



4th Grade Spotlight: How We Organize Ourselves

An inquiry into the interconnectedness of human-made systems and communities; the structure and function of organizations; societal decision-making; economic activities and their impact on humankind and the environment.

This IB unit takes a look into natural disasters, citizenship and government structures.

Central Idea: Systems can organize aspects of the world.

Our unit will dive into...

* Systems can organize aspects of the world.

We will explore these key concepts:

*Connection *Perspective *Change

Our guiding questions will include:

How do parts work together to form the whole?

How can a negative be turned into a positive?

How can an event lead to a change in our thinking/viewpoint?

We will focus on being these Learner Profile attributes:

* Knowledgeable *Risk Takers *Communicators

We will demonstrate these IB Attitudes:

*Cooperation *Confidence *Empathy

We will practice these skills:

*Self-Management Skills *Thinking Skills