

World of Wonder

Educational Standards and Suggested Activities

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Standards

- Current Events: Students will write a tourism article about Minnesota
- Math: Students will make a chart of temperature extremes in the United States
- Social Studies: Students will report on a Native American tribe from Minnesota

Activities

1. Use the News: What places in Minnesota are interesting tourist destinations? Research tourism in Minnesota and write a short travel article recommending places to visit in this Land of 10,000 Lakes.
2. Minnesota is known to have extreme temperatures throughout the year. Make a bar chart comparing the highs and lows of temperatures for all or several of America's 50 states.
3. There are many Native American tribes that were here before European settlers came, including the Arapaho, Chippewa and Cheyenne. What were these tribes like? Where did they live? How did they live? Where are they today? Research one of these tribes and report on what you learn.

World of Wonder meets many state educational standards. This guide helps teachers identify standards and related activities generally intended for grade 6, but teachers can modify activities to the appropriate grade.