

The activities in this unit cover the period of America's History from 1850-74. Each activity can be used independently so you may choose those that fit your lesson plans and time schedule.

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On November 6, 1860 Abraham Lincoln was elected president of the United States.

As a result of the election, South Carolina seceded from the union on December 20 and was followed by Mississippi, Florida, Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, and Texas. These states formed the Confederate States of America.

At 4:30 AM on April 11, 1861 the Civil War began with the firing on the federal garrison of Fort Sumter in South Carolina.

With the Civil War underway, Virginia, Arkansas, North Carolina, and Tennessee seceded and joined the Confederacy.

When Virginia seceded, quick military action and strong economic ties to the union led to the separation of the western counties from the rest of the state with the seat of government in Wheeling.

These counties would enter the union in 1863 as West Virginia, the 35th state.

On January 20th, 1861 Kansas entered the union as a free state.

The territories of Colorado, Dakota, and Nevada were also formed in 1861.

1) Designate each state which remained in the union with a U and each state which joined the Confederacy with a C.

2) Label each of the following United States territories:

- Colorado Territory • Indian Territory • Nevada Territory • Washington Territory
- Dakota Territory • Nebraska Territory • New Mexico Territory • Western Virginia Counties



Place the number of each title by the year in which it was published. Uncle Tom's Cabin is done for you as an example.

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1. Uncle Tom's Cabin..... _____
2. Gettysburg Address..... _____
3. Madame Bovary..... _____
4. Little Women _____
5. The Mill On The Floss..... _____
6. Walden..... _____
7. 20,000 Leagues Under The Sea _____
8. Les Miserables _____
9. The Barefoot Boy _____
10. Crime and Punishment _____
11. Middlemarch..... _____
12. The Scarlet Letter _____
13. Great Expectations _____
14. The Courtship Of Miles Standish..... _____
15. Bleak House..... _____
16. A Voyage To The Bottom Of The Sea... _____
17. Alice's Adventure In Wonderland..... _____
18. The Innocents Abroad _____
19. Moby Dick _____
20. Dover Beach..... _____
21. Around The World In 80 Days _____
22. A Tale Of Two Cities..... _____
23. Roughing It..... _____
24. Far From the Madding Crowd..... _____
25. Leaves Of Grass..... _____

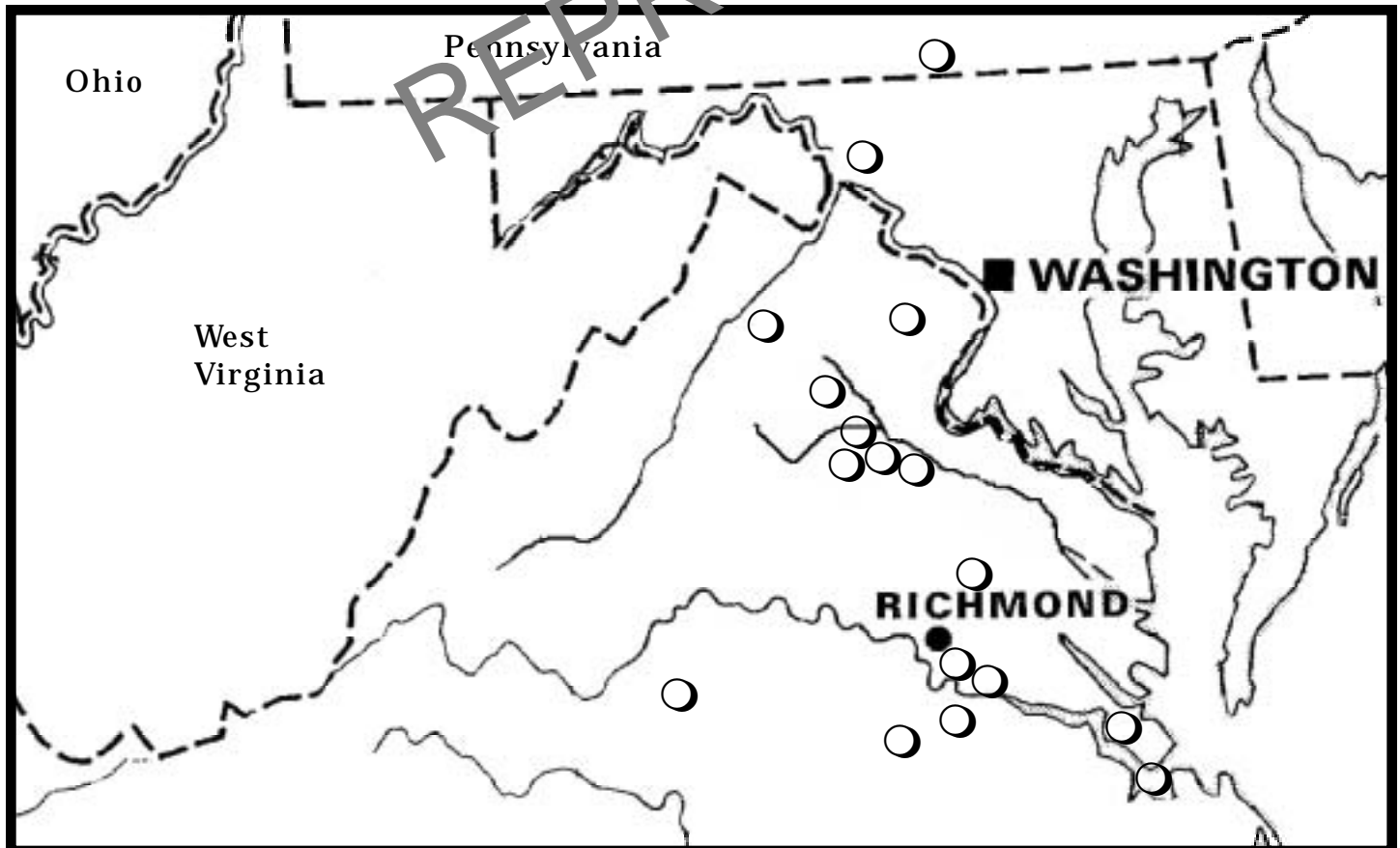
Place the name of the correct author on the line after each title. Some may be used more than once.

