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3. The page opens to the **Browse Standards** landing page. Click on the title of the curriculum area you wish to view.

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Georgia Performance Standards (GPS)

The performance standards provide clear expectations for instruction, assessment, and student work. They define the level of work that demonstrates achievement of the standards, enabling a teacher to know "how good is good enough." The performance standards isolate and identify the skills needed to use the knowledge and skills to problem-solve, reason, communicate, and make connections with other information. They also tell the teacher how to assess the extent to which the student knows the material or can manipulate and apply the information.

The performance standard incorporates the content standard, which simply tells the teacher what a student is expected to know (i.e., what concepts he or she is expected to master). Additionally, it adds to these concepts by providing three additional items: suggested tasks, sample student work, and teacher commentary on that work.

Support Materials

- Frequently Asked Questions
- Phase-in Plan
- Georgia Performance Standards (GPS) Glossary
- GPS by Grade Level, K-8

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4. Click on the grade band for the grade level you wish to view. A new page will open.

The screenshot shows the Georgia Performance Standards website. The top navigation bar includes links for Home, Georgia Performance Standards, Frameworks, Resources & Videos, Training, and GSO Builder. Below this is a secondary navigation bar with Browse Standards, GPS Revisions, and QCC Materials. The main content area is titled 'Social Studies' and includes an introductory paragraph, a list of goals for Social Studies teachers, a paragraph about children's literature, a paragraph about skills matrix integration, and a section on implementation with links to standards, skills matrix, and implementation documents. A blue arrow points to the '6-8' grade band in the left sidebar under 'Social Studies'.

5. Click on the “+” to expand the list of content and then click on the title link to open the document.

The screenshot shows the Georgia Performance Standards website for Social Studies 6-8. The top navigation bar is the same as in the previous screenshot. The main content area is titled 'Social Studies 6-8' and includes a paragraph about performance standards. A blue arrow points to the '+' icon next to 'GRADES 6-8' in the 'Social Studies Standards' section. Below this are sections for 'Related Information', 'On this Website', and 'Related Links'. A blue arrow also points to the 'Grade 6 Social Studies Standards' link in the 'Related Links' section.

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