

Tabby Cabins Educational Pages

Vocabulary:

1. Guale Indians - historic Native Americans chiefdom of Mississippian culture people located along the coast of present day Georgia and the Sea Island.
2. Mocama - native American people who lived in the coastal areas of what are now northern Florida and southeastern Georgia.
3. Mission - the Spanish created them explicitly for the purpose of religious conversion and instruction in the Catholic faith.
4. Smallpox - a serious and often deadly viral infection. It is contagious and easily spread from person to person. There is a vaccine for it now.
5. James Oglethorpe - was a British soldier. Member of Parliament, and a philanthropist, and founder of the Province of Georgia which is now the state of Georgia.
6. Philanthropist - a person who seeks to promote the welfare of others, especially by generous donations of money to good causes.
7. Settler- person who moves with a group of people to live in a new country
8. Egalitarian - believing in the principle that all people are equal and deserve equal rights and opportunities
9. Mary Musgrove - She was a negotiator between English and Native American communities and played an important role in the development of Colonial Georgia.
10. Tomochichi - was the head chief of a Yamacraw town on the site of the present day Savannah. He gave land on Yamacraw Bluff to James Oglethorpe to build the city of Savannah.
11. Enslaved - people who were forcibly placed in a condition of slavery by another person or group
12. Sea Island Cotton - cotton with especially long silky fiber which is the finest and rarest type of cotton in the world.
13. Bondage - the state of one person being owned by another person, as a piece of property
14. Tradesman - a skilled worker

15. Plantation - a large farm; cultivated estate. Used chiefly in southern states in which a cash crop is grown.
16. Carpenter - a person who makes and repairs wooden objects
17. Blacksmith - a person who makes and repairs things in iron by hand
18. Field hands - a person who does farm labor
19. servants - a person who performs duties for others in a house
20. Tabby - is a foundation made of equal parts lime, water oyster shells and ash. The ash is a byproduct of preparing the lime, but its presence contributes to the hardening of the end product.
21. Civil War - a war between citizens of the same country.
22. Reconstruction - the period immediately after the Civil War from 1865-1877. This is when the United States sought to reconstruct society in former Confederate States in particular by establishing and protecting the legal rights of the newly freedman population.
23. Sawyers - a person who saws timber or lumber for a living
24. Lumber - a collective term for harvested wood
25. Tourism - commercial organization and operation of vacations and visits to places of interest