

es and Stories nada to 1867

Cluster 3 Fur Trade



Students will...

5.3.1 European Expansion North and West

- 5-KL-020** Locate on a map of Canada places and regions of historical significance to the fur trade and the Métis Nation.
- 5-KH-030** Describe the influence of the fur trade on the historical development of Canada.
Include: Hudson's Bay and North West Companies; the creation of Rupert's Land and the western expansion of Canada.
- 5-KH-031** Describe factors that led to the development and expansion of the fur trade into the west and north of Canada.
- 5-KG-044** Identify global factors that influenced the fur trade in Canada.
Examples: European fashion, wars in Europe...

5.3.2 Importance of the Land in the Fur Trade

- 5-KL-020** Locate on a map of Canada places and regions of historical significance to the fur trade and the Métis Nation.
- 5-KL-021** Give examples of ways in which the fur trade operations were influenced by the land.
Examples: location of posts, transportation, food, clothing...
- 5-KH-034** Describe the historical significance of Canadian place names.
- 5-VL-007** Appreciate the significance of the land and natural resources in the development of Canada.

5.3.3 Life during the Fur-Trade Era (1650s–1850s)

- 5-KI-009** Describe daily life and challenges for various groups involved in the fur trade.
Examples: coureurs de bois, trappers, trading post employees, voyageurs, factors, women...
- 5-KL-020** Locate on a map of Canada places and regions of historical significance to the fur trade and the Métis Nation.
- 5-KH-032** Relate stories of the people and events of the fur trade.
Examples: coureurs de bois, Pierre-Esprit Radisson and Médard Chouart Des Groseilliers, Pierre Gaultier de Varennes, sieur La Vérendrye, Henry Kelsey, Simon Fraser, James McGill...
- 5-KE-053** Compare and contrast the operations of the Hudson's Bay and the North West Companies and describe the competition between them.
- 5-VI-003** Appreciate the contributions of various groups involved in the fur trade to the historical development of Canada.

5.3.4 Métis Nation and Culture in the Fur-Trade Era

- 5-KL-020** Locate on a map of Canada places and regions of historical significance to the fur trade and the Métis Nation.
- 5-KH-035** Describe events related to the origins and rise of the Métis Nation.
- 5-KH-036** Give examples of the impact of interactions between First Peoples and European traders and settlers.
Examples: shared technologies, cultural change, spread of disease...
- 5-KP-049** Give examples of conflicting priorities between the demands of the fur trade and agricultural settlement.
Include: Selkirk and Métis settlements of the Red River.
- 5-KE-052** Describe how the fur trade was dependent on the men and women of the First Nations and Métis Nation.