Cluster 1
First Peoples

5.1 Origins of First Peoples of North America
5.1.1 Describe First Peoples' chronology of major events, as well as current theories of migration to the North American continent.

5.2 Early European Exploration and Colonization
5.2.1 Identify exploration of the Northwest Passage and its development and expansion in the fur trade.

5.3 Culture in Early Canada
5.3.1 Compare culture of First Peoples and early European colonists in the fur trade era.

5.4 French-British Colonial Rivalry
5.4.1 Describe the French and British colonial rivalry in the 17th and 18th centuries.

Cluster 2
Early European Colonization (1600 to 1850)

5.1 Early European Exploration and Colonization
5.1.1 Identify exploration of the Northwest Passage and its development and expansion in the fur trade.

5.2 Culture in Early Canada
5.2.1 Compare culture of First Peoples and early European colonists in the fur trade era.

5.3 Life during the Fur-Trade Era (1650s–1850s)
5.3.1 Describe daily life for various groups involved in the fur trade and the Métis Nation.

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5.4.1 Describe the French and British colonial rivalry in the 17th and 18th centuries.

Cluster 3
Fur Trade

5.1 European Expansion North and West
5.1.1 Describe the influence of the fur trade and the Northwest Company.

5.2 Culture in Early Canada
5.2.1 Compare culture of First Peoples and early European colonists in the fur trade era.

5.3 Life during the Fur-Trade Era (1650s–1850s)
5.3.1 Describe daily life for various groups involved in the fur trade and the Métis Nation.

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5.4.1 Describe the French and British colonial rivalry in the 17th and 18th centuries.

Cluster 4
From British Colony to Confederation (1763 to 1867)

5.1 French-British Colonial Rivalry
5.1.1 Describe the French and British colonial rivalry in the 17th and 18th centuries.

5.2 Culture in Early Canada
5.2.1 Compare culture of First Peoples and early European colonists in the fur trade era.

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