

Chapter 6 Study Guide

Name: _____

Lesson 1

1. What advantages did the South have over the North?
2. Where were most of the battles of the Civil War fought?
3. Why is the Battle of Antietam a notorious battle?
4. Which event occurred first – Bull Run, Gettysburg, Antietam, or Emancipation Proclamation?
5. When Lincoln wrote the Emancipation Proclamation, this freed the slaves where?

Lesson 2

1. Besides disease, what else killed many soldiers (be more detailed than “battle”)?
2. What were living conditions like for soldiers at war?
3. What did young boys do in war?
4. Who and what allowed civilians in the North to see what was happening in the war?
5. What was difficult about life on the home front in the South?

Lesson 3

1. Which war leader led the army that captured Atlanta?
2. Why did the Confederate army get weaker over time?

3. What is total war?

4. What event signified the end of the war?

Essay

The Civil War was a war fought over very differing beliefs between the North and the South. Fill in the graphic organizer below and then use it to write an essay describing in detail the advantages and disadvantages that each side had as they fought for what they thought was right and just.

	Advantages	Disadvantages
North	1. 2. 3.	1. 2. 3.
South	1. 2. 3.	1. 2. 3.

Written Essay: