



## United States History

Name:

America's Industrial Revolution

Section:

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Directions: Use the textbook – pages 229-236 – to answer the following series of questions related to the Industrial Revolution in the United States.

Question 1: What is an Industrial Revolution?

**Steam Boat** (page 229)

Question 2: What was the Steam Boat? Who invented it?

Question 3: How did the Steam Boat impact life in America?

**Canals/Railroads** (pages 229-230)

Question 4: How do canals help industry and travel around the United States?

Question 5: What was the Erie Canal and why was it important?

Question 6: What was the Steam Engine? And how did it help industry and travel around America?

**Lowell Mill** (231)

Question 7: What was the Lowell Mill? What made it unique?

Question 8: What were replaceable parts and how did they help the Mill?

**Morse Code (232)**

Question 9: What was Morse code and what impact did it have on communication?

Question 10: Using the Morse Code alphabet write a short message.

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**Cotton Gin (236)**

Question 11: What was the cotton gin and what impact did it have on slavery in the south?