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	Evaluate arguments about selected issues from diverse perspectives and frames of reference, noting the strengths, weaknesses and consequences associated with the decision made on each issue.			Use graphic data to analyze information about a public issue in state or local government.			Address a state or local policy issue by identifying key opposing positions, determining conflicting values and beliefs, defending and justifying a position with evidence, and developing strategies to persuade others to adopt this position.			Describe the establishment and expansion of rights over time, including the impact of key court cases, state legislation and constitutional amendments.			Define citizenship in the United States and explain that individuals become citizens by birth or naturalization.		
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Chapter 1															
Chapter 2	X				Х		Х								
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Chapter 5															
Chapter 6	X	Х	Х	Х		Х									
Chapter 7		Х	Х	Х						Х		Х			
Chapter 8	Х			Х						Х		Х	Х		
Chapter 9	X	Х	Х	Х											
Chapter 10				Х	Х	Х									
Chapter 11				Х		Х									
Chapter 12	Х			Х									Х		Х
Chapter 13	X	Х	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	X	X		Х			
Chapter 14	X	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	X	X					
Chapter 15	X			X		Х	X			X		Х			
Chapter 16						Х	Х		Х	Х	Х				
Chapter 17		X	X	X		Х	X		X	X					
Chapter 18	X	X	X				X	X	X	Х		Х			
Chapter 19					X	Х		X	X						
Chapter 20				Х		Х									
Appendix		N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A	Х	N/A	N/A	Х	N/A	N/A

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	Explain the relationship among the three branches of government: making laws by the legislative branch, implementing and enforcing laws by the executive branch, and interpreting laws by the judicial branch.			Define federalism and describe the relationship between the powers of the federal and state governments.			Identify the purpose of Minnesota's Constitution; explain how the Minnesota Constitution organizes government and protects rights.			Identify the major state and local (county, city, school board, township) governmental offices; describe the primary duties associated with them.			Describe how laws are created; explain the differences between civil and criminal law; give examples of federal, state and local laws.		
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Chapter 1															
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Chapter 5															
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Chapter 10				Х						Х			Х		
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Chapter 12										Х			Х		
Chapter 13													Х		Х
Chapter 14										Х		Х	Х		Х
Chapter 15													Х		Х
Chapter 16	X			Х											
Chapter 17													X		Х
Chapter 18													X		
Chapter 19														X	Х
Chapter 20															
Appendix	X	N/A	N/A	Х	N/A	N/A	Х	N/A	N/A	Х	N/A	N/A	Х	N/A	N/A

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	penalties, consequer	nces, and pri of Minnesota	vacy	basic strue	and contrast ctures, funct nding state a nts.	ions and	Explain the concept of sovereignty and how treaty rights are exercised by the Anishinaabe and Dakota today.			
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Chapter 1										
Chapter 2										
Chapter 3										
Chapter 4							Х		Х	
Chapter 5										
Chapter 6							Х		Х	
Chapter 7										
Chapter 8										
Chapter 9							Х		Х	
Chapter 10										
Chapter 11										
Chapter 12										
Chapter 13							Х			
Chapter 14				Х	X	X				
Chapter 15							Х			
Chapter 16				Х		Х				
Chapter 17				Х						
Chapter 18							Х		Х	
Chapter 19										
Chapter 20										
Appendix	Х	N/A	N/A	Х	N/A	N/A	Х	N/A	N/A	

C = Chapter; I = Investigation; W = Workbook