1. Be able to label the Great Western Trail, Chisholm Trail, Transcontinental Railroad, and Pittsburgh on a United States map.

2. The main purpose of the cattle trails was to sell cattle in the northern and eastern states.

3. The Chisholm Trail was the first cattle trail. It began in San Antonio and ended in Abilene.

4. The Great Western Trail became the main cattle trail for transporting cattle to the northern markets.

5. How much did cattle sell for in Texas, and how much did they sell for in the Northern and Eastern United States? Explain why these prices were so different.
   Cattle sold for $4 in Texas and for $40 in the Northern and Eastern U.S. This was because the supply was greater than demand in Texas, and the supply was less than demand in the North and East.

6. Many of the Black Cowboys of Texas were former slaves.

7. Why were the Black Cowboys treated much better on the range than anywhere else? They were hired and judged for their skills rather than the color of skin.

8. Name all the benefits of being a Black Cowboy:
   - paid a fair wage
   - increased freedom
   - skill mattered more than color
   - feelings of cooperation and brotherhood
   - less discrimination
   - able to prove their value
9. Name the main contributions of the following inventors:
   • Alexander Graham Bell - the telephone
   • Thomas Edison - the lightbulb and electric power stations
   • The Wright Brothers - the first powered flight in an airplane
   • George Washington Carver - developed hundreds of products from
     peanuts and sweet potatoes; educated African Americans

10. Why was the United States interested in helping Cuba achieve freedom
    from Spain?
    • Americans were doing business in Cuba
    • Cuba is located very close to the U.S.A (Florida)

11. What important event led the United States to declare war on Spain? How
    did yellow journalism play a role? U.S.S. Maine was right outside Cuba
    watching over Americans doing business there. The U.S.S. Maine
    exploded and yellow journalism blamed Spain. This caused citizens to
    pressure President McKinley to ask Congress to declare war.

12. President McKinley was responsible for asking Congress to declare war on
    Spain.

13. What territories did the United States gain after their victory in the
    Spanish-American War? Guam, Phillipines, and Puerto Rico were gained.
    We did not gain Cuba, we just helped them.

14. Teddy Roosevelt was president when the Panama Canal was built.

15. What were the main purposes of the Panama Canal?
    • to promote trade (shorter trips, increase trade)
    • to make it easier for military ships to get where they are needed

16. The Panama Canal connects the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans.
17. Reflect on all that you’ve learned about Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt. How did they make the United States a more powerful and important country?
   • McKinley was president when the U.S.A. won the Spanish-American War.
   • Roosevelt was president when the Panama Canal was built.
   • Both events led the world to begin seeing the U.S.A. as a super power (economically and our military)

18. Why did immigrants leave their homes to come to the United States?
   • to have a better life
   • to escape war in their homeland
   • to have religious freedom

19. Most of the immigrants were from the continent of Europe.

20. Where did most of the immigrants settle once they came to the United States?
    Most immigrants settled in big cities.