

USII.2c

A state is and example of a political region. States may be grouped as part of different regions, depending upon the criteria used.

Cities serve as centers of trade and have political, economic, and cultural significance.

States grouped by region

Northeast:

Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire,
Connecticut, Massachusetts,
Rhode Island, New York, New
Jersey, Pennsylvania

Southeast:

Maryland, Delaware, West
Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky,
Tennessee, North Carolina,
South Carolina, Georgia, Florida,
Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana,
Arkansas

Midwest:

Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan,
Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa,
Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska,
South Dakota, North Dakota

Southwest:

Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico,
Arizona

Rocky Mountains:

Colorado, Utah, Nevada,
Montana, Wyoming, Idaho

Pacific:

Washington, Oregon, California

Noncontiguous:

Alaska, Hawaii

The student will use maps, globes, photographs, pictures, and tables for
c) locating the 50 states and the cities most significant to the historical development of the United States.