

## Encyclopedia of Children and Childhood: In History and Society

Summary: The Encyclopedia of Children and Childhood supports curriculum standards requiring students to: 1) compare the present with the past and explain how these differences impact daily life; 2) understand social issues such as the changing family structure, the impact of slavery, children's rights, and cultural stereotype; 3) Recognize literary works and visual artists and explore these works in context of history and culture; 4) Describe the impact of science and technology on health, comfort, and daily life; 4) Analyze how significant economic events such as industrialization, immigration, and the shift from a rural to service economy caused a shift in resources and labor (especially child labor).

History	Standard & Examples	Standard & Examples	Visual Arts	Science & Technology	Economics	
<b>National</b>	<p>NHS "Explain how industrialization and urbanization affected class distinctions, family life, and the daily working lives of men, women, and children." Entries on African-American Children; Apprenticeship; Child Care in the Home; African-American Children; Child Labor; Children's Spaces; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; European Industrialization; Modern Social Welfare and Social Welfare Institutions; Play; Playground Movement; Social Settlements; Street Games; Urban School Systems; Rise of Work and Poverty.</p>	<p>NHS: "Analyze how the Atlantic slave trade affected population, economic life, polygamous marriage, family life, and the use of male and female slave labor in West and Central Africa." Entries on Africa (Childhood in); Law; Slavery; United States; African-American Children; Fictive Kin; Fosterage; Step-Parents; Discipline and Corporal Punishment; Child Abandonment; Foundings; Child Abuse.</p>	<p>NCTE: "Read a wide range of literature from many periods in many genres to build an understanding of the many dimensions (e.g., philosophical, ethical, aesthetic) of human experience." Entries on Andersen, Hans Christian; Carroll, Lewis; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Fairy Tales and Fables; Frank, Anne; Keene, Carolyn; Kipling, Rudyard; Potter, Beatrix; Sendak, Maurice; Series Books; Tintin; Twain, Mark; Winnie the Pooh; Wizard of Oz.</p>	<p>NSAE: "Describe the function and explore the meaning of specific art objects within varied cultures, times, and places." Entries on Art by Children; Cassatt, Mary; Ewald, Wendy; Greenaway, Kate; Gutmann, Wendy; Hine, Lewis; Images of Childhood; Japanese Art; Contemporary; Madonna, Orthodox; Madonna, Religious; Madonna, Secular; Mann, Sally; Photographs of Children; Smith, Jessie Willcox; Victorian Art; Winslow Homer.</p>	<p>NHS "Describe major medical successes in the treatment of infectious diseases and analyze the causes and social costs of the world influenza pandemic of 1918-1919." Entries on Adolescent Medicine; AIDS; Children's Hospitals; Contagious Diseases; Epidemics; Hygiene; Infant Mortality; Pediatrics; Polio; Scientific Child Rearing; Vaccination.</p>	<p>NHS "Explain how the scarcity of production resources (human, capital, natural) requires the development of economic systems to make the decisions..." Entries on African-American Children; Apprenticeship; Child Labor; Child Labor in Developing Countries; Economics and Children in Western Societies; European Welfare State; Industrial Homework; National Child Labor Committee; Native American Children; Slavery, United States; Vocational Education, Industrial Education, and Trade Schools; Welfare Reform; Work and Poverty; Working Papers.</p>
<b>California</b>	<p>"Students compare the present with the past as well as the consequences of past events and decisions and determining the lessons that were learned." Entries describing childhood in following periods: Ancient Greece and Rome; Colonial Rule; Early Modern Europe; Holocaust; Medieval and Renaissance Europe; Protestant Reformation; The Enlightenment; War in the 20th Century. ALSO entries on African American Children; Catholicism; Comparative History; Foundings; Islam; Judaism; Law; Native American Children; Slavery, United States.