

⇒ TEXAS COMMEMORATIVE MAPS PROJECT ⇐

TOPIC EXAMPLES

You can be as creative with content and skills as time will allow.

EXAMPLE: A *Texas Cattle Trails Commemorative Map* might include original cowboy poetry, examples of equipment used by cowboys, locations of major ranches and towns, cattle trails, prominent geographical features and influential people from this period.

TEXAS FESTIVALS AND CELEBRATIONS

EUROPEAN EXPLORATION

INDIAN WARS IN TEXAS

CATTLE TRAILS AND RANCHES

SPANISH INFLUENCE IN TEXAS

EUROPEAN COLONIZATION OF TEXAS

TEXAS REVOLUTION (MANY THEMES)

REPUBLIC OF TEXAS (MANY THEMES)

CIVIL WAR

“KING COTTON”

TEXAS AND TECHNOLOGY (RAILROADS, CHANGES IN FARMING AND RANCHING, ETC.)

PROGRESSIVE TEXAS

TEXAS AND THE NEW DEAL (PUBLIC WORKS, ETC.)

TEXAS AT WAR (WWI AND WWII)

HIGH TECH TEXAS

ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY TEXAS

CONSIDER THESE CONNECTIONS

SCIENCE — *Wildlife, Pollution, “Green” Technology*

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS TOPICS — *Authors of Texas, Myths and Legends of Texas*

MATH — *Surveying in Texas, Statistics of Texas*