

8th Grade ELA

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"The Civil War" Task/Discussion Sheet

RI.8.1: Cite several pieces of evidence to support an analysis of what the text say explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text

RI.8.8 Evaluate the argument and specific claims in a text

1. *After reading the article, what event marked the start of this war? What was the South and North confrontational (fighting) for? According to the article, the event that started the Civil War was* _____

3. *What was a Border State? Which Border States joined the Confederacy? Which Border States stayed in the Union?*

3. ***Based on the article, why was it described as “the most painful type of war”?***

- a. the time had come to choose sides
- b. the union became a hostile organization
- c. this conflict divided not only states, but also families and friend
- d. Participants thought it was just a joke

4. The ***Emancipation Proclamation*** promised freedom to slaves

- a. in the Union border states
- b. in Confederate-held states and territories
- c. in Union territories
- d. if they agreed to stay in the South