

1812 Portfolio

Descriptions of Key People of the War of 1812


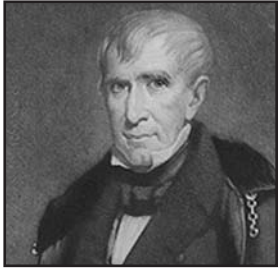


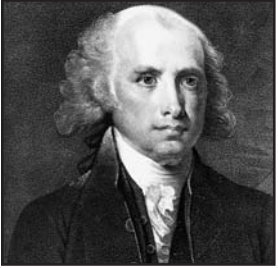









1. Cut out each description
2. Cut out the headings "American Allies" and "British Allies" and glue at the top of the folder
3. Determine who the Key People are based on these descriptions
4. Glue the descriptions under the correct heading
5. Glue the images of Key People (on next Appendix page) on top, so that you can lift images to read the descriptions underneath

<p>First Lady, social hostess, politically astute. Saved George Washington's portrait at the White House from British.</p>	<p>Dedicated expansionist. Took Indian land throughout the Ohio River Valley. Wanted Canadian land. General. Defeated Native Americans and British in the Battle of Thames.</p>	<p>Fought in the Revolution as a soldier, given generalship to invade Canada. Feared Indians. First to raise a white flag over an American city. He lost an entire army.</p>	<p>Lawyer detained by British officers, watched the Battle of Fort McHenry. From this, he wrote a poem which became the "Star Spangled Banner".</p>
<p>President of the U.S., pushed by War Hawks to declare war. Very smart and skilled. Unprepared for war. Not very powerful.</p>	<p>Fought in the Revolutionary War. Hot temper. Disliked the British. Volunteered to fight on the Canadian front. Led militia in the defeat of the British at the Battle of New Orleans.</p>	<p>A pirate that smuggled through New Orleans. Warned Louisiana of the British attack, then went to Andrew Jackson whom he helped in the Battle of New Orleans.</p>	<p>Representative of Canadian women. Struggles alone through 20 miles of wilderness to warn British forces that Americans were going to attack. She is now remembered as a hero.</p>
<p>Commander in Upper Canada. Aristocratic and ambitious. Had an army made up of Black troops, farm kids, and the poor to defend Canada. Assisted by Tecumseh and his Native warriors.</p>	<p>British politician and aristocrat. Determined and honorable. Major-general who commanded the British in the Battle of New Orleans.</p>	<p>Shawnee war chief. Ambitious and political warrior. Unified Indian nations.</p>	<p>Governor-general for the British. Sensible, practical. Had to protect Canadian territory with Brock.</p>
<p>Major-general, relentless leader. His soldiers destroyed and burnt the capital. Directly guided and fought alongside his troops. Fearless.</p>	<p>French Canadian general for the British. Known for intimidating the American troops which stopped advancement in Montreal.</p>	<p>American Allies</p>	<p>British Allies</p>

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Key People of the War of 1812

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Dolley Madison	William Henry Harrison	William Hull	Francis Scott Key
			
James Madison	Andrew Jackson	Jean Lafitte	Laura Secord
			
Isaac Brock	Edward Pakenham	Tecumseh	George Prevost
			
Robert Ross	Charles de Salaberry		

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Key People of the War of 1812 Answer Key

<p>Dolley Madison</p> <p>First Lady, social hostess, politically astute. Saved George Washington's portrait at the White House from British.</p> <p>American Ally</p>	<p>William Henry Harrison</p> <p>Dedicated expansionist. Took Indian land throughout the Ohio River Valley. Wanted Canadian land. General. Defeated Native Americans and British in the Battle of Thames.</p> <p>American Ally</p>	<p>William Hull</p> <p>Fought in the Revolution as a soldier, given generalship to invade Canada. Feared Indians. First to raise a white flag over an American city. He lost an entire army.</p> <p>American Ally</p>	<p>Francis Scott Key</p> <p>Lawyer detained by British officers, watched the Battle of Fort McHenry. From this, he wrote a poem which became the "Star Spangled Banner".</p> <p>American Ally</p>
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<p>Isaac Brock</p> <p>Commander in Upper Canada. Aristocratic and ambitious. Had an army made up of Black troops, farm kids, and the poor to defend Canada. Assisted by Tecumseh and his Native warriors.</p> <p>British Ally</p>	<p>Edward Pakenham</p> <p>British politician and aristocrat. Determined and honorable. Major-general who commanded the British in the Battle of New Orleans.</p> <p>British Ally</p>	<p>Tecumseh</p> <p>Shawnee war chief. Ambitious and political warrior. Unified Indian nations.</p> <p>British Ally</p>	<p>George Prevost</p> <p>Governor-general for the British. Sensible, practical. Had to protect Canadian territory with Brock.</p> <p>British Ally</p>
<p>Robert Ross</p> <p>Major-general, relentless leader. His soldiers destroyed and burnt the capital. Directly guided and fought alongside his troops. Fearless.</p> <p>British Ally</p>	<p>Charles de Salaberry</p> <p>French Canadian general for the British. Known for intimidating the American troops which stopped advancement in Montreal.</p> <p>British Ally</p>		