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**Chapter 7, Lesson 1 Activity**

Creating a New Country

Answer the following questions. Type your responses in the blue brackets provided.

**1.** Construct a Flow Chart on Canada’s federal government similar to the one on page 146 in

**Voices and Visions: A Story of Canada**.

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**2.** What things did the colonies in British North America have in common?

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**3.** What three factors led to the colonies thinking about union?

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**4.** What is the difference between “French Canadian” and “Quebeçois”?

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**5.** Political deadlock in the Province of Canada was a factor in the unification of British North

America. Who were the parties in the Assembly, and who was the leader of each party?

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**6.** What does *rep by pop* mean? Explain how this affected Canada West and Canada East.

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**7.** What is f*ree trade*? Why did Britain begin free trade?

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**8.** Describe *reciprocity*. What happened to this agreement?

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**9.** Describe the idea of *Manifest Destiny*.

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**10.** Why did the Fenian raids cause concerns in the British North American colonies?

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**11.** Read “Choosing a Capital” on page 154 in **Voices and Visions: A Story of Canada**. Describe, in point form, the process of how Canada chose its capital.

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