

M-Step Social Studies Possible Vocabulary

The following terms could *possibly* be on the M-Step Social Studies Test.

1. Write a description/definition of the words you are already comfortable/familiar with
2. Google or use your *American Nation* textbook for the rest

Term	Definition/ Who? • What? • Where? • When? • Why? • How? • How much?
Civil rights	
<i>Habeas corpus</i>	
Union	
Confederacy	
economy	
republic	
capitalism	
federalism	
secede	
liberty	
oppression	
Underground Railroad	
racism	
segregation	
discrimination	
Cotton gin	
abolitionist	
reform	
annex	
tariff	
Civil servants	
Spoils system	
Jacksonian Democracy	

spirituals	
embargo	
neutrality	
isolationism	
nullify	
States' rights theory	
sedition	
defendant	
Due process	
warrant	
Double jeopardy	
self-incrimination	
Majority rule	
Checks and balances	
ratify	
constitution	
American Revolution	
independence	
Declaration of Independence	
Natural rights	
military	
tyrant	
repeal	
Boston Tea Party	
Boston Massacre	