

Making Time for Science and Social Studies

We know that time will always be a considerable challenge for K–5 teachers. As you strive to juggle the competing demands of mandated testing, equitable instruction, classroom management, and more, making space for science and social studies can be a struggle. Consequently, we recognize how essential it is that resources for these areas are easy to use, incorporate pedagogical concepts, and promote literacy success.

Studies have shown that teaching literacy via other subjects is an excellent way to improve reading comprehension and strengthen writing skills. Whether you're allotted district-directed time for social studies and science or are tasked with fitting them in where you can, McGraw Hill offers curriculums to both enhance and extend literacy goals in every classroom.



Where Science and Social Studies Meet Literacy

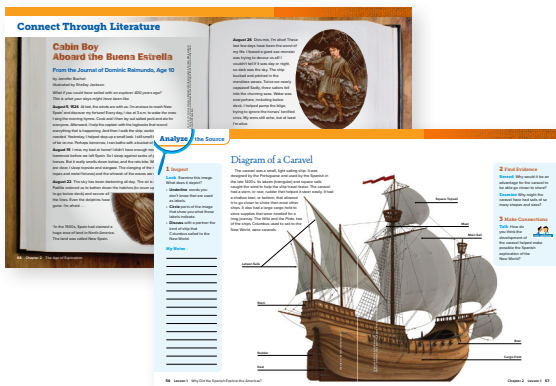
Designed for the many demands of the K–5 classroom, *IMPACT Social Studies* and *Inspire Science* nurture students' literacy skills while broadening their worldview. Inquiry-based and embedded with essential ELA skills and strategies, both programs provide flexible pathways that promote discovery, build comprehension, and teach effective communication.



Today's Students Are Tomorrow's Leaders

Aligned to the C3 framework, *IMPACT Social Studies* guides students as they begin to understand the world around them and their place in it.

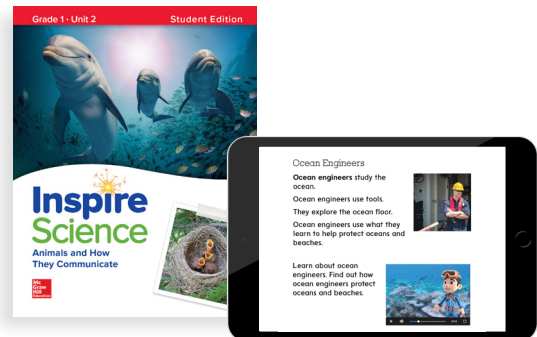
- Strengthen literacy skills by expanding students' vocabulary and forging connections through reading, writing, speaking, and listening.
- Drive learning through inquiry, deepening content-specific knowledge and skills while improving students' ability to think historically, civically, spatially, and economically.



Let's Explore Our Phenomenal World

A Next Generation (NGSS) program, *Inspire Science* offers an inquiry-based approach to learning that empowers students to explore and discover the natural world.

- Encourage students to make sense of phenomena through active problem-solving, purposeful hands-on activities, and integrated literacy and math connections.
- Meaningfully develop literacy skills and strategies, improving comprehension through close reading and challenging students to defend their arguments with evidence.



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