

# Vocabulary Builder Activity

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### A. Content Vocabulary

**Directions** Select a term from the box below to complete each of the sentences that follow.

|                      |            |          |                     |
|----------------------|------------|----------|---------------------|
| sectionalism         | census     | turnpike | cede                |
| lock                 | cotton gin | canal    | free enterprise     |
| capitalism           | patent     | monopoly | interstate commerce |
| interchangeable part | capital    |          |                     |

1. In the Adams-Onís Treaty, Spain agreed to \_\_\_\_\_ control of Florida to the United States.
2. A rivalry based on the special interests of different areas is called \_\_\_\_\_.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ is an economic system in which people are free to buy, sell, and produce whatever they want.
4. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a machine that quickly and efficiently removes seeds from fibers.
5. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a toll road built for easy travel and for shipment of goods.
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ is an official count of the population.
7. An artificial waterway is a \_\_\_\_\_.
8. A person invests money, or \_\_\_\_\_, in a business.
9. The concept that people and companies own the means of production with little interference from national government is called \_\_\_\_\_.

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10. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a separate compartment in a waterway where water levels are raised or lowered.
11. A \_\_\_\_\_ gives an inventor the sole legal right to an invention and its profits for a certain period of time.
12. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a market where there is only one provider, giving that provider sole control of an industry.
13. An \_\_\_\_\_ can be replaced with another identical part.
14. Trade between states is called \_\_\_\_\_.

## B. Academic Vocabulary

**Directions** Read the underlined words below, as well as the four words or phrases next to them. Three of the four words or phrases are similar in meaning to the underlined word. Circle the word or phrase that is not similar to the underlined word.

1. technology: machinery, automation, money, equipment
2. element: ingredient, component, piece, sum
3. reveal: conceal, disclose, unmask, discover
4. region: district, territory, map, zone
5. intense: fierce, profound, moderate, forceful
6. internal: inner, exterior, interior, within

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### C. Combined Vocabulary Reinforcement

**Directions** A noun is a word that names a person, a place, a thing, or an idea. A verb is a word that is used to describe an action, an experience, or a state of being. An adjective is a word used to describe a noun. In the chart, determine whether the words function as nouns, verbs, or adjectives. Put a checkmark (✓) in the appropriate column. Some words have more than one function.

| Words                   | Noun | Verb | Adjective |
|-------------------------|------|------|-----------|
| 1. census               |      |      |           |
| 2. region               |      |      |           |
| 3. reveal               |      |      |           |
| 4. intense              |      |      |           |
| 5. monopoly             |      |      |           |
| 6. interchangeable part |      |      |           |
| 7. lock                 |      |      |           |
| 8. patent               |      |      |           |
| 9. internal             |      |      |           |
| 10. interstate commerce |      |      |           |
| 11. capital             |      |      |           |