

Unit 2

Name: _____

Towards Confederation

Date: _____

Chapter 6, Lesson 4: Durham Report - Key

Answer the following questions in complete sentences.

1. Who was Lord Durham?

Lord Durham was a wealthy British noble and politician sent to Canada by the British government to find out more about the causes of the rebellions and to outline solutions to government issues.

2. What were Lord Durham's two main recommendations?

Lord Durham's two recommendations were

- unite Upper and Lower Canada into a single colony
- grant the colonies responsible government

3. What was Lord Durham trying to accomplish regarding the French language in Quebec?

Lord Durham was trying to "get rid of" the French language by uniting the two colonies.