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**The eight strands of the essential knowledge and skills for social studies are intended to be integrated for instructional purposes. Skills listed in the social studies skills strand in subsection (b) of this section should be incorporated into the teaching of all essential knowledge and skills for social studies. A greater depth of understanding of complex content material can be attained when integrated social studies content from the various disciplines and critical-thinking skills are taught together. Statements that contain the word "including" reference content that must be mastered, while those containing the phrase "such as" are intended as possible illustrative examples.**

**Please respond the following with supportive answers and provide an example of an assignment that can cover two o more of the following Standard TEKS:**

**How can a student be expected to:**

1. History. The student understands traditional historical points of reference in Texas history.
2. History. The student understands how individuals, events, and issues through the Mexican National Era shaped the history of Texas.
3. History. The student understands how individuals, events, and issues related to the Texas Revolution shaped the history of Texas.
4. History. The student understands how individuals, events, and issues shaped the history of the Republic of Texas and early Texas statehood.
- History. The student understands how events and issues shaped the history of Texas during the Civil War and Reconstruction.
5. History. The student understands how individuals, events, and issues shaped the history of Texas from Reconstruction through the beginning of the 20th century.
6. History. The student understands how individuals, events, and issues shaped the history of Texas during the late 19th, 20th, and early 21st centuries.

**Please respond the following with supportive answers and provide an example of an assignment that can cover two o more of the following Standard TEKS:**

**How can a student be expected to:**

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7. Geography. The student understands the location and characteristics of places and regions of Texas.
8. Geography. The student understands the effects of the interaction between humans and the environment in Texas.
9. Geography. The student understands the characteristics, distribution, and migration of population in Texas in the 19th, 20th, and 21st centuries.

**Please respond the following with supportive answers and provide an example of an assignment that can cover two or more of the following Standard TEKS:**

**How can a student be expected to:**

10. Economics. The student understands the factors that caused Texas to change from an agrarian to an urban society.
11. Economics. The student understands the interdependence of the Texas economy with the United States and the world.

**Please respond the following with supportive answers and provide an example of an assignment that can cover two or more of the following Standard TEKS:**

**How can a student be expected to:**

12. Government. The student understands the basic principles reflected in the Texas Constitution.
13. Government. The student understands the structure and functions of government created by the Texas Constitution.

**Please respond the following with supportive answers and provide an example of an assignment that can cover two or more of the following Standard TEKS:**

**How can a student be expected to:**

14. Citizenship. The student understands the rights and responsibilities of Texas citizens in a democratic society.
15. Citizenship. The student understands the importance of the expression of different points of view in a democratic society.

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16. Citizenship. The student understands the importance of effective leadership in a democratic society.

**Please respond the following with supportive answers and provide an example of an assignment that can cover the following Standard TEKS:**

**How can a student be expected to:**

17. Culture. The student understands the concept of diversity within unity in Texas.

**Please respond the following with supportive answers and provide an example of an assignment that can cover two or more of the following Standard TEKS:**

**How can a student be expected to:**

18. Science, technology, and society. The student understands the impact of scientific discoveries and technological innovations on the political, economic, and social development of Texas.

**Please respond the following with supportive answers and provide an example of an assignment that can cover two or more of the following Standard TEKS:**

**How can a student be expected to:**

19. Social studies skills. The student applies critical-thinking skills to organize and use information acquired through established research methodologies from a variety of valid sources, including technology.
20. Social studies skills. The student uses geographic tools to collect, analyze, and interpret data.
21. Social studies skills. The student communicates in written, oral, and visual forms.
22. Social studies skills. The student uses problem-solving and decision-making skills, working independently and with others.