By the end of 2nd grade social studies, student will:

1. understand the differences and similarities between American cultures and those of other countries

2. know the location of school, home, neighborhood, community, state and country

3. understand the daily life and customs of early colonial and Native American cultures

4. understand the responsibilities of a good citizen including the voting process

5. know ways in which people depend on and protect the physical environment

6. know how groups work together to promote common goods

7. develop an open-minded, compassionate understanding of people's differences and viewpoints.

8. understand the significance of historical figures and events.

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