



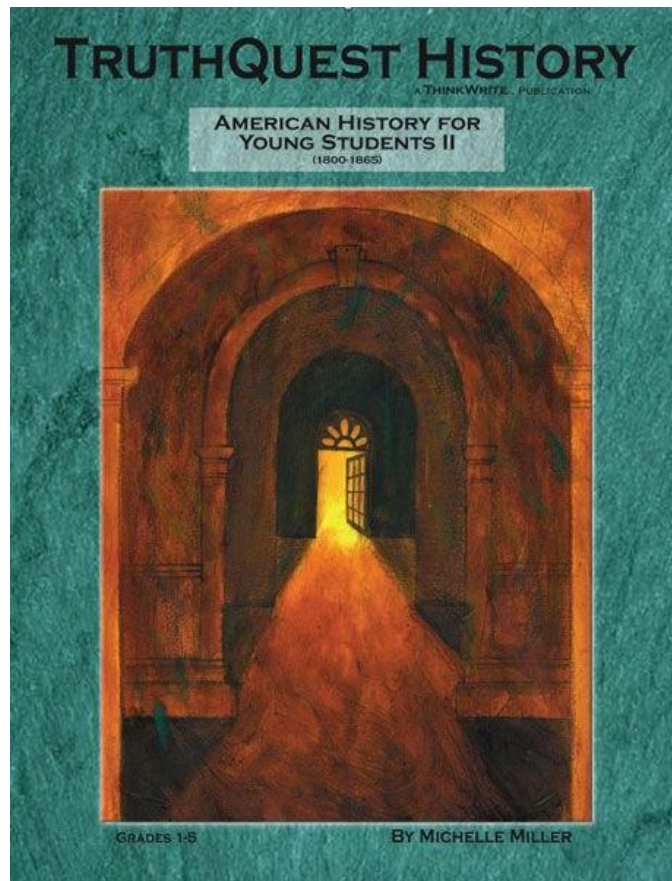
Grades 1 and up

TruthQuest History™

American History for Young Students II

(1800-1865)

Binder-Builder



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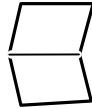
Materials Needed

What you need to get started

- *A printed copy of the TruthQuest History –Binder-Builder™ by A Journey Through Learning
- *A Printed copy of TruthQuest History book (American History for Young Students II)
- *32 pieces of 8.5 x 11 colored cardstock
- *1 inch 3-ring binder with clear sleeve on the front
- *Scissors
- *Glue (We recommend Zip Dry Glue)
- *Hole puncher
- *Brads
- *Stapler
- *Crayons and/or colored pencils
- *5 tabs- Label your tabs:
Important Figures, Special Topics, General Fiction, **Timeline, Notebooking****These two packages sold separately.

Terminology used throughout Binder-Builder™

Hamburger Fold- Fold horizontally



Hotdog Fold- Fold vertically



Folds- Sometimes labeled with a small line to show where the fold is.

Dotted Lines- These are the cutting lines.

Cover Labels- Some of the booklets will have a cover label that will need to be glued to the top to cover a blank space.

What is a Binder-Builder?

A Binder-Builder is a new name for an old concept! It is simply taking a 3-ring binder and colored cardstock and turning it into a wonderful showcase of your child's learning year!

How Do I Use it With TruthQuest History?

TruthQuest History American History for Young Students II (1800-1865) curriculum is broken up into 49 units. By using the Binder-Builders along with this wonderful program, you will be able to bring and gather so much of what your child is learning and store it into one fun-packed binder! No more lost papers.

You will still follow TruthQuest History's relaxed, enjoyable learning style. This product is meant to be fun, NOT stressful. So use it to enhance your learning experience. Feel free to tailor the booklets to your child. Some days you can simply draw instead of write. Or find the information on the internet and glue it onto the booklet. The choice is YOURS!

Each unit has two or more fun booklets to complete. So, gather the kids on the couch, and let the learning begin!

How Do I Set Up My Binder-Builder?

Gather your pieces of cardstock and 3-hole punch them. Next, in the lower right-hand corner number your cardstock from 1-32. Place in 3-ring binder. Add your 5 labeled tabs behind the cardstock. (If you are using Timeline Package and/or Notebooking Package, you will place them here.) You will store all of your worksheets behind these tabs.

