

## Social Studies Unit 3: Citizens in My Community

Grade Level Content Expectation	Vocabulary, Concepts, Skills	Building the Concept	Assessments	Notes
<p><b>CS.0.1</b> Suggest ways people can responsibly interact with the environment in the local community.</p>	<p>*Human environment – interaction *Responsible resource use</p>	<p>Human activities change the natural environment *The Three-R Plan A to Z Book **“Ways People Use Water” “Ways People Use Land” from Mini-books * “Resource Round-up”</p>		
<p><b>CS.0.2</b> Describe positive and negative consequences of changing the physical environment of the local community</p>	<p>*Positive and negative consequences *Physical environment</p>	<p>Human activities change the natural environment  *The Lorax *Wump World</p>	<p>* 3-way poster showing before, negative, and how to fix the negative</p>	
<p><b>CS.0.1</b> Identify ways citizens participate in community decisions.</p>	<p>*Identify *Community decision</p>	<p>Citizens have both rights and responsibilities  Responsible citizenship is active  * “Gators Guard Community Rights” * “Count on your Community” * Read Aloud: <u>Roxaboxen</u></p>		<p>United Streaming (U.S.) “Community Rules and Laws, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition”</p>
<p><b>CS.0.2</b> Distinguish between personal and civic responsibilities and explain why they are important in community life.</p>	<p>*Personal responsibility *Civic responsibility *Distinguish between *Explain</p>	<p>The relationship between rights and responsibilities of citizenship  * “Put It to a Vote!” (use this to show that there is a personal/civic responsibility to improve community) * “Laws of the Land”</p>		
<p><b>CS.0.3</b> Design and participate in community improvement project that help or inform others</p>	<p>*Participate *Community improvement project</p>	<p>Responsible citizenship is active  **“Helping Hands”</p>		<p>*Make a Difference Day.</p>

<b>P4.2.1</b> Develop and implement an action plan to address or inform others about a public issue.	*Develop and implement action plans *Public issue	Responsible citizenship is active		
<b>P4.2.2</b> Participate in projects to help or inform others.	*Participate	Responsible citizenship is active		

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