

CITIZENSHIP

Literacy Completion Point A

Student: _____	ID#: _____	Entry Date: _____
Institution: _____	Withdrawal Date: _____	Date Achieved: _____
Site: _____	Instructor(s): _____	

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The student is able to...

STANDARD 01.0

Identify the requirements and process to become a United States citizen.
Date: _____ Instructor: _____

Benchmarks

01.01 Prove to be at least 18 years old.
01.02 Complete Application for Naturalization (N-400).
01.03 Demonstrate an understanding for permanent residence requirements; thereby, being legally accorded the privilege of residing permanently in the United States as an immigrant in accordance with the immigration laws.
01.04 Prove continuous lawful residency in the U.S. for at least five years; however, has not been absent for a continuous period of one year or more and has not been out of the United States 30 months or more during the last five years totaling no more than one year.
01.05 Demonstrate good moral character and loyalty to the principles of the Constitution.
01.06 Demonstrate ability to read, write, speak, and comprehend English.
01.07 Demonstrate knowledge of United States Government and History.
01.08 Forfeit any foreign allegiance and pledges to obey the Constitution and laws of the United States.

STANDARD 02.0

Identify rights and responsibilities of a United States citizen.
Date: _____ Instructor: _____

Benchmarks

02.01 Comprehend the importance of knowing and obeying laws.
02.02 Demonstrate knowledge of voting procedures.
02.03 Demonstrate knowledge of and apply regulations regarding United States tax system.
02.04 Demonstrate knowledge of jury duty responsibilities.
02.05 Know the criteria to register with the military.

STANDARD 03.0

Identify United States symbols.
Date: _____ Instructor: _____

Benchmarks

03.01 Identify the White House as official home for United States President.
03.02 Recognize the United States Capitol as a meeting place for the United States Congress.
03.03 Recognize the Liberty Bell as the image of freedom for the United States.

03.04 Demonstrate knowledge of significance of United States Flag.
03.05 Know significance of Statue of Liberty.
03.06 Recognize importance of Independence Hall.
03.07 Comprehend usage of United States Seal.

STANDARD 04.0

Identify prominent individuals & events that have contributed to U.S. history, government & culture.
Date: _____ Instructor: _____

Benchmarks

04.01 Identify Francis Scott Key and explain his contribution.
04.02 Identify Thomas Jefferson and explain his contribution.
04.03 Identify George Washington and explain his contribution.
04.04 Identify Patrick Henry and explain his contribution.
04.05 Demonstrate knowledge of the significance and consequences of the Civil Right Movement.
04.06 Identify civil rights leaders (e.g., Abraham Lincoln, John F. Kennedy, Martin Luther King, Jr.).
04.07 Identify major events that shaped the foundation of the U.S.
04.08 Recognize the importance of the American Revolution.
04.09 Explain the causes of the American Civil War.
04.10 Recognize the concept of the first Thanksgiving.

STANDARD 05.0

Identify the structure and function of the United States as established by the Constitution .
Date: _____ Instructor: _____

Benchmarks

05.01 Explain the concept of the U.S. Constitution.
05.02 Identify the three branches of U.S. Government.
05.03 Explain the importance of the Bill of Rights.
05.04 Define amendments.
05.05 Identify the structure and function of government at the local and state levels.
05.06 Identify types of local government.
05.07 Identify current local leaders.
05.08 Explain government election procedure at the local, state, and national level.
05.09 Identify who has the right to vote.
05.10 Explain the importance of voting in a democracy.