## **ABC-CLIO IMPLEMENTATION GUIDANCE**

ABC-CLIO is a collection of databases of information for use in teaching social studies classes. Davis School District has adopted ten of the databases to be used as primary instructional materials. The majority of instructional materials for each course should come from the principal database. Teachers for all courses may find useful sources in the supplementary databases.

Course	Principal Databases	Supplementary Databases
Utah Studies		
US History 1	American History	Daily Life Through History
Civics	American Government	
World Geography	World Geography	The African American Experience
Current Issues	Issues	
World History	World History: Ancient and Medieval World History: Modern	The American Indian Experience
US History 2	American History	
US Government and Citizenship	American Government	The Latino American Experience
Psychology		
Sociology		

## **Protocol for Using Resources**

- 1. Follow all district and state policies for the use of instructional materials.
- 2. Ensure that material is aligned to content in both the **DESK Priority Standards** and **USBE Core Standards** (if they exist for the specific course).
- 3. Ensure that the resource is being used to build student's background knowledge or develop essential skills as identified in the **DESK Proficiency Scales**.
- 4. Preview all materials in their entirety before using in instruction.
- 5. Provide links to all ABC-CLIO resources used in instruction on the Canvas course page.