**GED 2014 Social Studies Study Plan**

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| **Social Studies Practices** |  |  |  |
| * Drawing Conclusions and Making Inferences
 | * **SB Critical Thinking Unit 1,**
* **SB Critical Thinking Strategy 7**
* S/V Keys to GED Success Skill 3, 5, 9
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 410 – 411**
* **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 3 lesson 6 &** 8
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| * Determining Central Ideas, Hypotheses, and Conclusions
 | * **SB Critical Thinking Strategy 1**
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 410 – 411**
* **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 2 lesson 3**
* **NRP Writing for the GED Test 3 pp. 11 - 15**
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| * Analyzing Events and Ideas
 | * **SB Critical Thinking Unit 2**
* S/V Keys to GED Success Skill 1 - 2
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| * Interpreting Meaning of Symbols, Words, and Phrases
 | * **SB Critical Thinking Strategy 8, 12**
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 412 - 413**
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| * Analyzing Purpose and Point of View
 | * **NRP Writing for the GED Test 3 pp. 11 – 15**
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 414 – 415**
* **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 3 lesson 9**
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| * Integrating Content Presented in Different Ways
 | * **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 4 lesson 3**
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| * Evaluating Reasoning and Evidence
 | * **SB Critical Thinking Strategy 11**
* S/V Keys to GED Success Skill 6-8, 10
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 416 – 417**
* **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 3 lesson 15 – 16**
* **NRP Writing for the GED Test 3 pp. 16 - 21**
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| * Analyzing Relationships between Texts
 | * **NRP Writing for the GED Test 3 pp. 22 – 28**
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 418 - 421**
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| * Writing Analytic Response to Source Texts
 | * **NRP Writing for the GED Test 3 pp. 29 – 40 and 57 – 60**
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 424 - 425**
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| * Reading and Interpreting Graphs, Charts, and Other Data Representation
 | * **SB Data and Graphs Units 1 and 3**
* **SB Graphs, Data Analysis & Probability Unit 1**
* S/V Keys to GED Success Skill 11 – 14, 16
* Top Line Math Data Analysis and Probability (Unit 1)
* Contemporary’s Pre-GED Unit 2 Charts, Graphs & Maps
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 422 – 423**
* **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook**
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| * Measuring the Center of a Statistical Dataset
 | * **SB Data and Graphs Strategy 5**
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 290 - 293**
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**Bold items are new materials for the 2014 GED test**

**NRP = New Readers Press S/B = Scoreboost S/V = Steck Vaughn**

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| **Civics and Government** | * **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 3**
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| * Types of Modern and Historical Governments
 | * **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 444 – 445**
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| * Principles that have Contributed to Development of American Constitutional Democracy
 | * Contemporary’s GED Soc. Studies chapter 7
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 446 - 447**
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| * Structure and Design of US Government
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp.34 – 37.
* Building Strategies for GED Success SS Unit 2 pp. 48 – 63.
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 448 - 449**
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| * Individual Rights and Civic Responsibilities
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 40 – 41.
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 452 - 453**
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| * Political Parties, Campaigns, and Elections in American Politics
 | * **NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 38 – 39**
* S/V GED Skill Book – Economics, Civics & Government Lesson 15
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 450 - 451**
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| * Contemporary Public Policy
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| **US History** | * **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 2**
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| * Key Historical Documents That Have Shaped American Constitutional Government
 | * S/V GED Skill Book: Key Historical Documents
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| * Revolutionary and Early Republic Periods
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 24 – 27.
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 430 – 431, 474 - 475**
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| * Civil War and Reconstruction
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 28 – 29.
* Building Strategies for GED Success SS Unit 1, pp. 22 – 25
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 432 - 433**
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| * Civil Rights
 | * Building Strategies for GED Success SS Unit 2, pp. 64 - 67
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| * European Settlement and Population of the Americas.
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 30 – 31.
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 434 - 435**
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| * World Wars 1 and 2
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 22 – 23, 32 – 33.
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 438 – 439, 476 - 477**
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| * The Cold War
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 32 – 33.
* Building Strategies for GED Success SS Unit 1 pp. 32 – 41.
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 438 - 439**
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| * American Foreign Policy Since 9/11
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| **Economics** | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 42 – 47.
* **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 4**
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| * Key Economic Events that have Shaped American Government and Policies
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| * Relationship Between Political and Economic Freedoms
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| * Fundamental Economic Concepts
 | * Building Strategies for GED Success SS Unit 5, pp. 126 – 135.
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 458 - 461**
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| * Microeconomics and Macroeconomics
 | * Contemporary’s GED Soc. Studies chapter 8
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 462 - 463**
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| * Consumer Economics
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| * Economic Causes and Impacts of Wars
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| * Economic Drivers of Exploration and Colonization
 | * Contemporary’s GED Soc. Studies chapter 10
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| * Scientific and Industrial Revolutions
 | * Contemporary’s GED Soc. Studies chapter 9
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| **Geography** | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 48 – 53.
* **S/V Social Studies Book and Workbook Unit 1**
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| * Relationships Between the Environment and Societal Developments
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 52 – 53.
* Contemporary’s GED Soc. Studies chapter 6
* **NRP Kaplan Big Book pp. 478 - 481**
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| * Borders Between Peoples and Nations
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| * Human Migration
 | * NRP GED Skill Workbook Social Studies pp. 50 – 51.
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