

## ANDREW JACKSON NOTES

- ❖ Andrew Jackson's first claim to fame was as the "\_\_\_\_\_ " in the War of 1812.
- ❖ Jackson's roots were as a commoner from the South and became a wealthy plantation owner in Tennessee.
- ❖ Jackson first ran for president in 1824, he won a majority of the popular vote but he did not have a clear majority in the \_\_\_\_\_. The \_\_\_\_\_ decides the election in the event of such close numbers.
- ❖ The "\_\_\_\_\_ " that went on resulted in John Quincy Adams becoming president instead of Jackson. (Supposedly, Adams promised to make Henry Clay his Sec. Of State. Clay used his influence in the House to defeat Jackson.) Jackson's supporters were outraged.
- ❖ In the election of 1828, Jackson stood a better chance of getting elected for many reasons.
  - ☉ \_\_\_\_\_, who made up his strongest supporters, were now eligible to vote because of lower property requirements.
  - ☉ Also, Jackson used a new style of \_\_\_\_\_ that included songs, slogans, buttons, barbecues, and other techniques that appealed to commoners.
- ❖ As president, Jackson was clearly for the common man.
  - ☉ He used the "\_\_\_\_\_ " to give his supporters jobs in the federal government.
  - ☉ He had his buddies act as an informal "\_\_\_\_\_ " and relied on their advice more than the professionals.
  - ☉ Jackson even opened up the White House to the public for an inauguration party.
- ❖ Jackson's most famous policies were for the good of the common man as well. Jackson pushed the \_\_\_\_\_ out of Georgia even though the Supreme Court decided that they had the legal right to stay in the case, \_\_\_\_\_ v. \_\_\_\_\_. This was so those farmers who wanted to expand could take their land. This forced removal from their land is called the "\_\_\_\_\_ ".
- ❖ Jackson also wanted to force the South to obey the \_\_\_\_\_ laws, even though they felt that tariffs were unfair. South Carolina (led by John C. Calhoun) promised to \_\_\_\_\_, or ignore the tariff. This "\_\_\_\_\_ " resulted in Jackson vowing to use force if necessary (called the \_\_\_\_\_) to get the Southerners to pay their taxes on imported goods. A compromise was reached, but Jackson showed once again that he would not allow states to have more power than the federal government.



# Andrew Jackson Timeline

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Jackson's Father	American Revolution (Older, middle brother and Mother)	West to Tennessee	Meets Rachel as Wife?	Jackson fights Duels
War of 1812 (Hero of New Orleans)	Attacks Seminoles, Spanish, Brits in Florida	Election of 1824 (Corrupt Bargain)	Election of 1828	Peggy Eaton Affair
Kitchen Cabinet	Tariff Nullification Crisis w/ S.C.	Indian Removal Act	Worcester v. Georgia and Trail of Tears	Jackson kills 2 <sup>nd</sup> B.U.S.