



Citizenship Challenge

Section 1: Fill in the blank

As you read the article, fill in the blank with the words that best complete the sentences. Use the word bank in the box below to help you.

village	French	Québec City	British democracy
War of 1812	responsible governmen	farming	
Aboriginal	Samuel de Champlain	legislative assemblies	United States

1. When Europeans explored Canada, they found all regions occupied by _____ peoples.
2. In 1608, the _____ built a fortress at which is now called _____ .
3. The Constitutional Act of 1791 allowed _____ , elected by the people.
4. Believing it would be easy to conquer Canada, the _____ launched an invasion in June 1812.
5. The present-day Canada-U.S.A. border is partly an outcome of the _____ .

Section 2: Short Answer

Answer the questions below in your own words and in full-sentences.

1. Describe how the arrival of European traders, missionaries, soldiers and colonists changed the way of life for Aboriginal Peoples.

2. Outline 2-3 of the most significant challenges the French Canadians faced in upholding the distinct identity of French Canada.

3. Explain, in your own words, what responsible government means.

4. Discuss the cause and consequences to Canada of the American War of Independence.

5. How does the War of 1812 continue to have an impact on Canada today?



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