

Final Exam Outline
Social Studies 5
Mr. Johnson

Exam Date: Friday June 6th

Exam Weight: 10% of year mark

Exam Format: 1 Mapping (10 marks), 20 Matching (10 marks), 5 Short Answer (10 marks), 1 Essay (10 marks) * the number of marks in each section may change, but the weight of each section will remain the same.

Concepts to be Covered:

Provinces, Capitals, Regions, and Waterways of Canada
Canadian Government
Major Events in the Making of Canada

How to Review:

- Label the blank map of Canada included in this package.
- Review the duties of the Governor General, Prime Minister, and Cabinet Ministers.
- Be able to describe the type of government found in Canada and compare it to other types of governments.
- Make a list of reasons why Champlain's Quebec was a dangerous and difficult place to live.
- Read your Filles du Roi journal to remember how the French government tried to increase the population of New France.
- Review how the Hudson's Bay Company formed.
- Explain to a partner why beavers were important.
- Describe the life of a Voyageur
- Know what happened in the Seven Years War.
- Be able to draw the routes taken by George Vancouver and Simon Fraser on a map.
- Be able to explain the role of gold in the creation of British Columbia as a province.
- Identify reasons why Canada became a country.
- Describe the basics of what happened at the Charlottetown, Quebec, and London conferences.
- Describe the daily life of the Metis.
- Explain the importance of the Buffalo to the Metis.
- Explain why the Metis were unhappy with Canada.
- Describe the role of the railroad in creating a country.
- Choose one person from Canadian history and prepare to explain why they are the ultimate Canadian hero.
- Review all of the Edhelper handouts. Make sure you have done all of your corrections.
- Practice the jeopardy

Scoring:

- Mapping will be marked for accuracy. Correct spelling will be provided on the test so mistakes made in spelling will be penalized.
- There will be twenty matching questions worth .5 marks each. Marks will be recorded for each correct answer.
- Short answer questions are worth two marks each. Students are expected to write at least three sentences in each short answer question. This will be modeled in class.
- The essay will be worth ten marks. It will be graded based on content, organization, and mechanics. Students will practice writing essay responses in class prior to the exam.