

3rd Grade Social Studies Trivia

Chapter 1 (lessons 1, 3, and 4)

1. What is a community?

Answer: a group of people who live and work in the same place.

2. Why do people live in communities?

Answer: they like to do things with other people and like feeling as though they belong.

3. What is a citizen?

Answer: A person who lives in and belongs to a community.

4. What are three types of businesses you might find in large communities?

Answer: Hospitals, stores, restaurants, museums, taxis, large companies

5. Wood, soil, water, stone, are all examples of what?

Answer: natural resources

6. Define custom.

Answer: a way of doing something, Hmong New Year, holiday celebrations

7. Does Wausau have a custom that is unique to the area?

Hmong New Year, Parade of Lights, Renaissance Festival, Log Jam

8. Set of values and traditions handed down to a group from those who lived before them is called a _____.

Answer: tradition

9. What is an ethnic group?

Answer: people who share the same language and culture.

10. Give two examples of ethnic groups found in Wausau.

Answer: Hispanic and Hmong

11. In order to have a safe and peaceful community to live in, people must _____.

Answer: cooperate

12. Define cooperate.

Answer: to work helpfully together.

13. What is responsibility?

Answer: something a person should do because it is necessary and important.

14. What are some of the responsibilities of a community government?

Answer: to make laws and help solve community problems

15. What is one responsibility a citizen has?

Answer: to understand and obey laws