

SKILLS LIST and SAMPLE ITEMS FOR

PRACTICE TEST, SOCIAL STUDIES, GRADE 3

(Test items developed for skills measured in TERRA NOVA [CTBS]*)

Skills

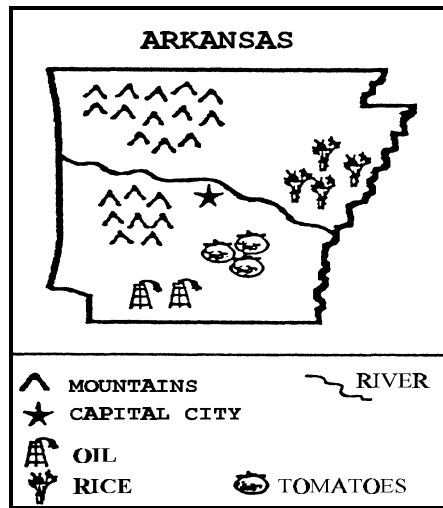
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| 1.0 | Geography | 4.0 | Economic Perspectives |
| | 1.1 Process | | 4.1 Process Skills |
| | 1.2 Location | | 4.2 Production/Distribution/
Consumption |
| | 1.3 Human-Environment | | |
| 2.0 | Historical and Cultural
Perspectives | 5.0 | Thinking Skills |
| | 2.1 Study of Time, Continuity,
and Societal Change
Throughout History | | 5.1 Generate Ideas |
| | 2.2 Contributions/Influence/
Interactions of Various
Cultures | | 5.2 Gather Information |
| | | | 5.3 Organize Information |
| | | | 5.4 Analyze Information |
| | | | 5.5 Synthesize Elements |
| 3.0 | Civics and Government
Perspectives | | |
| | 3.1 Basic Concepts | | |
| | 3.2 Democratic Process, etc. | | |
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TERRA NOVA PRACTICE TEST IN SOCIAL STUDIES - GRADE 3

Directions: Use the map to answer Numbers 1 through 4.



1. Which symbol is used to indicate oil on the map?



2. What does the symbol "★" mean?

- There are mountains near there.
- There are mountains to the south.
- The capital city is there.
- Stars are grown there.

3. What is the northwestern part of the Arkansas covered by?

- water mountains swamp desert

4. Which of the map symbols does there seem to be the most of?

- tomatoes oil rice mountains