

Civil War Notebooking Unit

The Civil War Notebooking Unit is a way to help your children explore the Civil War in a way that is easy to personalize for your family and interests. In the front portion of this unit you will find:

- How to use this unit
- List of 312 Civil War battles and engagements in no specific order
- State maps for each state where one or more major engagements occurred
- Notebooking page templates for your children to use

In the second portion of the unit, you will find parent/teacher resources to help you customize the unit to your family's needs. The parent/teacher portion includes:

- List of the battles by state
- List of the battles by year
- Links to additional online resources

How to Use

There are countless ways you can customize and build upon this unit. Here are a few ideas:

Decide what battles you want your student to explore. You may decide to have them learn about all 312 included in the book, all the battles in a certain year, all the battles in a certain state, or all the battles that involved a specific leader or leaders. You'll find lists of the battles by year and state in the second portion of the unit.

Have your student record the Union leaders, Confederate leaders, date, location and state, and outcome of each battle on the notebooking page as well as any information they find interesting or helpful. You may also note some differences between the dates listed in this unit and the dates on some websites. This is mostly due to the fact that some accounts record the date the battle began as when the troops moved in, some when the fighting began, etc... Similarly, some record the end of the battle as when the fighting stopped, when the troops withdrew, etc...

If you have your student research all the battles included, determine ahead of time how you will have him organize his findings in his finished notebook and have him place that information at the top of each page. For example, if his notebook will be arranged chronologically, have him place the date on the first line. If it will be arranged by leader, have him place those names at the top.

You can also have your student map the location of each battle on the state maps included. A map for Washington, D.C. has not been included. The landscape of D.C. has changed dramatically since the Civil War. Instead, you can have your student explore the maps found at the following sites, then compare them to a modern-day map of D.C.

<http://www.civilwar.org/battlefields/fortstevens/fort-stevens-maps/forts-of-washington-dc.html>
<http://www.civilwar.org/battlefields/fortstevens/fort-stevens-maps/the-battle-of-fort-stevens.html>
<http://www.civilwar.org/battlefields/fortstevens/fort-stevens-maps/dcdefenses1864.html>

As your student researches, he may also find additional battles to add to this list. The list is not exhaustive. According to some reports, there were more than 10,500 engagements and 384 significant battles during the Civil War.

Whatever direction you and your student go with this unit, I pray that it will help you both to gain a better understanding of this key period of American history.

