

ANCHOR FACTS OF AMERICAN HISTORY

Mini Lessons & Printables



Anchor Fact 5: The Civil War

Answer the questions below after you watch the mini lesson video.

What does “secede” mean?

What was the event that triggered the secession of the southern states?

Who were the two commanders who met at the ending of the Civil War?

Activity idea:

Read the full text of Lincoln’s [Gettysburg Address here](#).

You might even try memorizing all or part of the speech. It is only two minutes long.

Cut out this sticker and attach it to your timeline.

