

The Goliad Massacre *Grade Level*

Extension Lesson with Video

Unit 5: The Texas Revolution

Name: Date: Period:

Directions: You will watch a video about the Goliad Massacre in this lesson. Use this worksheet as a viewing guide to record significant information about each topic covered in the video. Do NOT worry about writing everything exactly as it is stated in the video. Paraphrase and summarize the information you record.

Battle of Goliad

October 10, 1835	1. The Texans drove the centralist army out of Goliad and took control of the town. Goliad was important because _____ _____
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James Fannin takes command at Goliad

February 12, 1836	2. James Fannin was placed in command of the soldiers at Goliad, who nicknamed it "Fort Defiance." He ordered his men to fortify the presidio, meaning _____ _____
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Fannin Receives a Letter from the Alamo Requesting Help

February 25, 1836	3. William B. Travis wrote Fannin asking for reinforcements. Fannin responded by _____ _____
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After the Fall of the Alamo – Houston Sends Orders to Fannin

March 13 or 14, 1836	<p>4. After the fall of the Alamo, Houston ordered Fannin to _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>but Fannin delayed following this order for five days.</p>
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José de Urrea Arrives & The Battle of Coleto Creek

March 19, 1836	<p>5. As Fannin was attempting to lead his men out of Goliad, he</p> <p>stopped in a big field and was soon surrounded by General Urrea.</p> <p>A fight broke out known as the Battle of Coleto Creek. The result</p> <p>was _____</p>
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The Texans are Imprisoned at Goliad

March 19 - 26 1836	<p>6. The 400 Texan prisoners-of-war were held as prisoners at Goliad</p> <p>for nearly a week. During that time, Urrea wrote a letter to Santa</p> <p>Anna asking _____</p> <p>_____</p>
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The Execution of the Texan Prisoners-of-War

March 27, 1836	<p>7. Santa Anna ordered all the prisoners to be executed. They were</p> <p>marched out to the woods in three groups and executed. Some</p> <p>managed to survive. A Mexican woman named Francita Alavez</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
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