</p>	<p>"Describe the changing roles of women as reflected in the entry of more women into the labor force and the changing family structure." Entries on Birth Order; Divorce and Custody; Family Patterns; Fathering and Motherhood; Gendering; Girl Scouts; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Motherhood; Multiple Births; Parenthood; Puberty; Same Sex Parenting; Teenage Mothers in the United States; Women's Colleges in the United States; YWCA/YMCA.</p>	<p>"Read and reflect to historically or culturally significant works of literature that respond to and enhance their studies of history and social science." Entries on Andersen, Hans Christian; Autobiographies; Bible, The; Carroll, Lewis; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Fairy Tales and Fables; Frank, Anne; Keene, Carolyn; Kipling, Rudyard; Potter, Beatrix; Sendak, Maurice; Series Books; Tintin; Twain, Mark; Winnie the Pooh; Wizard of Oz.</p>	<p>"Identify images of self, friends, and family, to apply what they have learned to in the visual arts across subject areas." Entries on Art by Children; Cassatt, Mary; Ewald, Wendy; Greenaway, Kate; Gutmann, Bessie Pease; Hine, Lewis; Images of Childhood; Japanese Art; Contemporary; Madonna, Orthodox; Madonna, Religious; Madonna, Secular; Mann, Sally; Photographs of Children; Smith, Jessie Willcox; Victorian Art; Winslow Homer.</p>	<p>"Describe the effects on society and the economy of technological developments since 1945, including the computer revolution, changes in communication, advances in medicine, and improvements in agricultural technology." Entries on Accidents; Adolescent Medicine; AIDS; Artificial Insemination; Birth Control; Birth Defects; Children's Hospitals; Conception and Birth; Contagious Diseases; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; Education; Europe, United States; Egg Donation; Epidemics; Hygiene; In Vitro Fertilization; Indoor Games; Infant Mortality; Media, Childhood and the; Pediatrics; Polio; Scientific Child Rearing; Vaccination; Venereal Disease.</p>	<p>"Trace the evolution of work and labor, including the demise of the slave trade and the effects of immigration, mining and manufacturing, division of labor, and the union movement." Entries on Adolescence and Youth; African-American Children; Apprenticeship; Child Labor; Child Labor in Developing Countries; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; European Industrialization; European Welfare State; Foundings; Indentured Servant; Law; Modern Social Welfare and Welfare Institutions; National Child Labor Committee; Native-American Children; Slavery, United States; Vocational Education, Industrial Education, and Trade Schools; Welfare Reform Act (1996); Work and Poverty; Working Papers.</p>
<b>Florida</b>	<p>"Understand the social and cultural impact of migrant groups and individuals on American society after 1880." Entries on Adolescence and Youth; African-American Children; Boyhood; Children's Spaces; Education; Europe; Industrialization; Girlhood; Indoor Games; Native American Children; Play; Playground Movement; School Buildings/Architecture; Europe; Sports; Street Games; Toys; Work and Poverty. ALSO articles describing childhood in following periods: Ancient Greece and Rome; Colonial Rule; Early Modern Europe; Holocaust; Islam; Judaism; Medieval and Renaissance Europe; Protestant Reformation; The Enlightenment.</p>	<p>"Understand how personal, political, and economic forces are secured in a constitutional government and by such means as the rule of law, checks and balances, an independent judiciary, and a vigilant citizenry." Entries on Age of Consent; Child Labor; Children's Defense Fund; Guns; Children's Rights; Divorce and Custody; International Juvenile Justice; The Human Rights Issue; Juvenile Court; Juvenile Justice; Law; Modern Social Welfare and Social Welfare Institutions; Police; School Shooting and Violence; Smoking; Soldier Children; Global Human Rights Issues; Teen Drinking; UN Convention on the Rights of the Child; Violence Against Children; Youth Gangs; ALSO Entries on specific court cases: Bellotti v. Baird; Brown v. the Board of Education of Topeka, Kansas; Ex Parte Crouse; Hammer v. Dagenhart; In re Gault; Megan's Law; Tinker v. Des Moines Independent School District.