

Unit 2

Towards Confederation

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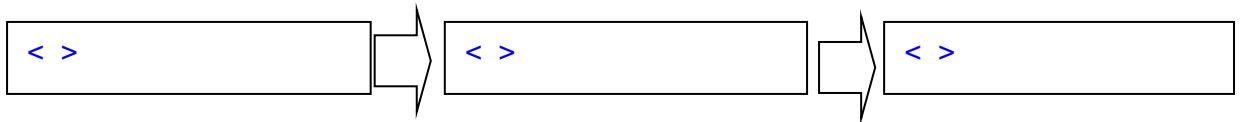
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Chapter 7, Lesson 1 Activity

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**.



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 *free 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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