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| **Standards** | **Essential Question(s):** | **Assessments Used to Measure Learning:** |
| SS7G1 Locate selected features of Africa. a. Locate on a world and regional political-physical map: Sahara, Sahel, savanna, tropical rain forest, Congo River, Niger River, Nile River, Lake Victoria, Great Rift Valley, Mt. Kilimanjaro, Atlas Mountains, and Kalahari Desert. b. Locate on a world and regional political-physical map the countries of Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Kenya, Nigeria, South Africa, and Sudan. | Can I label a Map of Africa with theDemocratic Republic of Congo, Egypt, Kenya, Nigeria, South Africa, And Sudan. As well as the prominent physical Features. | Comprehension Check |
| **Strategies Incorporated with Lesson:** | **Academic Vocabulary** | **Resources Included with****Lesson:** |
| **Strategies: Follow along explanation and rule. Guided Practice** | **Sahara, Sahel, Savanna, Tropical rain forest, Congo River, Niger River, Nile River, Lake Victoria, Great Rift Valley, Mt. Kilimanjaro, Atlas Mountains, Kalahari Desert** | **Resources: Follow along Notes** |
| **AVID Strategies:**  |
|  | **Lesson Focus:** **(Daily Learning Targets)** | **Learning Experiences:** **(Instructional Expectations)** | **Response to Data: (**Differentiation of lesson and student groupings based on various assessment data and classroom observations**)** | **Homework: (aligned with the learning target)** |
| **Mon** |  | ***Activating Strategy:*** Introduction to Africa**Mini-Lesson:** African Countries, Physical Features**Work Session (**Stations/Collaborative Groups**): Follow Along Notes****Closing: Review and worksheet** | **Below Level (Intensive and Strategic):** **More time on slides for note taking****On-Level: Regular time****Advanced: Extra detailed instruction** |  |
| **Tues** |  | ***Activating Strategy: Africa Physical Feature map review*****Mini-Lesson:** Africa Countries Review**Work Session (**Stations/Collaborative Groups**): Follow along notes completion****Closing: Finish out notes** | **Below Level (Intensive and Strategic):** **More time on slides for note taking****On-Level: Regular time****Advanced: Extra detailed instruction** |  |
| **Wed** | Field Day | ***Activating Strategy:*** Field Day**Mini-Lesson:** Field Day**Work Session (**Stations/Collaborative Groups**):** **Closing: Field Day** | **Below Level (Intensive and Strategic):** **More time on slides for note taking****On-Level: Regular time****Advanced: Extra detailed instruction** | Field Day |
| **Thur** |  | ***Activating Strategy:*** Africa Review**Mini-Lesson:** Test taking review**Work Session (**Stations/Collaborative Groups**): Africa Physical Features and Countries Quiz****Closing: Quiz until bell** | **Below Level (Intensive and Strategic):** **More time on slides for note taking****On-Level: Regular time****Advanced: Extra detailed instruction** |  |
| **Fri** | **Honors Day** | ***Activating Strategy:*** Honors Day**Mini-Lesson: Honors Day****Work Session (**Stations/Collaborative Groups**): Honors Day****Closing: Honors Day** | **Below Level (Intensive and Strategic):** **More time on test, questions read to them****On-Level: regular time****Advanced: Extra credit on detailed instruction** | Honors Day |