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| Louisa May Alcott | George Elliot | Abraham Lincoln | Henry David Thoreau |
| Matthew Arnold | Gustave Flaubert | Henry Wadsworth | Mark Twain |
| Lewis Carroll | Thomas Hardy | Longfellow | Jules Verne |
| Charles Dickens | Nathaniel Hawthorne | Herman Melville | Walt Whitman |
| Fyodor Dostoyevski | Victor Hugo | Harriet Beecher Stowe | John Greenleaf Whittier |

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Listed below are the major battles fought in the eastern campaigns of the Civil War. Each battle is numbered and corresponds to a circle on the map at the bottom of the page. Place the number of each battle by the proper circle on the map. Darken the circles for Union victories and leave Confederate victories white.

Battle	Date	Description
1. Bull Run (1st).....	07/21/61	General McDowell defeated by Generals Beauregard and Stonewall Jackson.
2. Hampton Roads.....	03/09/62	The Union ironclad Monitor defeated the Confederate ironclad Virginia.
3. Yorktown	04-05/62	Yorktown besieged and captured by General McClellan.
4. Shenandoah Valley	03-06/62	Stonewall Jackson defeated a larger union army.
5. Seven Pines	06/01/62	General Johnston held off McClellan, but was killed and replaced by Lee.
6. Seven Days Cam	06/25/62	General Lee defeated General Pope.
7. Bull Run (2nd).....	08/29-30/62	Lee and Jackson defeated General Pope who retreated to Washington DC.
8. Antietam.....	09/03/62	In the bloodiest battle of the war, Lee was forced to retreat by McClellan.
9. Fredericksburg.....	12/13/62	General Burnside is defeated by General Lee and suffers 12,653 casualties.
10. Chancellorsville.....	05/1-4/63	General Lee won his greatest victory over Union forces led by Gen Hooker.
11. Brandy Station.....	06/06/63	General Hooker again defeated by General Lee.
12. Gettysburg.....	07/1-3/63	General Meade stops Lee's attempt to invade the North and turns the tide.
13. The Wilderness	05/5-6/64	Grant and Lee fight an indecisive battle at close hand in the forest.
14. Spotsylvania.....	05/8-19/64	General Grant forces General Lee to retreat.
15. Cold harbor.....	06/03/64	General Grant forces General Lee to retreat.
16. Petersburg.....	06/64-04/65	General Grant successfully sieged Petersburg.
17. Five Forks.....	04/01/65	General Grant forced General Lee to retreat.
18. Appomattox	04/09/65	General Lee surrendered the Army of Northern Virginia to General Grant.



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