Civil War Battles—Student List

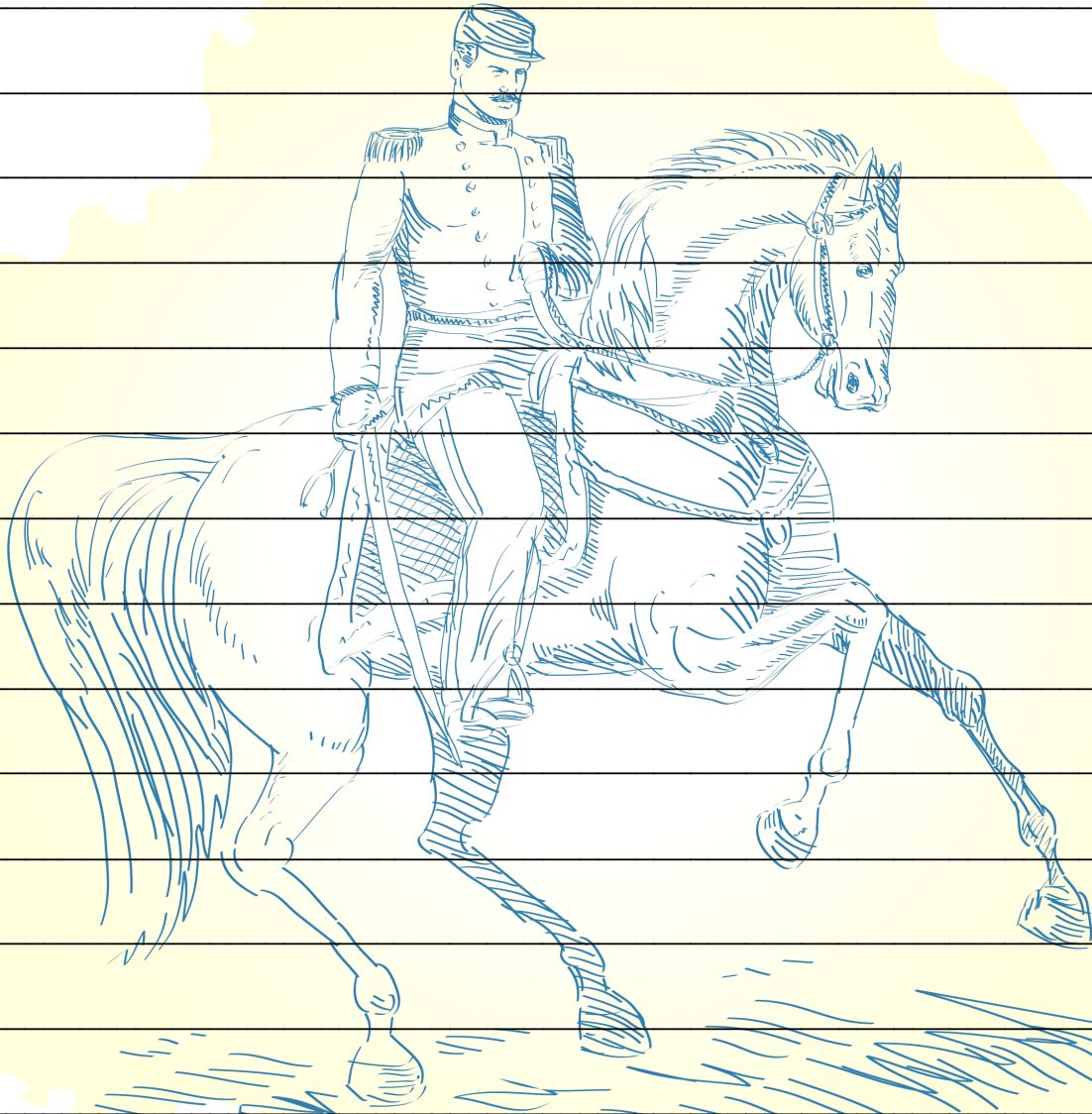
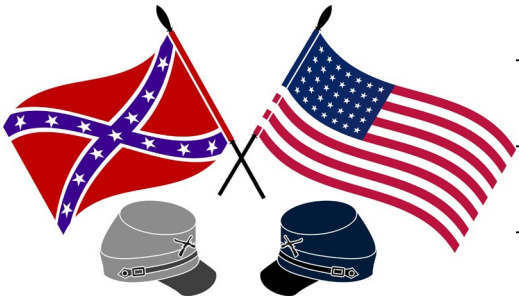
Battle of Adairsville	Battle of Kernstown (First)
Battle of Albermarle Sound	Battle of Kernstown (Second)
Battle of Allatoona	Battle of Killdeer Mountain
Battle of Amelia Springs	Battle of Kinston
Battle of Antietam	Battle of Kirksville
Battle of Arkansas Post	Battle of Kock's Plantation
Battle of Athens	Battle of Kolb's Farm
Battle of Atlanta	Battle of LaFourche Crossing
Battle of Averagesborough	Battle of Lewis's Farm
Battle of Ball's Bluff	Battle of Little Blue River
Battle of Barbourville	Battle of Lone Jack
Battle of Baton Rouge	Battle of Lovejoy's Station
Battle of Baxter Springs	Battle of Malvern Hill
Battle of Bayou Forche	Battle of Manassas Gap
Battle of Bear River	Battle of Manassas Station Operations
Battle of Beaver Dam Creek (Mechanicsville)	Battle of Mansfield
Battle of Belmont	Battle of Marion
Battle of Bentonville	Battle of McDowell
Battle of Berryville	Battle of Memphis
Battle of Big Bethel	Battle of Middle Boggy Depot
Battle of Big Black River Bridge	Battle of Mill Springs
Battle of Big Mound	Battle of Mine Creek
Battle of Blairs Landing	Battle of Mine Run
Battle of Boonsboro	Battle of Mobile Bay
Battle of Boonville	Battle of Monetts Ferry
Battle of Boydton Plank Road	Battle of Monocacy
Battle of Brandy Station	Battle of Monroe's Crossroads
Battle of Brentwood	Battle of Moorefield
Battle of Brice's Cross Roads	Battle of Morton's Ford
Battle of Bristoe Station	Battle of Mossy Creek
Battle of Buck Head	Battle of Mount Zion Church
Battle of Buffington Island	Battle of Namozine Church
Battle of Bull Run/Manassas (First)	Battle of Nashville
Battle of Bull Run/Manassas (Second)	Battle of Natural Bridge
Battle of Bull's Gap	Battle of New Berne
Battle of Byrams Ford	Battle of New Hope Church
Battle of Cabin Creek	Battle of New Market
Battle of Camp Allegheny	Battle of Newtonia
Battle of Campbell's Station	Battle of North Anna
Battle of Cane Hill	Battle of Oak Grove

