

Changing Nation Review

- Describe how *competition*, *markets*, and *prices* influence people's behavior.
- Describe the role of the cattle trails in the late 19th century
 - Black Cowboys of Texas
 - Great Western Cattle Trail
 - Chisholm Trail.
- Describe *opportunity costs* and their relationship to decision-making across time
- Describe how *specialization* improves standards of living (such as how specific economies in the north and south developed at the beginning of the 20th century.)
- Describe the *private business function* in producing goods and services.
- Describe how people earn *income* by selling their labor to businesses.
- Describe how *entrepreneurs* take risks to develop new goods and services to start a business.
- Explain how factors such as population, transportation, and resources influenced industrial location in the United States between the end of the Civil War and 1900.
- Describe the reasons people emigrated to the United States, from where they emigrated, and where they settled.
- Explain how William McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt expanded America's role in the world
 - include the Spanish-American War
 - Building of the Panama Canal.
- Describe the impact on American life of the
 - Wright brothers (flight)
 - George Washington Carver (science)
 - Alexander Graham Bell (communication)
 - Thomas Edison (electricity).