

## Activity 07 Worksheet

### 5Ws Reading Comprehension Chart: The Indian Act

Use this worksheet to support Activity 7, **Analyzing the *Indian Act: Continuity and Change***, located on page 10 of Historica Canada's *Indigenous Perspectives* Education Guide.

Read the **Indian Act** article on *The Canadian Encyclopedia* and answer the following questions.

<p><b>What?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What were the aims of the <i>Indian Act</i>?</li> <li>• What have been the most important reforms?</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Who?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Who wrote the <i>Indian Act</i>?</li> <li>• Who is governed by the Act? Who is not?</li> </ul>	
<p><b>When?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• When was the <i>Indian Act</i> written?</li> <li>• When has it been amended?</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Where?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Who owns reserve lands?</li> <li>• Who can live on reserve lands?</li> <li>• How can people who live on reserves use the land?</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Why?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Why was the Act created?</li> <li>• Why did it get amended at different times?</li> </ul>	

What further questions do you have?

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