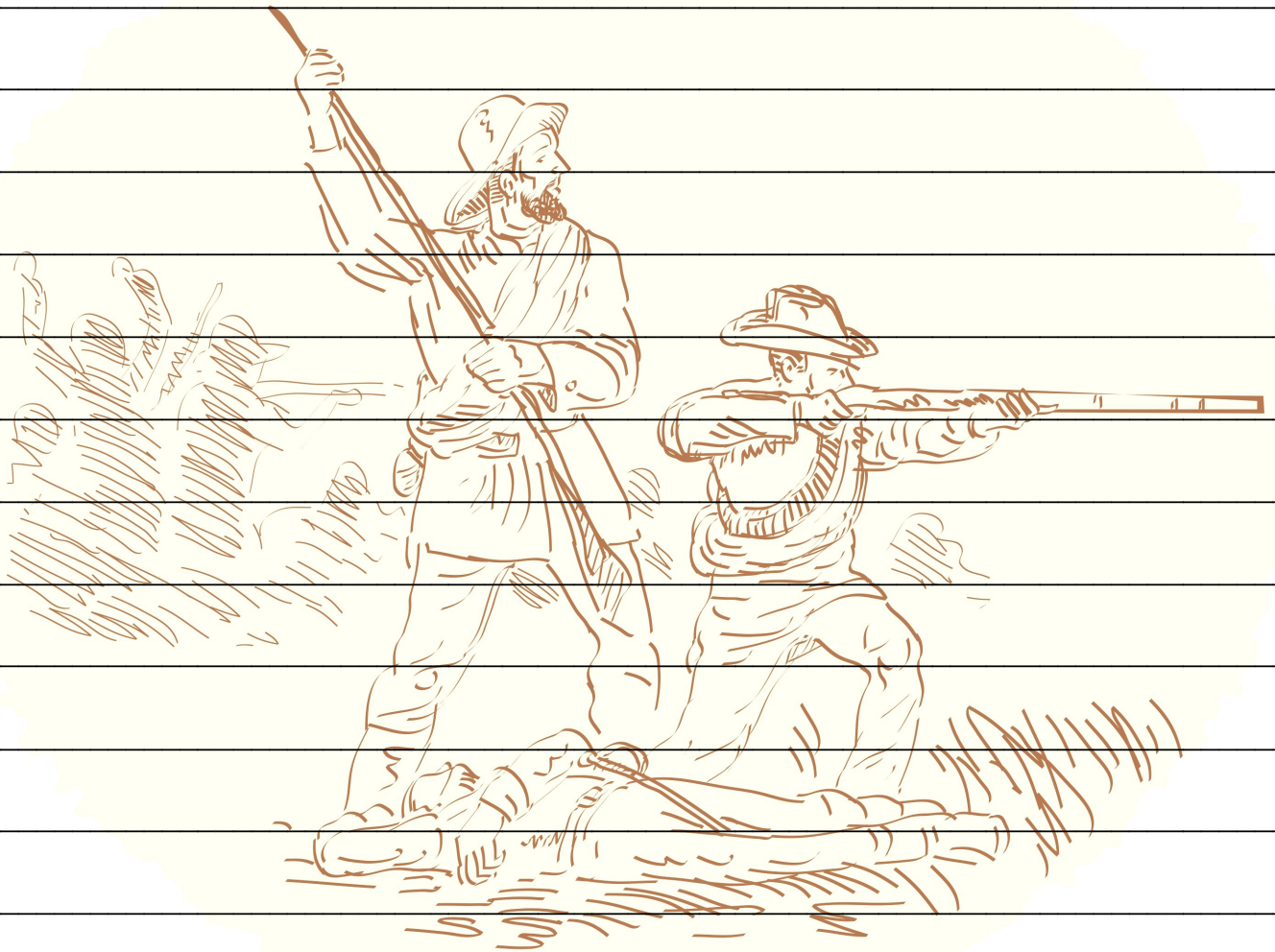
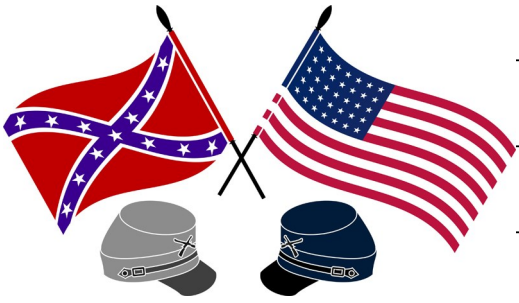


