**Social Explorer: Applying the Common Core Standards**

**Anchor Standards for Speaking and Listening**

- **CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.2** Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.

  *Social Explorer* lets you explore demographic data on interactive maps fitting the visual aspect of this standard. The downloadable reports also help you meet the quantitative aspect of this standard.

- **CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.5** Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.

  *Social Explorer’s* maps display data visually making them the ideal resources for this standard.

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- **CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RH.9-10.7** Integrate quantitative or technical analysis (e.g., charts, research data) with qualitative analysis in print or digital text.

  *Social Explorer’s* table, maps, and downloadable reports will help you meet this standard.

- **CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RH.11-12.7** Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in diverse formats and media (e.g., visually, quantitatively, as well as in words) in order to address a question or solve a problem.

  *Social Explorer* lets you compare data from several sources including the US Census from 1790 to 2010, the Vulcan Project, the entire American Community Survey (ACS) from 2005 to 2011, and the Religious Congregations and Membership Study. All of this data can be viewed visually with *Social Explorer’s* interactive maps and table or downloaded into Excel reports, making *Social Explorer* a perfect match for this standard.

*Hover over a state to see its details.*

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