



**GUIDED READING** *The Age of Jackson*

**Section 2**

**A.** As you read about the Jacksonian era, write answers to the questions about events that appear on the time line.

<b>1824</b>	<b>John Quincy Adams wins the presidency.</b>	→	1. Why did the House of Representatives support John Quincy Adams over Andrew Jackson?
<b>1830</b>	<b>Congress passes the Indian Removal Act. Jackson forces the Cherokee and Choctaw from their lands.</b>	→	2. What did the Indian Removal Act call for?
<b>1832</b>	<b>The nullification crisis comes to a head.</b>	→	3. What was John C. Calhoun's theory of nullification?
<b>1834</b>	<b>National Republicans form the Whig Party.</b>	→	4. How did the style of politics change during the Age of Jackson?
<b>1836</b>	<b>Martin Van Buren wins the presidency.</b>		
<b>1837</b>	<b>The Panic of 1837 bankrupts many businesses and causes deep unemployment.</b>	→	5. How did Jackson's policies contribute to the Panic of 1837?

**B.** On the back of this paper, identify or explain each of the following:

**Henry Clay**

**Missouri Compromise**

**spoils system**