EMS 8th Grade US History Power Standards and Reporting Rubric

Standard 1: Examines the origins, purposes, and impact of constitutions, laws, treaties, and international agreements.

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Student meets proficient criteria while also <u>creating</u> new understanding with complex level of application in respect to content knowledge.	Student meets developing criteria with ability to apply and analyze content with minimal knowledge gaps.	Student meets beginning criteria while additionally identifying and summarizing content knowledge with noticeable gaps in knowledge.	Student can recall and have basic understanding of the concepts with clear gaps in knowledge.

Standard 2: Uses various geographic resources to understand regions, places and the environment.

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Standard 3: Classifies series of historical events and developments as examples of change and/or continuity.

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Standard 4: Explains how and why perspectives of people have changed over time.

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Standard 5: Evaluates the relevancy and utility of historical source documents and use them to make cogent arguments.

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Standard 6: Reads, writes, thinks and speaks like a historian.

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