

What Do You Know?

North and South

Questions and Answers

Directions With a partner, ask the following questions to see how much you know about the United States in the mid-1800s. You will find answers to the questions as you read the chapter. After you read, return to your answers and add more detail. Circle any information that was inaccurate.

Student One: Why was Robert Fulton an important inventor?	Student Two's Answer:
Student One's Answer:	Student Two: What was the telegraph?
Student One: What were working conditions like in early factories in the mid-1800s?	Student Two's Answer:
Student One's Answer:	Student Two: Why did many people immigrate to the United States in the mid-1800s?
Student One: Why was the invention of the cotton gin important in the South?	Student Two's Answer:
Student One's Answer:	Student Two: What were the lives of enslaved people like in the South?