



America's Greatest History Attraction

## CURRICULUM CONNECTIONS

### Edison's Light Fantastic

(<http://www.thehenryford.org/events/edisonsLightFantastic.aspx>)

Dramatic Presentation in Greenfield Village. Meet Thomas Edison the day after he introduced the world's first practical incandescent light bulb in this live one-man show.

#### Michigan Social Studies Grade Level Content Expectations

##### **Grade 2**

###### **H2.0.3**

Use an example to describe the role of the individual in creating history.

###### **H2.0.4**

Describe changes in the local community over time (e.g., types of businesses, architecture and landscape, jobs, transportation, population).

##### **Grade 6**

###### **H1.2.5**

Identify the role of the individual in history and the significance of one person's ideas.

###### **H1.4.1**

Describe and use cultural institutions to study an era and a region (political, economic, religion/belief, science/technology, written language, education, family).

###### **H1.4.2**

Describe and use themes of history to study patterns of change and continuity.

##### **Grade 7**

###### **H1.2.6**

Identify the role of the individual in history and the significance of one person's ideas.

###### **H1.4.1**

Describe and use cultural institutions to study an era and a region (political, economic, religion/belief, science/technology, written language, education, family).

###### **H1.4.2**

Describe and use themes of history to study patterns of change and continuity.

#### Michigan Social Studies High School Content Expectations

##### **U.S. History & Geography**

###### **6.1.1**

Factors in the American Industrial Revolution – Analyze the factors that enabled the United States to become a major industrial power, including

- organizational “revolution” (e.g., development of corporations and labor organizations)
- technological advances

#### National Curriculum Standards for Social Studies

##### **Strands**

**II** Time, Continuity, and Change

**VIII** Science, Technology, and Society