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Session Details	College- and Career-Readiness Standards for Social Studies	Common Core ELA	Common Core Math
<p>Session One: Free to Choose Your Work or Business</p> <p>Students are introduced to the nation’s free market system and how it supports businesses and careers.</p> <p>Objectives: The students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the characteristics of a free market economy. Explain how pricing guides economic decisions. 	<p>Social Studies Indicators Develop questions through investigations. Apply disciplinary concepts and tools.</p> <p>Economics Explain how profits influence sellers in markets.</p>	<p>RI.5.1-2 RI.5.4,7 RF.5.3-4 SL.5.1-6 L.5.1 L.5.3-5</p>	<p>OA.5.2 NBT.5.6 NBT.5.7</p> <p>Mathematical Practices 1-2 4-7</p>
<p>Session Two: Innovation Nation</p> <p>Students experience how entrepreneurial thinking can spur new businesses and the opportunity for future income.</p> <p>Objectives: The students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define entrepreneur and entrepreneurship. Describe resources and how entrepreneurs use them. Explore STEM skills and the process of innovation. 	<p>Economics Identify examples of the variety of resources (human capital, physical capital, and natural resources) that are used to produce goods and services.</p> <p>Describe ways people can increase productivity by using improved capital goods and improving their human capital.</p>	<p>RI.5.1-2 RI.5.4,7 RF.5.3-4 WS.5.2,4 SL.5.1-6 L.5.1-5</p>	<p>OA.5.2 NBT.5.7</p> <p>Mathematical Practices 1-2 4-8</p>
<p>Session Three: Career Quest</p> <p>Students learn about career clusters.</p> <p>Objectives: The students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Examine career groupings and the skills necessary for a variety of careers. 	<p>NA</p>	<p>RI.5.1-2 RI.5.4,7 RF.5.3-4 SL.5.1-6 L.5.1-5</p>	<p>NBT.5.6 NBT.5.7</p> <p>Mathematical Practices 1-7</p>
<p>Session Four: Get and Keep the Job!</p> <p>Students examine important work-readiness and behavioral skills needed for career success.</p> <p>Objectives: The students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the soft skills wanted by today’s employers. 	<p>Civics Describe ways in which people benefit from working together, including government, workplaces, voluntary organizations, and families.</p>	<p>RI.5.1-2 RI.5.4,7 RF.5.3-4 WS.5.2,4 SL.5.1-6 L.5.1-5</p>	<p>NBT.5.6 NBT.5.7</p> <p>Mathematical Practices 1-2 4 6-7</p>
<p>Session Five: Global Connections</p> <p>Students explore how the United States is connected to the global economy.</p> <p>Objectives: The students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss why businesses specialize and trade. Define opportunity cost. 	<p>Economics Explain how trade leads to increasing economic interdependence among nations.</p> <p>Geography Explain how environmental and cultural characteristics (e.g. natural resources) affect the distribution and movement of people, goods, and ideas.</p>	<p>RI.5.1-2 RI.5.4,7 RF.5.3-4 SL.5.1-6 L.5.1 L.5.3-5</p>	<p>NA</p>

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<p>Optional Supplement: Business Organization</p> <p>Students examine entrepreneurship, free enterprise, and business organization.</p> <p>Objectives: The students will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify three basic ways businesses are organized. 	<p>Social Studies Indicators</p> <p>Evaluate sources and use evidence.</p> <p>Communicate conclusions and take informed action.</p>	<p>SL.5.1-6 L.5.1 L.5.5</p>	<p>NA</p>

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