

The War of 1812

We will analyze the Star Spangled Banner line by line to determine how the words relate to the nighttime bombardment of Fort McHenry.

- What is the main idea of the song?*
- In your opinion is this a good song to represent the United States as its national anthem?*

Create a web chart that lists and describes Canadian, American, and the battles on the sea. There were 7 battles on U.S. soil, 2 in Canada, and 3 on the water.

Discuss the Treaty of Ghent.

- Answer the questions who, what, when, where.*
- Did it change anything that caused the two countries to go to war to begin with?*

List and describe four effects that the War of 1812 had on the United States.

Why did people from the North, South, and West feel differently about going to war?