



Guided Reading Activity I

History and Governments

Directions: Answering Questions Read this section in your textbook — 209-215 to find answers to the questions below.

1. Naming Who built Latin America's first civilization?

2. Locating Where did the Maya live?

3. Sequencing Name the three civilizations that followed the Maya, in order of their emergence.

4. Determining Cause and Effect What effect did the diseases carried by the Spanish have on the Aztec?

5. Describing How did Europeans transform the populations of Latin America?

6. Naming What military leader led the fight for independence in northern South America?

7. Discussing How did the caudillos hinder democracy and prosperity?

8. Listing What Latin American products were exported during the late 1800s?

9. Defining What was the Good Neighbor Policy?

10. Describing What are the challenges faced by Latin American governments today?

On the back, do #1, E and F and #6 on p. 215.