



# Great American Scholars

October: October: Draw and color a map of your favorite state. Identify the region, label the major cities, including the capital city, rivers and mountains. Be sure to put a compass rose on your map with cardinal and intermediate directions on it. Describe the state, landmarks and possible resources that could be found in that state/region. Make sure the name of your state is at the top of the page. Your map needs to be at least 8 ½ inches by 11 inches.

**Benchmark SS.B.2.2 and Benchmark SS.3.G.2.2**

November: Research the US Constitution. Write a short paragraph that includes the following information: who were the writers and framers of the Constitution, what year was it signed, and what is the document's purpose. Then, create your own Constitution for your block 2 classroom. **Benchmark SS.C.1.2**

December: Research the names of the following community leaders in Tampa: Mayor, Supervisor of Elections, Superintendent of Schools, City Council Members and County Commissioners. Display the information in a creative way (poster, mobile, booklet, etc.) and write a student-created short caption with a job description for each position. **Benchmark SS.A.3.2**

January: Research the names of the following community leaders in Tampa: Mayor, Supervisor of Elections, Superintendent of Schools, City Council Members and County Commissioners. Display the information in a creative way (poster, mobile, booklet, etc.) and write a short caption with a job description for each position. **Benchmark SS.A.3.2**

February: Great American Scholar Ceremony on February 2019

All projects are due on the last day of the month, or on the following Monday, if the last day of the month falls on a weekend. Good luck!