

AP US Civil War Articles

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Why did they fight?

1. Discuss at least four reasons why soldiers fought in the war?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Why did many Southerners feel they were fighting AGAINST slavery?

Why did women want to fight?

1. What were some of the same reasons as men that women fought in the war?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What were some reasons women fought that were different from the men?

African Americans

1. Why were blacks turned away from enlistment at the beginning of the war?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Why was the Lincoln administration hesitant to change this law?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. What were the reasons the gov't changed the ban on black enlistment?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. What were some of the problems black soldiers faced that white soldiers did not?