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Lincoln and the Civil War

**Directions**: Visit www.sascurriculumpathways.com and login with the username “underline9science”. There is no password. Search for “Lincoln and the Civil War” and complete **the third module** by listening to the information and answering the questions.

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1. Where was Abraham Lincoln born? Where did his family move?

2. Lincoln received little formal schooling. What jobs did he do before becoming a politician?

3. Lincoln studied \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and opened a legal practice.

4. Lincoln served only one term as a Congressmen, then went home. What prompted him to take up politics again?

5. What did Lincoln have to do with the new Republican Party? What did the Republicans stand for?

6. Lincoln did not think the founding fathers meant for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to be equal to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

7. What are **inalienable rights**?

8. Lincoln wanted to send the slaves back to Africa upon freeing them.

a. True

b. False

9. What worried Lincoln the most about the conflict over slavery?

10. Even though Lincoln lost the election for senator in Illinois, the race helped him. How?

11. What was the first state to secede (withdrawal) from the Union?

12. What was Lincoln’s position on secession?

13. Most people in the North assumed the war would be long and hard.

a. True

b. False

14. Many democrats in Congress did not support an end to slavery. Why would it potentially be a mistake for Lincoln to abolish slavery?

15. What is the Emancipation Proclamation?

16. What two benefits did emancipation provide?

1.

2.

17. Lincoln easily found strong military leaders when the Civil War began.

a. True

b. False

18. List three advantages of the Union (aka the North).

1.

2.

3.

19. What battle turned the tide of the war?

20. What is **total war**? How did General Sherman execute this?

21. What is the name of Lincoln’s most famous speech, in which he dedicated a cemetery and declared that the terrible cost of the war was worth the sacrifice in order to gain freedom for all and preserve the government of the people?

22. Why is it significant that Lincoln suspended the **writ of habeas corpus**?

23. What is the name of the general that surrendered for the Confederacy?

24. What was the focus of Lincoln’s plan to reconstruct the nation?

25. What did Lincoln require of former Confederates that wanted to rejoin the Union?

26. What did radical republicans stand for? What did they want?

27. Who assassinated Abraham Lincoln?

28. Why is Lincoln considered a successful wartime leader?