

Resource Sheet #4:

Canandaigua Treaty of 1794: Questions for Student Discussion

Use the information in the text and from the lesson to answer the following questions with your group.

Treaty Name: _____

Treaty Date: _____

Tribe Name: _____

Where was your tribe's land located? Were they closer to the British or the Americans?

With whom did your tribe side during the American Revolution?

Based on this treaty, how does the newly formed United States feel about your tribe?

What evidence [information] from the text supports your answer?

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What would your tribe gain by signing this treaty?

What would your tribe lose by signing this treaty?

If this treaty is signed how will conflicts between the Americans and the Iroquois be solved?

What would be the advantages of using this way to resolve conflicts? What would be the disadvantages?

Should your tribe sign this treaty? Why or why not?