suggested to reuse. Be creative!	
they finish early?	• IXL Science - A1 through A5	
	IXL Social Studies - E1-E10	
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Notes:

Instructional materials are posted below (if applicable)

Brandon Valley School District

Sustainable Solutions



Grand Teton National Park

At Grand Teton, we are working to divert 60% of our waste from the landfill by 2030 as part of the Zero Landfill Initiative. There are so many ways to help!

Recycle Right

Grand Teton has a **source-separated** recycling system. Before you recycle, separate items by material, then sort items into the appropriate compartments at the recycling containers. Remember to **only** place the following items in recycling bins:

Tip:

Ask a ranger about specialty recycling for propane and bear spray canisters!







Glass

All colors bottles and jars

Cans

- Aluminum cans
- Steel and tin cans

Plastic

- #1 bottles and jugs
- #2 bottles and jugs

Refil

Fresh, mountain spring water is right at your fingertips! You can refill your reusable water bottle at one of the park's water filling stations. Remember, never drink untreated water directly from a spring or waterway.

Tip:

Prevent contamination by rinsing and sorting items before you recyclefood/liquid residue or missorted items can cause an entire recycling load to be thrown out.

Tip:

Did you know Grand Teton's water is treated to a level exceeding federal and state standards for safe drinking water?



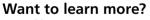
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Rethink

Due to our location, many items that you may be used to recycling at home are not recyclable in Teton County. Re-think what you purchase and pack on your next trip to Grand Teton to avoid single use items and packaging that ends up in the landfill!

Tip:

Get creative to ditch single-use packaging! Can you think of reusable alternatives for the items below?



visit: go.nps.gov/tetongreen



WHEN YOU THROW SOMETHING AWAY, WHERE DOES IT GO?





YOU CAN DRAMATICALLY
REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF TRASH
THAT IS THROWN AWAY BY
TAKING A FEW EASY STEPS:



REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF MATERIALS YOU USE, WHICH



REDUCES THE AMOUNT OF WASTE YOU CREATE

REUSE MATERIALS WHEN POSSIBLE



RECYCLE WHENEVER POSSIBLE







AND THOSE



BY THINKING ABOUT WHAT WE'RE USING AND HOW TO REDUCE THE WASTE WE PRODUCE, WE CAN HELP CREATE A CLEANER, HEALTHIER ENVIRONMENT.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE TODAY!

If we all take **small steps every day** to reduce the amount of waste we produce, **we can help protect our planet** for generations to come.

For more information, visit www.epa.gov/recycle.

Cinco de Mayo



Cinco de Mayo festival in Washington, D.C. (Photo courtesy of Wikimedia Commons).

Cinco de Mayo is a Mexican American holiday.

It is celebrated every year on May 5th.

This holiday is observed to remember the **Battle of Puebla** in 1862.

The **Battle of Puebla** was important because the Mexican army was victorious over the French army, even though the Mexican army had less soldiers.

Today, this day is celebrated by people of **Puebla, Mexico**.

In Mexico, people make famous food dishes, such as:

Mole Poblano- a dark red-brown sauce that is usually served with turkey or chicken

Chalopas- thick, fried tortillas that are topped with shredded meat, salsa, onions and cheese

Chiles en Nogada- a green poblano chili that is covered in a walnut crème sauce and topped with pomegranate seeds.

People also celebrate **Cinco de Mayo** in the United States.

They do this to honor the Mexican American heritage.

People participate in and attend parades.

Dancers dress in brightly colored traditional costumes.

They listen to Mexican folk music, which is called **mariachi**.

They eat special food, such as tacos and guacamole.

In Washington, D.C, there is even a special event called Running of the Chihuahuas. During this race, Chihuahua, which is a bread of dog that began in Mexico, race each other in fun.

Independence Day



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Independence Day is a United States holiday.

It is celebrated every year on July 4th.

This holiday is observed to celebrate our independence from England, which led to the formation of the United States.

On July 4^{th,} 1776, the Declaration of Independence was formally approved by our Continental Congress. People celebrated by ringing bells, playing music and shooting off fireworks.

Today, people celebrate the 4th of July in many ways to remember the birth of our nation.

People participate in and attend parades.

They hang American flags

They dress in festive red, white and blue colors.

They listen to Patriotic music, such as America the Beautiful.

People gather with family, friends and neighbors.

They have cookouts and eat fun food and drink, such as hamburgers, hot dogs, lemonade and ice cream.

At night, people also often shoot off or watch fireworks.

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Write 3 or more facts you learned about each holiday, comparing and contrasting on the T-Chart below.

Cinco De Mayo	Independence Day
- Mexican Holiday	- United States Holiday