State of Alabama

The map displays the following counties and their respective county seats (indicated by stars):

- Allegany:** Uniontown
- Armstrong:** Kittanning
- Beckley:** Beckley
- Berkeley:** Berkeley
- Bath:** Bath
- Buckhannon:** Buckhannon
- Boone:** Boone
- Calhoun:** Calhoun
- Brooke:** Brooke
- Cabell:** Huntington
- Clay:** Clay
- Charlotte:** Charlotte
- Clarksburg:** Clarksburg
- Conaway:** Conaway
- Crawford:** Crawford
- Doddridge:** Doddridge
- Franklin:** Franklin
- Fayette:** Fayette
- Greenbrier:** Lewisburg
- Grant:** Grant
- Hammond:** Hammond
- Hancock:** Hancock
- Harper:** Harper
- Harrison:** Harrison
- Jefferson:** Jefferson
- Lincoln:** Lincoln
- Logan:** Logan
- Marshall:** Moundsville
- Martin:** Martin
- Mason:** Mason
- Monroe:** Monroe
- Mercer:** Princeton
- Mingo:** Mingo
- Morgan:** Morgan
- Monongalia:** Morgantown
- Muskegon:** Muskegon
- Nicholas:** Nicholas
- Ohio:** Wheeling
- Putnam:** Putnam
- Pocahontas:** Pocahontas
- Pendergast:** Pendergast
- Pennsylvanian:** Pennsylvanian
- Pleasant:** Pleasant
- Preston:** Preston
- Randolph:** Randolph
- Ritchie:** Ritchie
- Roane:** Roane
- Saint Marys:** Saint Marys
- Summers:** Summers
- Sutton:** Sutton
- Taylor:** Taylor
- Tucker:** Tucker
- Union:** Union
- Upshur:** Upshur
- Wetzel:** Wetzel
- Wayne:** Wayne
- West Union:** West Union
- Wetzel:** Wetzel
- Wirt:** Wirt
- Wyoming:** Pineville
- Wood:** Wood
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- York:** York





