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Chapter 10. Section 1-- "Building an National Identity"

1. How was the power of the federal government strengthened during the "Era of Good Feelings"?
2. What happened to the Federalist Party after the War of 1812?
3. According to Henry Clay, how would his American System benefit the economy?
4. How did the Supreme Court ruling in *Dartmouth College vs. Woodward* support economic growth?

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Chapter 10, Section 2-- "Dealing With Other Nations"

1. What effect did Andrew Jackson's attack on Florida have on the government of Spain?
2. Why was Miguel Hidalgo important to the history of Mexico?
3. What was Adam's advice to Monroe?
4. Why did Britain grant some self-government to Canada?

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Chapter 10, Section 3-- "The Age of Jackson"

1. Why did Jackson supporters claim there had been a "corrupt bargain" in the election of 1824?
2. Which groups did not benefit from increased suffrage in the United States?
3. How did Andrew Jackson justify the spoils system?

3. How was the Lowell factory system different from the European factory system?
4. How did Eli Whitney's system of interchangeable parts speed up the manufacturing process?

Accelerated Only:

5. *How did the War of 1812 affect US industry?*

Chapter 11, Section 2: "The North Transformed"

1. What problems did cities face in the early 1800s?
2. What new inventions helped northern industries to grow?
3. Why were the railroads a better means of transportation than steamboats?
4. Why did Irish and German immigration to the United States increase in the 1840s?

5. What obstacles did African Americans face in the North?

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6. *What factors led to the growth of cities?*

7. *How did the telegraph improve communication?*

Chapter 11, Section 3: "The Plantation South"

1. How widespread was slave ownership?

2. How did enslaved African Americans adapt to slavery **and** how did they resist it?

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3. *What might a typical workday be like for an enslaved African American on a southern cotton plantation?*

Chapter 11, Section 4: "The Challenges of Growth"

1. How did American settlers heading west reach their new homes?
2. What was the National Road?
3. How did the building of the Erie Canal help farmers in the interior of the country?
4. Why was Jefferson alarmed at the bitterness of the debate over the extension of slavery?

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5. *How did building better roads and canals transform the United States?*
6. *List the main points of the Missouri Compromise.*