

## Regions Chart - Instructions

### Materials

- Your textbook
- A blank Regions Chart

### The 13 British colonies separated into 4 regions

- The New England Colonies
- The Middle Colonies
- The Southern Colonies
- The Backcountry

You will be reading about each region in your textbook today and completing a chart organizing their characteristics.

- We will share the characteristics you have found together tomorrow in class and then make a map that displays these characteristics.
- We will have a **test** on the first four settlements, the map of the thirteen colonies and four regions, and the characteristics of the regions at the end of next week. This test will be the first grade in the new marking period.

I have set up the LGI for you to work today.

- I have set up all the tables and three chairs per table, so you can spread out with your textbook, the chart, and two other students of your own choosing.
- On each table you will find a 3 by 5 card with the hour on it. Write the name of three people working in your group on the card. This will let the sub know who you are and will let me know who worked together.
- I am across the hall in the media center for a meeting and will stop in to check that everything is going as planned and you are being productive.

Remember that what you do not finish in class is homework, so you want to be productive.

**DO NOT DIVIDE AND CONQUER!!!!**

- The group should work together to read and fill on the chart.

Filling in the chart:

Make a bulleted list of keywords and phrases under the headings as you read the material.

Work quickly and efficiently.

Work in pencil.

Remember you do not have to be perfect; we will go over the chart together tomorrow to allow for additions and corrections.

**SEE BACK of this sheet for what to read for each section of the chart.**

## **Readings -**

### **New England -**

- Physical Geography - p.71,
- Farming - p. 71, p. 83,
- Economy (How People Made a Living) p. 75,
- Type of People - skip,
- Where People Lived - p. 75

### **Middle Colonies -**

- Physical Geography - p.77,
- Farming - p. 77, p. 79, and p. 83,
- Economy (How People Made a Living) p. 79 (Include farming again and manufacturing) ,
- Type of People - p. 81,
- Where People Lived - skip

### **Southern Colonies -**

- Physical Geography - p. 84,
- Farming - p. 83, p. 84, and p. 79,
- Economy (How People Made a Living) p. P. 87 - 89 (Describe Plantation System.),
- Type of People - p. 89,
- Where People Lived - skip

### **Backcountry -**

- Physical Geography - p. 81,
- Farming - p. 89,
- Economy (How People Made a Living) - skip ,
- Type of People - p. 81,
- Where People Lived - p. 89