



EAST TENNESSEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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## Important Words to Know Before Your Visit to the Museum of East Tennessee History

I A G S T K V D D H Q L F T U H N  
E N T I M E L I N E B D O N R P O  
M N D R E M U S N O C U O E B C I  
A H O U D G N C R O R I S M A I T  
N M T I S T Q R Q I T C G D N R A  
C E Q X T T A I S A I Q Y N I T G  
I G W Z N A R M Z M C B P E Z C E  
P A B O L I T I O N I S T M A E R  
A R E G M N N N A S U L N A T L G  
T F D E G A O A A L Y O U U I E E  
E F E R H C Z T H L I C T Z O O S  
Q U C C E U Z I Q N P Z F Q N R C  
B S E Z O L T O U V I T A B U D M  
N M S Z M T I N T E G R A T E Y E  
N O I T C U R T S N O C E R I H J  
F U K G W R Y C A R E D E F N O C  
A N T E B E L L U M E T A B E D N

*Note: Words may share letters and can be up, down, horizontal, or diagonal within the puzzle.*

ABOLITIONIST  
AMENDMENT  
ANTEBELLUM  
CONFEDERACY  
CONSUMER  
CULTURE  
DEBATE  
DISCRIMINATION

ECONOMICS  
EMANCIPATE  
HYDROELECTRIC  
INDUSTRIALIZATION  
INTEGRATE  
MECHANIZATION  
PLANTATION  
RECONSTRUCTION

SECEDE  
SEGREGATION  
SUFFRAGE  
TIMELINE  
TOURISM  
UNION  
URBANIZATION

# Definitions

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**ABOLITIONIST:** a person who wants to put an end to a system (in the case of American History, to put an end to slavery)

**AMENDMENT:** a change or addition to a law or other important piece of writing, i.e. an amendment to the U.S. Constitution

**ANTEBELLUM:** a time period before a large war; in American history, it usually refers to the time period before the Civil War

**CONFEDERACY:** a group of people, states, or parties that are joined together for a specific cause, i.e. the Confederate States of America

**CONSUMER:** anyone who buys goods and services

**CULTURE:** the way of life of a particular group of people. This includes their food, clothing, buildings, language, beliefs, arts, tools, and traditions.

**DEBATE:** a formal discussion between people in which they tell or explain different opinions about something

**DISCRIMINATION:** the treatment of one person or group of people as different from another person or group of people, often based on race or gender

**ECONOMICS:** the study of how people get the goods and services they need and want

**EMANCIPATE:** to set someone free from legal, social, or political restrictions, i.e. emancipate slaves from slavery

**HYDROELECTRIC:** having to do with machines that generate electricity by the power of moving water

**INDUSTRIALIZATION:** the transformation from an agricultural society to one based on manufacturing

**INTEGRATE:** to combine or unite two or more things; such as to give people of all races equal opportunity

**MECHANIZATION:** a change from working by hand or with animals to doing work with machinery

**PLANTATION:** a very large farm that usually grows one main crop and is usually maintained by workers who live there

**RECONSTRUCTION:** the federal plan to reorganize and rebuild the United States after the Civil War, including plans to re-admit the southern states

**SECEDE:** to separate from a nation in order to become an independent country

**SEGREGATION:** the practice of keeping people of different groups, such as races, separated from one another

**SUFFRAGE:** the right to vote in political elections

**TIMELINE:** a way to organize information by placing it on a line of dates that shows passage of time

**TOURISM:** business based on serving those traveling for fun to a certain area

**UNION:** during the Civil War, the Union was the term used to refer to the United States of America, and specifically to the national government and the 20 free states and five border slave states which supported it

**URBANIZATION:** a process where people leave rural areas to move into cities, causing the cities to grow