</p>	<p>"Recognize and explain those elements in texts that prompt a personal response, such as connections between one's own life and the characters, events, motives in texts." Entries on Andersen, Hans Christian; Autobiographies; Bible, The; Carroll, Lewis; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Fairy Tales and Fables; Frank, Anne; Keene, Carolyn; Kipling, Rudyard; Potter, Beatrix; Sendak, Maurice; Series Books; Tintin; Twain, Mark; Winnie the Pooh; Wizard of Oz.</p>	<p>"Understand how recognized artists recorded, affected, or influenced change in a historical, cultural, or religious context." Entries on Art by Children; Cassatt, Mary; Ewald, Wendy; Greenaway, Kate; Gutmann, Bessie Pease; Hine, Lewis; Images of Childhood; Japanese Art; Contemporary; Madonna, Orthodox; Madonna, Religious; Madonna, Secular; Mann, Sally; Photographs of Children; Smith, Jessie Willcox; Victorian Art; Winslow Homer.</p>	<p>"Understand the impact of technological, family, and community health." Entries on Accidents; Adolescent Medicine; AIDS; Artificial Insemination; Birth Control; Birth Defects; Children's Hospitals; Conception and Birth; Contagious Diseases; Egg Donation; Epidemics; Hygiene; In Vitro Fertilization; Indoor Games; Infant Mortality; Media, Childhood and the; Pediatrics; Polio; Scientific Child Rearing; Vaccination; Venereal Disease.</p>	<p>"Understand how scarcity requires individuals and institutions to make choices about how to use resources." Entries on Apprenticeship; Child Labor; Child Labor in Developing Countries; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; The Consumer Economy; European Welfare State; Industrial Homework; National Child Labor Committee; Native American Slavery, United States, Vocational Education, Industrial Education, and Trade Schools; Welfare Reform; Work and Poverty; Working Papers.</p>
<b>Illinois</b>	<p>"Describe the various roles of men, women and children in the family, at work, and in the community in various time periods and places (e.g., ancient Rome, Medieval Europe, ancient China, Sub-Saharan Africa)." Entries describing childhood in following periods: Ancient Greece and Rome; Colonial Rule; Early Modern Europe; Holocaust; Medieval and Renaissance Europe; Protestant Reformation; The Enlightenment; War in the 20th Century. ALSO articles on Boyhood; Child Labor; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; Family Patterns; Fathering and Motherhood; Slavery, United States.</p>	<p>"Analyze the influence of cultural factors including customs, traditions, language, media, art and architecture in developing pluralistic societies." Individual articles on childhood in every global region. ALSO Entries on Adolescence and Youth; African-American Children; Catholicism; Children's Literature; Children's Spaces; Christmas; Consumer Culture; Dating; Fairy Tales and Fables; Fashion; Furniture; Images of Childhood; Islam; Judaism; Media, Children and the; Native American Children; Photographs of Children; Radio; School Buildings/Architecture; Europe; United States; Toys.</p>	<p>"Apply knowledge gained from literature as a means of understanding contemporary and historical economic, social and political issues and perspectives." Entries on Andersen, Hans Christian; Autobiographies; Bible, The; Carroll, Lewis; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Fairy Tales and Fables; Frank, Anne; Keene, Carolyn; Kipling, Rudyard; Potter, Beatrix; Sendak, Maurice; Series Books; Tintin; Twain, Mark; Winnie the Pooh; Wizard of Oz.</p>	<p>"Through the arts, students observe how dance, drama, music and visual art reflect history, society and everyday life. They see links between the individual and society in the creation and understanding of works of art." Entries on Art by Children; Cassatt, Mary; Ewald, Wendy; Greenaway, Kate; Gutmann, Bessie Pease; Hine, Lewis; Images of Childhood; Japanese Art; Contemporary; Madonna, Orthodox; Madonna, Religious; Madonna, Secular; Mann, Sally; Photographs of Children; Smith, Jessie Willcox; Victorian Art; Winslow Homer.