

## Topic Assignment Sheet

**Topic:** Tennessee in the War of 1812

### **Research sub-questions:**

1. Who was fighting in the War of 1812? What were the “sides”?
2. What were they fighting over?
3. How was Tennessee involved in the war?
4. Who were important Tennesseans fighting in the War?
5. Who was Andrew Jackson at this time and what was his role in this war?
6. Who were the Tennessee Volunteers and why/how did they get their name?
7. What was the Battle of Horseshoe Bend? What happened in this battle? Why was it important to the war and to Tennessee?
8. Why does any or all of this matter to Tennessee History?

**Big Research Question:** What changes are most important to this piece of Tennessee History? How did these changes effect Tennessee’s creation?