

Exile Activity (25 points)

Directions: Research using the computer lab the answers to the following questions.

1. What does “ethnic cleansing” or “genocide” mean?
2. How can it be associated with what happened to the Acadians?
3. What are the main points of the “Deportation Orders”?
4. Why did the Acadians feel removal was unfair?
5. Why did the English feel it was necessary to remove the Acadians?
6. Describe a current issue concerning the expulsion/removal of a group of people from their homeland.
7. List 3 reasons why there is a controversy on the current issue.

Good websites to use:

http://www.richelieu-leger.org/Hist-Info/Deportation_Proclamation.pdf

<http://www.acadian-cajun.com/hisacad1.htm>

<http://www.whitepinepictures.com/seeds/i/6/sidebar.html>

Type in: “Le Grand Derangement” into Google to get more details.