

Common Core Lesson Planning Template

Grade Level 7 th	Teacher/Room: Miller		Week of: January 13, 2013	
Unit Vocabulary: Ashanti, Bantu, Arab, Swahili				
Instructional Strategies Used: Lecture, Book Work, computer lab, quiz, article review				
Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
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EQ Question: What are the different cultures in Africa today?	EQ Question: How do the cultures of Africa differ from one another?	EQ Question: How does Literacy Rate affect the standard of living?	EQ Question: Why are cultures in Africa Important?	EQ Question: What do I know about the cultures of Africa?
Mini Lesson: Cultures of Africa Power-point. Graphic Organizer	Mini Lesson: Read Blue Book Pages 31-37 Questions 76-99	Mini Lesson: Article Review "Literacy and Economic Development" "Use this article to write a one three paragraph explanation of how literacy rate affects the standard of living."	Mini Lesson: OAS Benchmark in Computer Lab. Study Island over African Geography, Environment, and Cultures. 15 questions each.	Mini Lesson: African Creation Stories
Differentiation:	Differentiation:	Differentiation: Gifted students write four paragraphs.	Differentiation: Study Island number of questions is differentiated.	Differentiation: <i>Creation Stories Questions</i>

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Assessment : Formative: 3-2-1 over African Cultures.	Assessment: Formative: Coach Book Questions	Assessment: <i>Formative: Writing</i>	Assessment: Formative: Study Island Lessons	Assessment: <i>Creation Stories Questions</i>
Homework:	Homework:	Homework: Finish Writing.	Homework: Finish Study Island	Homework:

Resources and Reflective Notes: