

TCAP Assessment Blueprint

Social Studies – Grade 7

This blueprint describes the content and structure of an assessment and defines the ideal percentage and number of operational test items by reporting category for the Tennessee Comprehensive Assessment Program (TCAP). For more information on this assessment, please see the Assessment Overviews [here](#).

400-1500s CE: East Asia and the Byzantine Empire

Standards	Topic
7.01-7.11	East Asia
7.12-7.14	Byzantine Empire
Percentage of Items	15-20%

400-1500s CE: Southwest Asia and North Africa and West Africa

Standards	Topic
7.15-7.20	Southwest Asia and North Africa
7.21-7.26	West Africa
Percentage of Items	18-23%

400-1500s CE: Middle Ages in Western Europe

Standards	Topic
7.27-7.39	Middle Ages in Western Europe
Percentage of Items	18-23%

1400-1700s CE: Early Modern Europe

Standards	Topic
7.40-7.52	Early Modern Europe
Percentage of Items	18-23%

400-1700s CE: Indigenous Civilizations of the Americas and the Age of Exploration

Standards	Topic
7.53-7.57	Indigenous Civilizations of the Americas
7.58-7.65	The Age of Exploration
Percentage of Items	13-18%

Summary

Total Operational Items

41-46*

*Please note that these numbers reflect operational items only. All Social Studies TCAP assessments also include embedded field test items.