</p>	<p>"Analyze how technological and scientific developments have influenced the Great Depression, human comfort and the rise of technology that influenced the environment." Entries on Accidents; Adolescent Medicine; AIDS; Artificial Insemination; Birth Control; Birth Defects; Children's Hospitals; Conception and Birth; Contagious Diseases; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; Education; Europe, United States; Egg Donation; Epidemics; Hygiene; In Vitro Fertilization; Indoor Games; Infant Mortality; Media, Childhood and the; Pediatrics; Polio; Scientific Child Rearing; Vaccination; Venereal Disease.</p>	<p>"Describe significant economic events including industrialization, immigration, the Great Depression, the shift to a service economy and the rise of technology that influenced history from the industrial revolution era to the present." Entries on African-American Children; Child Labor; Children's Spaces; Conception and Birth; Contagious Diseases; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; European Industrialization; Hygiene; Infant Mortality; National Child Labor Committee; Native American Children; Play; Polio; Social Settlements; Societies for Prevention of Cruelty to Children; Vaccination; Work and Poverty; Youth Agencies of the New Deal.</p>
<b>New York</b>	<p>"Investigate the roles and contributions of individuals and groups in relation to key social, political, cultural, and religious practices throughout world history." Entries describing childhood in every historical period along with a large entry on Comparative History. ALSO entries on Campus Revolts; Catholicism; Children's Spaces; Christmas; Consumer Culture; Education; Fairy Tales and Fables; Images of Childhood; Islam; Judaism; Native American Children; Parenting; School Buildings/Architecture; Modern Social Welfare; Toys; and White House Conferences on Children.</p>	<p>"Understand the interrelationships between world events and developments in...the United States (e.g. causes for immigration, economic opportunities, human rights abuses, and tyranny versus freedom)." Entries on childhood in global regions including: Africa; Australia; Canada; China; Comparative History; Eastern Europe; Poland; Balkans; India and Southeast Asia; Japan; Latin America; Middle East; New Zealand; Russia; ALSO entries on: Child Abuse; Children's Rights; Globalization; International Juvenile Justice; The Human Rights Issue; International Organizations; UN Convention on the Rights of the Child.</p>	<p>"Comprehend, interpret, critique many genres of literature from many cultures and historical periods." Articles on Andersen, Hans Christian; Autobiographies; Bible, The; Carroll, Lewis; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Fairy Tales and Fables; Frank, Anne; Keene, Carolyn; Kipling, Rudyard; Potter, Beatrix; Sendak, Maurice; Series Books; Tintin; Twain, Mark; Winnie the Pooh; Wizard of Oz.</p>	<p>"Compare the ways in which a variety of ideas, themes and concepts are expressed through visual arts with the ways they are expressed in other disciplines." Entries on Cassatt, Mary; Ewald, Wendy; Greenaway, Kate; Gutmann, Bessie Pease; Hine, Lewis; Images of Childhood; Japanese Art; Contemporary; Madonna, Orthodox; Madonna, Religious; Madonna, Secular; Mann, Sally; Photographs of Children; Smith, Jessie Willcox; Victorian Art; Winslow Homer.</p>	<p>"Trace the impacts of different technological innovations and advances (e.g. in transportation and communication, agriculture, health and science, commerce and industry) over time by analyzing the effects of technology on the lives of people." Entries on Accidents; Adolescent Medicine; AIDS; Artificial Insemination; Birth Control; Birth Defects; Children's Hospitals; Conception and Birth; Contagious Diseases; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; Education; Europe, United States; Egg Donation; Epidemics; Hygiene; In Vitro Fertilization; Indoor Games; Infant Mortality; Media, Childhood and the; Pediatrics; Polio; Scientific Child Rearing; Vaccination; Venereal Disease.</p>	<p>"Understand the roles in the economy of system of consumers, producers, workers, investors, and voters." Entries on Advertising; Apprenticeship; Birthdays; Child Labor; Child Labor in Developing Countries; Christmas; Consumer Culture; Economics and Children in Western Societies; The Consumer Economy; From Agriculture to Industry; Fashion; Globalization; Media, Children and the; Slavery, United States; Street Games; Vocational Education, Industrial Education, and Trade Schools; Work and Poverty; Working Papers; Youth Culture.</p>
<b>Texas</b>	<p>"Understand the roles of women, children, and families in different historical cultures." Entries describing childhood in following periods: Ancient Greece and Rome; Colonial Rule; Early Modern Europe; Holocaust; Medieval and Renaissance Europe; Protestant Reformation; The Enlightenment; War in the 20th Century. ALSO articles on Boyhood; Child Labor; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; Family Patterns; Fathering and Motherhood; Parenthood; Slavery, United States.</p>	<p>"Compare cultural norms among various U.S. subculture groups such as ethnic, national origin, age, socioeconomic strata, and gender groups; describe subcultures of the various U.S. subcultures; and analyze social problems in selected U.S. subcultures." Entries on Adolescence and Youth; African-American Children; Child Abuse; Child Care in the Home; Delinquency; Drugs; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; History of Childhood; United States; Homeless Children and Runaways in the United States; Infant Feeding; Modern Social Welfare and Social Welfare Institutions; Native American Children; Parenting; Suicide; Teen Pregnancy; Work and Poverty; Violence against Children; Youth Culture.</p>	<p>"The student analyzes literary elements for their contributions to meaning in literary texts, analyze characters and identify time and point of view." Entries on Andersen, Hans Christian; Autobiographies; Bible, The; Carroll, Lewis; Children's Literature; Dr. Seuss; Fairy Tales and Fables; Frank, Anne; Keene, Carolyn; Kipling, Rudyard; Potter, Beatrix; Sendak, Maurice; Series Books; Tintin; Twain, Mark; Winnie the Pooh; Wizard of Oz.</p>	<p>"Understand art history and culture as records of human achievement by comparing and contrasting historical and contemporary styles, identifying general themes and trends, and describing general characteristics in artworks from a variety of cultures." Entries on Cassatt, Mary; Ewald, Wendy; Greenaway, Kate; Gutmann, Bessie Pease; Hine, Lewis; Images of Childhood; Japanese Art; Contemporary; Madonna, Orthodox; Madonna, Religious; Madonna, Secular; Mann, Sally; Photographs of Children; Smith, Jessie Willcox; Victorian Art; Winslow Homer.</p>	<p>"Analyze how scientific discoveries and technological innovations, including those in transportation and communication, have changed the standard of living in the United States." Entries on accidents; Adolescent Medicine; AIDS; Artificial Insemination; Birth Control; Birth Defects; Children's Hospitals; Conception and Birth; Contagious Diseases; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; Education; Europe, United States; Egg Donation; Epidemics; Hygiene; In Vitro Fertilization; Indoor Games; Infant Mortality; Media, Childhood and the; Pediatrics; Polio; Scientific Child Rearing; Vaccination; Venereal Disease.</p>	<p>"Understand how socioeconomic stratification affects human motivation and cultural values." Individual articles cultural, political, economic the status of children on every global region. ALSO entries on Adolescence and Youth; African-American Children; Child Care in the Home; Dating; Divorce and Custody; Economics and Children in Western Societies; From Agriculture to Industry; Infant Feeding; Mental Illness; Modern Social Welfare and Social Welfare Institutions; Native American Children; Teen Pregnancy; Teenage Mothers in the United States; Wet Nursing; Work and Poverty.</p>

All standards are for high school unless otherwise noted.

Standards of the National Center for History in the Schools (NHS) can be found at <http://www.sscnet.ucla.edu/nchs/standards/>

Information on standards of the National Council for Social Studies (NCSS) can be found at <http://www.ncss.org/>

California standards can be found at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/standards/>

Florida standards can be found at <http://www.firn.edu/de/curric/prk12/ame2.htm>

Illinois standards can be found at <http://www.isbe.state.il.us/is/>

New York standards can be found at A12

Texas standards can be found at <http://www.tea.state.tx.us/teks/>

National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE) standards can be found at <http://www.reading.org/advocacy/elstandards/standards.html>