

★ Content Vocabulary Activity 3**The Birth of Modern America, 1877–1900**

DIRECTIONS: Circle the term that best completes each sentence. Then answer the question at the bottom of the page.

1. In the South, laws enforcing segregation of African Americans
 - A. grandfather clauses
 - B. Jim Crow laws
 - C. Exclusion Acts
2. Public land available for settlement in the Great Plains region for a small registration fee
 - A. homestead
 - B. ranch
 - C. open range
3. The total value of all goods and services produced by a country
 - A. monopoly
 - B. gross national product
 - C. graft
4. In some urban areas, this system provided essential city services in exchange for votes.
 - A. political parties
 - B. industrial union
 - C. political machine
5. Organization that united all craft workers and common laborers in a particular industry
 - A. corporation
 - B. closed shop
 - C. industrial union
6. This taxes different income levels at different rates.
 - A. graduated income tax
 - B. poll tax
 - C. adjustable tax
7. A single company that achieves control of an entire market
 - A. closed shop
 - B. monopoly
 - C. corporation
8. "Survival of the Fittest" was the catchphrase of this philosophy.
 - A. Social Darwinism
 - B. Marxism
 - C. laissez-faire
9. Dark, crowded multi-family city apartment buildings
 - A. settlement houses
 - B. skyscrapers
 - C. tenements
10. Political movement to increase farmers' political power
 - A. Marxism
 - B. Social Darwinism
 - C. populism
11. This allowed any man to vote if he had an ancestor who appeared on voting rolls.
 - A. poll tax
 - B. grandfather clause
 - C. Jim Crow laws
12. Describe the differences between the following pairs of terms:

deflation / inflation _____

horizontal integration / vertical integration _____
