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**Civil War Study Guide**

1. What were the views of the North and South about slavery?
2. What was the Fugitive Slave Law?
3. Which Southern states seceded from the Union? Why was slavery important to southerners and their economy?
4. How did the abolitionists attempt to end slavery in the 1800’s?
5. What were some of Lincoln’s promises/key points in his inaugural

address?

1. Where and when did the Civil War begin? Who fired the first shots?
2. Explain the concepts of Cotton Diplomacy.
3. Who were the key leaders of the Union and Confederate armies?
4. How did the Union and Confederate armies get men to serve in the

military? Did this method change from the beginning of the war until the end?

1. What were the Border States? Who were they loyal to and why?
2. Which battles were turning points in the war? Why were these battles so significant?
3. What were the major strategies of the Union and Confederate armies?
4. What side did the Native Americans support? Why?
5. What were the major difficulties that the Union had to overcome? What

were the major difficulties that the Confederates had to overcome fighting

a defensive war?

1. Know the major points of the Emancipation Proclamation. How did both

sides feel about it?

1. Explain the concept of Habeas Corpus.
2. What was the role of free African Americans during the Civil War?
3. What was the Dawes Act?
4. What caused the most casualties in the war?
5. What kind of political, social, and economic development took place during the war? What impact did these developments have?
6. What were the outcomes of the war?