Sources of information for further study: There is not a lot on the Internet about this era that is geared towards younger learners. The sites below will help you with topics that you yourself want to know more about and may be useful for more ambitious students.

Texas Beyond History

http://www.texasbeyondhistory.net/

This is a wonderful resource developed by the University of Texas focusing on the archaeological record of Texas. There are several sections that pertain to the Spanish Texas time period. The site includes several Caddo locations, Los Adaes, Mission Dolores, the Belle, Fort St. Louis, Espiritu Santo among others. The articles are long, but there are lots of great pictures of artifacts.

Sons of Dewitt Colony Texas

http://www.tamu.edu/faculty/ccbn/dewitt/dewitt.htm

This site was created by Texas A & M. It concentrates on the area that was the DeWitt empresario grant during the colonial period. It covers a large range of topics in detail. It also includes a large number of short primary source quotes. If you want to see what is available for the Spanish Texas area, go to the site and find the green sidebar on the left. Click on "New Spain." Each main topic has several subtopics.

The Handbook of Texas Online

https://www.tshaonline.org/handbook/online/articles/nps01

The link above will take you to the "Spanish Texas" page in the Handbook, published by the Texas State Historical Association. This page tells the general story of the era and has links to all of the relevant topics about the era.