

Grade Level Content Statement Topic:

4.7 Sectional issues divided the United States after the War of 1812. Ohio played a key role in these issues, particularly with the anti-slavery movement and the Underground Railroad.

4.8 Many technological innovations that originated in Ohio benefited the United States.

4.15 Individuals have a variety of opportunities to act in and influence their state and national government. Citizens have both rights and responsibilities in Ohio and the U.S.

I can statements:

- Students can explain the relationship between U.S. expansion and debates over slavery.
- Students can describe the terms of the Fugitive Slave Act of 1850.
- Students can explain the purpose and workings of the Underground Railroad in Ohio.
- Students can identify important inventions in communications, technology or transportation that began in Ohio.
- Students can explain the benefits of the light bulb.
- Students can explain how the gas mask and the traffic signal improved safety.
- Students can explain cause and effect relationships of new technology.

Vocabulary-

Sectionalism

Fugitive Slave Act

Harriet Beecher Stowe

Abolitionists

Cotton Gin

Slave

Plantation system

Underground Railroad

Levi Coffin

John Rankin

Eli Whitney

Conductors