



# ***World Studies for Georgia Students-Grade 6***

## *Chapter 10: Canada*

### *Section 2: A Brief History of Canada*

#### **Guided Notes**

**Instructions:** Read the section and complete each item with words from the passages in this section.

1. For thousands of years, the land that became Canada was inhabited by \_\_\_\_\_ (native) people.
2. The arrival of \_\_\_\_\_ changed the way of life for the indigenous people.
3. After being explored and colonized by the \_\_\_\_\_, Canada became part of the Kingdom of \_\_\_\_\_ in 1763 as a result of France's defeat in the French and Indian War.
4. By the mid-1860s, people in Canada wanted to be \_\_\_\_\_ and be able to rule their country themselves in a manner similar to the United States. They asked the British Parliament to create a \_\_\_\_\_ allowing for increased self-government.
5. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a self-governing nation of the Commonwealth of Nations other than the United Kingdom that acknowledges the British monarch as chief of state.
6. In 1931, the British Parliament granted \_\_\_\_\_ to Canada.
7. It was not until 1982 that the final links were \_\_\_\_\_ between the British Parliament and the Canadian government.
8. Even though the French lost Canada in 1763, the legacy of the French is still alive in the province of \_\_\_\_\_.
9. According to 2011 Canadian census data, about 20 percent of Canadians speak \_\_\_\_\_ as their first language, but 81 percent of the people in \_\_\_\_\_ speak French as their first language.

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10. Some people in Quebec, however, want Quebec to be an \_\_\_\_\_ country. These people are called \_\_\_\_\_.
11. They believe that Quebec cannot keep its \_\_\_\_\_ language and culture in a country where most people have English as a first language.
12. The government of Canada has passed several laws to help Quebec's citizens \_\_\_\_\_ their language and culture. First, they made Canada officially \_\_\_\_\_.
13. In Quebec, \_\_\_\_\_ is the only official language. English may be used in \_\_\_\_\_, but it must be placed after the French words, and it must be in a smaller size.