

Supplemental Teaching Ideas

- Learn the “29 Counties” song
- County reports
- Create county brochures
- Vote and have a classroom county government where each student plays a certain official or is a normal citizen that has to utilize your “elected officials” (you can decide the duration and go as in depth as you wish).
- If it’s an election year, have students talk to their parents and find out what they know about county government and who is running.
- Write letters to your county officials asking them questions, thanking them for their time, or asking them why they chose to be in county government.
- Over a period of time, read about how each county got its name and what that county is known for.
- Write a historical fiction based on a character from your county
- Create a topographic map your county