

TNReady U.S. History & Geography End of Course 2016-17

U.S. History & Geography Testing Structure

As in the past, each year the state assessment includes both operational and field test items. The below testing structure for U.S. History and Geography reflects both the number of operational assessment items and the number of field test assessment items.

For scheduling purposes, subparts can be combined.

Subpart 1	Subpart 2	Subpart 3
50 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Written Response (<i>based on stimuli such as maps, timelines, graphics, primary source documents or informational texts</i>) 	45 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 28 multiple choice or selected response items 	45 minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 28 multiple choice or selected response items

U.S. History & Geography Blueprints

The blueprints below reflect *only* operational assessment items.

Written Response: Subpart 1		
	# of Items	# of Score Points
Content <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Rise of Industrial America and the Progressive Era (standards US.1 to US.30) The 1920s and the Great Depression (standards US.31 to US.53) US Policy between the Wars, World War II, and the Cold War (standards US.54 to US.81) 	1 written response item will be scored for both content and literacy	8
Literacy	The written response item listed above will be scored for both content and literacy	4
Total		12

Multiple Select: Subpart 2 and 3		
	# of Items	# of Score Points
• The Rise of Industrial America and the Progressive Era (standards US.1 to US.30)	6-10	6-13
• The 1920s and the Great Depression (standards US.31 to US.53)	14-18	14-22
• US Policy between the Wars, World War II, and the Cold War (standards US.54 to US.81)	11-15	11-15
• The Post-War Years to Contemporary United States (standards US.82 to US.112)	5-9	5-11
Total	36-52	36-59

U.S. History and Geography: Summary			
	# of Items	# of Score Points	% of Test
Subpart 1	1	12	17-25
Subpart 2	36-52	36-59	75-83
Total	37-53	48-71	100