The front of the first page will have your cover sheet glued to it. Then, your **first** "detail" sheet will be glued to the **back** of that page. The **booklets** for your **first** unit will then be glued to the **front** of your **second** page. This lay-out allows you to view anything for the unit you are studying at the same time! You will follow this process throughout the entire binder-builder.

Located at the top right corner of each page, you will find the unit topic and the pages where it can be found in your *TrustQuest History* book. Each page will also have all directions for the construction of the mini-booklet, pages to read, and what your student will record in the mini-booklet after reading to show what is learned. A small key is also here to show you where to glue each mini-booklet onto the card stock.

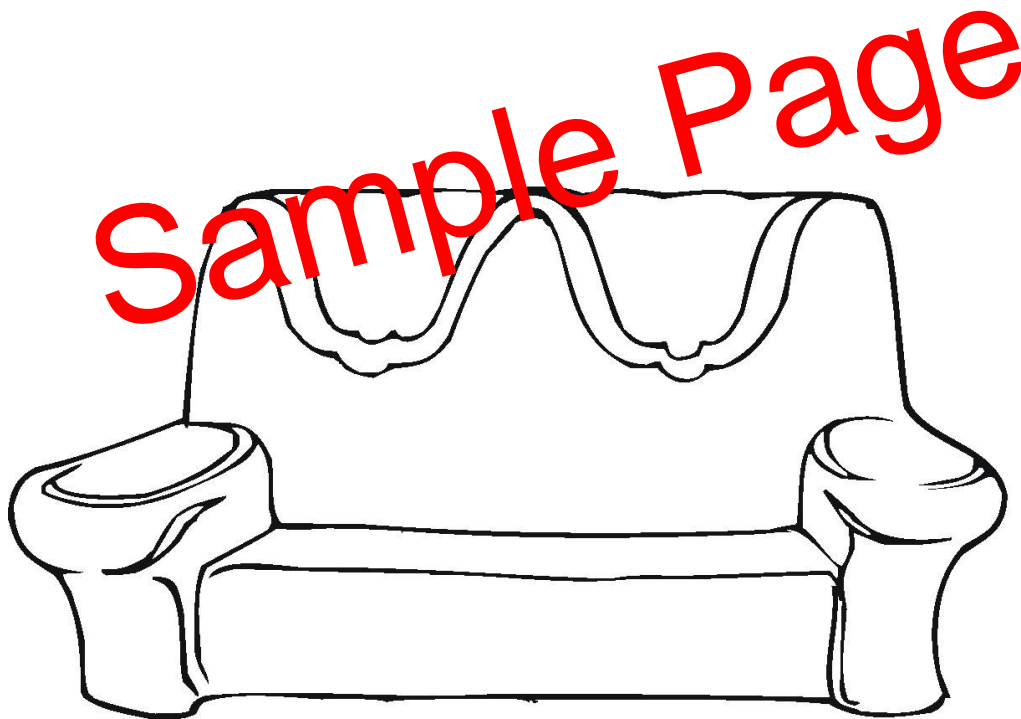
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Cover Sheet for TruthQuest History- American History for Young Students II (1800-1865.)
Cut out the cover sheet and glue to the first page of your Binder-Builder. Draw a picture of
you and your family sitting together reading and learning about history!



Cut out and glue to the back of page 1.

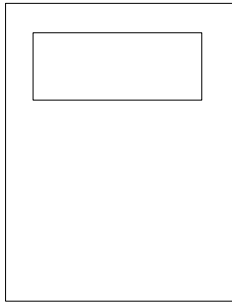
1. Avocados. Yes! Avocados!

Copy in your best handwriting.

A wise and frugal Government, which shall restrain men from injuring one another, shall leave them otherwise free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvement, and shall not take from the mouth of the labor the bread it has earned. This is the sum of good government...

Sample Page

In your own words, what does this mean?



Read page 1 and 2 of your TQH book.
Cut out booklet as one piece. Fold in half. Cut on dotted line to create flaps. Glue onto the front of page 2.
Directions: Under each flap, write the answer.

GLUE

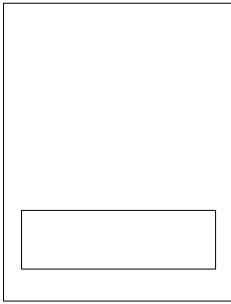
Big
Belief
#1

Big
Belief
#2

Sample Page

C
U
T

Hamburger
fold



Cut out the two pieces. Stack with title piece on top. Staple together at the top. Glue onto the front of page 2.
Directions: Define the terms.