Civil War Battles: By State

Alabama

1863

April 30: Battle of Day's Gap

1864

January 26: Battle of Athens

August 2-23: Battle of Mobile Bay

October 26-29: Battle of Decatur

1865

March 27-April 8: Battle of Spanish Fort

April 2: Battle of Selma

April 2-9: Battle of Fort Blakely

Arkansas

1862

March 7-8: Battle of Pea Ridge

June 17: Battle of Saint Charles

July 7: Battle of Hill's Plantation

November 28: Battle of Cane Hill

December 7: Battle of Prairie Grove

1863

January 9-11: Battle of Arkansas Post

May 1-2: Battle of Chalk Bluff

September 10: Battle of Bayou Forche

October 25: Battle of Pine Bluff

1864

April 3-4: Battle of Elkin's Ferry

April 9-13: Battle of Prairie D'Ane

April 30: Battle of Jenkins Ferry

Colorado

1864

November 29-30: Battle of Sand Creek

Florida

1861

October 9: Battle of Santa Rosa Island

1862

October 1-3: Battle of St. Johns Bluff

1863

October 16-18: Battle of Fort Brooke

1864

February 20: Battle of Olustee

1865

March 6: Battle of Natural Bridge

Civil War Battles: By Year

1861

April 12-14: Battle of Fort Sumter, South Carolina
June 3: Battle of Philippi, Virginia
June 10: Battle of Big Bethel, Virginia
July 11: Battle of Rich Mountain, West Virginia
June 17: Battle of Boonville, Missouri
July 21: Battle of Bull Run/Manassas (First), Virginia
August 10: Battle of Wilson's Creek, Missouri
August 28-29: Battle of Hatteras Inlet, North Carolina
September 10: Battle of Carnifax Ferry, West Virginia
September 12-15: Battle of Cheat Mountain, West Virginia
September 13-20: Siege of Lexington, Missouri
September 19: Battle of Barbourville, Kentucky
October 3: Battle of Greenbrier River, West Virginia
October 9: Battle of Santa Rosa Island, Florida
October 21: Battle of Ball's Bluff, Virginia
October 21: Battle of Wildcat Mountain (Camp Wildcat), Kentucky
October 25: Battle of Springfield, Missouri
November 7: Battle of Belmont, Missouri
November 19: Battle of Round Mountain, Indian Territory, Oklahoma
December 9: Battle of Chusto-Talasa, Indian Territory, Oklahoma
December 13: Battle of Camp Allegheny, West Virginia
December 17: Battle of Rowlett's Station, Kentucky
December 20: Battle of Dranesville, Virginia
December 26: Battle of Chustenahlah, Indian Territory, Oklahoma
December 28: Battle of Mount Zion Church, Missouri

1862

January 19: Battle of Mill Springs, Kentucky
February 6: Battle of Fort Henry, Tennessee
February 7-8: Battle of Roanoke Island, North Carolina
February 11-16: Battle of Fort Donelson, Tennessee
February 20-21: Battle of Valverde, New Mexico
March 3-April 8: Siege of New Madrid and Island No. 10, Missouri
March 7-8: Battle of Pea Ridge, Arkansas
March 8-9: Battle of Hampton Roads, Virginia
March 14: Battle of New Berne, North Carolina
March 23: Battle of Kernstown (First), Virginia
March 23-April 26: Siege of Fort Macon, North Carolina
March 26-28: Battle of Glorieta Pass, New Mexico
April 5-May 4: Siege of Yorktown, Virginia
April 6-7: Battle of Shiloh, Tennessee
April 10-11: Battle of Fort Pulaski, Georgia
April 12: Great Locomotive Chase, Georgia
April 16-28: Battle of Forts Jackson and Saint Phillip, Louisiana
April 25-May 1: Capture of New Orleans, Louisiana
May 5: Battle of Williamsburg, Virginia
May 7: Battle of Eltham's Landing, Virginia
May 8: Battle of McDowell, Virginia