School Rogers-Herr Classroom Social Studies - Ross

Grade Level 7th Grade

Physical Development	Language and Literacy Development
 Peaceful, calming picture displayed on front board Soft music playing to help students focus This class is after lunch - students go in groups to the bathroom 	- Students
Cognitive Development	Self-Concept, Identity, and Motivation
 Students seated in pairs to encourage collaboration Teacher circulates to help individual students Students have autonomy in choosing topic for their activity One student quietly reading after complete activity Teacher has established clear rules and expectations for behavior Students review vocabulary for upcoming quiz Students see definitions multiple times to lock it in 	 All students engaged in activity Students appear happy and polite Teacher speaks in soft voice (does not try to speak over children) Teacher talk: "I'd like to see more hands raised" Teacher creates friendly competition between boys and girls to see who can do the best on the review game Could be improved by creating groups that are not based on gender
Peer Relations and Moral Development	
 Students collaborate quietly Students are trusted to go to the bathroom without supervision 	