TCAP

ASSESSMENT BLUEPRINT
Social Studies
Grade 7

This blueprint describes the content and structure of an assessment and defines the ideal percentage of operational test items by reporting category for the Tennessee Comprehensive Assessment Program (TCAP).

IDEAL PERCENTAGE OF ITEMS*	REPORTING CATEGORY AND STANDARDS	
15-20%	**400-1500s CE: East Asia and the Byzantine Empire**	
	7.01 to 7.11	**East Asia**
	7.12 to 7.14	**Byzantine Empire**
18-23%	**400-1500s CE: Southwest Asia and North Africa and West Africa**	
	7.15 to 7.20	**Southwest Asia and North Africa**
	7.21 to 7.26	**West Africa**
18-23%	**400-1500s CE: Middle Ages in Western Europe**	
	7.27 to 7.39	**Middle Ages in Western Europe**
18-23%	**1400-1700s CE: Early Modern Europe**	
	7.40 to 7.52	**Early Modern Europe**
13-18%	**400-1700s CE: Indigenous Civilizations of the Americas and the Age of Exploration**	
	7.53 to 7.57	**Indigenous Civilizations of the Americas**
	7.58 to 7.65	**The Age of Exploration**

53-55 Total Items (including embedded field test items)

*The ranges shown indicate the % of items on the assessment and are not a reflection of score points.

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