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Define The Terms!

Sample Page

Define free enterprise: _____

Define Limited Government: _____

Cut out and glue to the back of page 2.

2. New Capital-Washington, D.C.

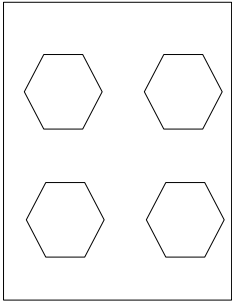
Official Name: _____

Who chose this site for the city? _____

What famous river was it built along? _____

Using historical books or the internet, draw the original layout of Washington, D.C.

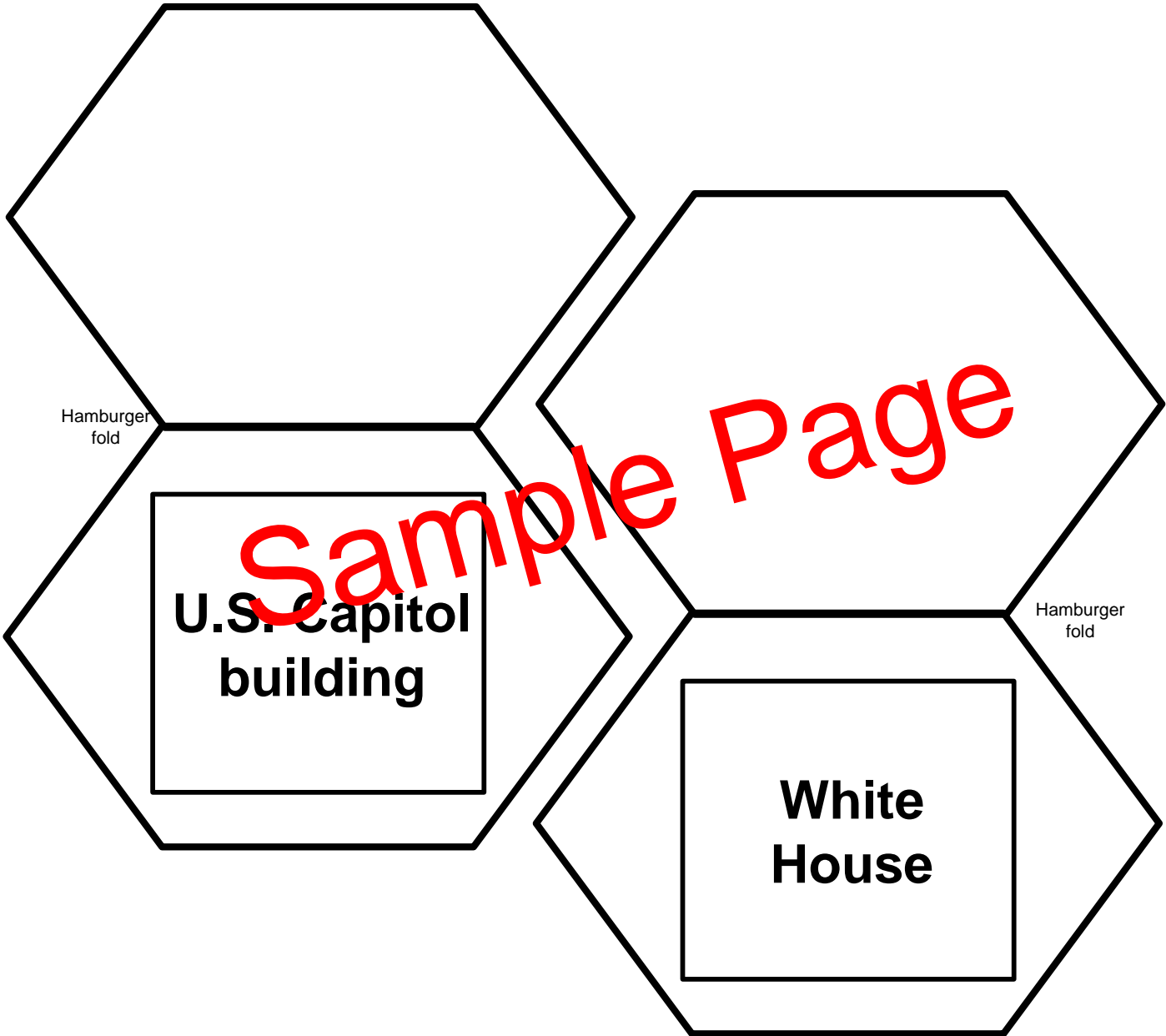
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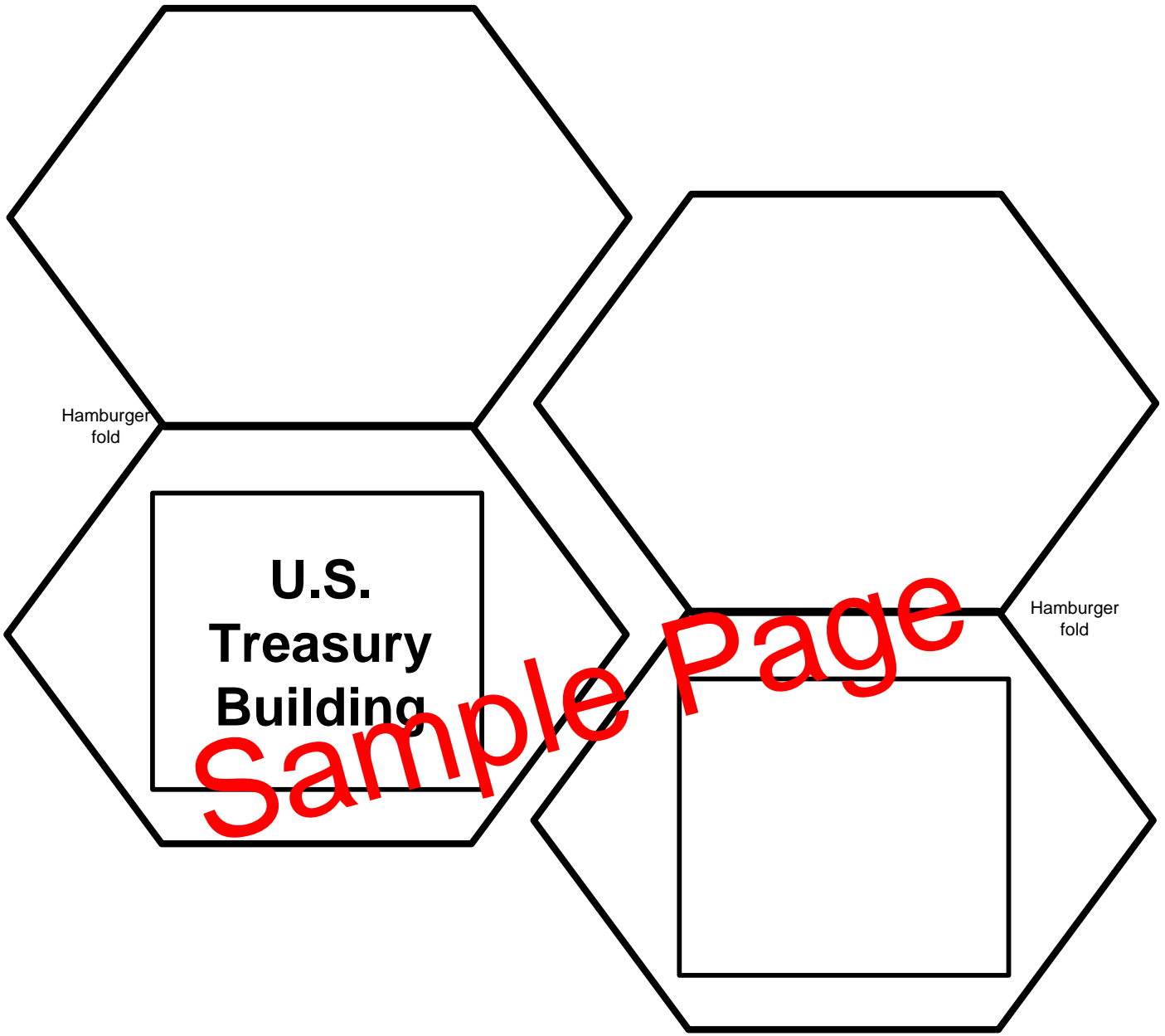


Read about the New Capital and the city of Washington, D.C. from the books of your choice.

Cut out the booklets from this page and the next. Fold in half. Glue onto the front of page 3.

Directions: Inside of the booklets, write about each building. If your children are younger, draw a picture.





Use this booklet for any other building you may study.