expansion

the action of becoming larger or more extensive
Civil War

a war between people in the same country
abolition

to stop or put an end to something
Underground Railroad

a network of houses and hiding places that abolitionists used to help slaves escape to freedom
compromise

an agreement that is reached after people with opposing views each give up some of their demands
emancipation

the act of freeing a person from another person’s control
reconciliation

the act of bringing people together to be friendly again or coming to an agreement
free-market system

a market economy based on supply and demand with little or no government control
industrial revolution

a major change in manufacturing and transportation due to the introduction of power-driven machinery