



**GUIDED READING AND REVIEW**

**SECTION 1**

**The Plains Indians**

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**A. AS YOU READ**

As you read Section 1, answer the following questions on the lines provided.

1. How did Plains Indians acquire the horse?

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2. Why was the horse an improvement on the dog for hunting and transport?

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3. In what ways did the horse change life for the Pawnee?

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4. How did the Mandan nation differ from other Plains Indian nations?

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5. What role did the buffalo play in the lives of the Plains Indians?

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6. Why did power shift more to the men and away from the women after Plains Indians adopted a nomadic way of life?

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7. What two elements contributed to the decline of Native American village life in the early 1800s?

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**B. REVIEWING KEY TERMS**

Explain how the arrival of the horse affected each of the following.

8. Great Plains \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. middleman \_\_\_\_\_  
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10. nomad \_\_\_\_\_  
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