## **CURRICULUM UPDATE: Elementary Social Studies**

1.16.20

"History can give us a fuller understanding of ourselves, and of our common humanity, so that we can better face the future."

-Robert Penn Warren

Committee

**Timeline** 

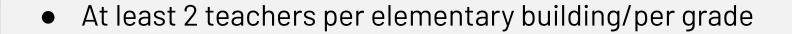
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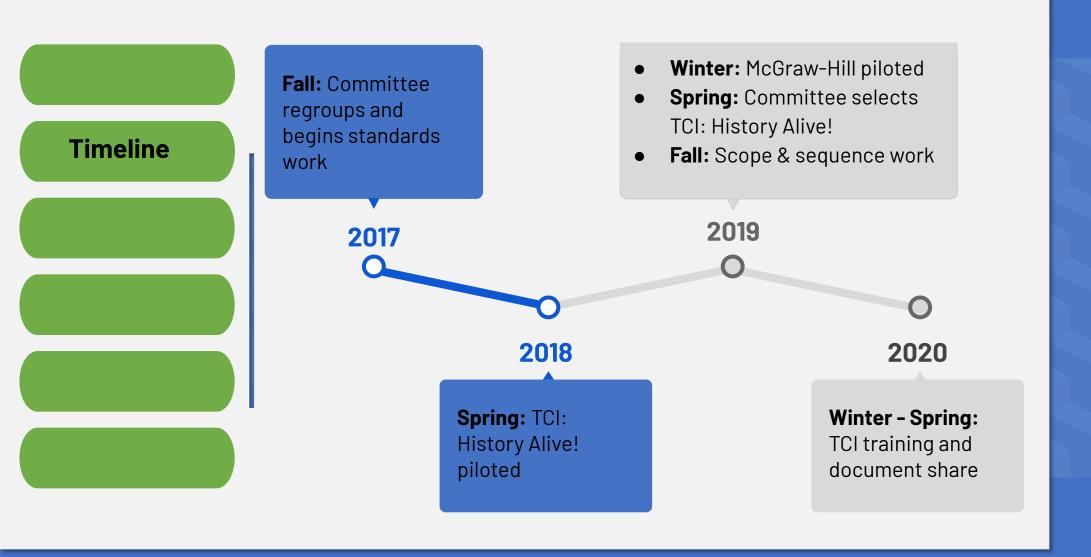
**Impact** 

### Committee



- Building Level Administrator (Akemi Sessler)
- Department of Student Learning (Becky FitzPatrick & Melanie Zenisek)









Foundational to the social studies curriculum is the textbook and auxiliary resources that help support both teachers and students. *TCI's History Alive!* programs transform social studies into a multi-faceted learning experience. TCI lessons start with an essential question and incorporate graphic notetaking, groupwork, and hands on discovery. Students are the center of instruction that taps a variety of learning styles allowing students of all abilities to learn and succeed.





- Alignment
- Accessibility
- Differentiated Instruction
- Primary Resources
- Media Library
- Spanish Translations
- Cross Device Technology



# Resources

### Social Studies Alive!

- Grade 1: My Family and School
- Grade 2: My Community
- Grade 3: Our Community and Beyond
- Grade 4: Regions of our Country
- Grade 5: America's Past

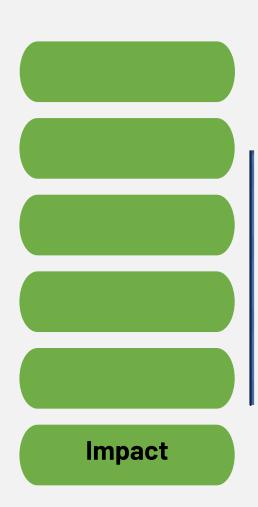




1ST GRADE: My Family & School	\$39,150
2ND GRADE: My Community	\$39,150
3RD GRADE: Our Community & Beyond	\$39,150
4TH GRADE: Regions of Our Country	\$48,600
5TH GRADE: America's Past	\$48,600
TOTAL	\$225,382*

<sup>\*</sup>This includes professional development for staff and is already accounted for in the 19-20 DSL budget. It will cover a class set of textbooks for each teacher and the online subscription for all students and teachers for 6 years. This also includes \$10,732 for shipment of materials.







### Breanna Pustai @misspustai · 7 Feb 2018

We're using Beebot to help us understand cardinal directions on a map! We're finding our way around Arlington Heights with it!













### Questions?