

CHAPTER 9

Guided Reading Strategies 9.1

Canada

READING THE SECTION As you read the section, answer each of the following questions in the space provided.

1. Who were the first Europeans to sail to Canada's eastern shores? _____
2. Who was the first European to explore Canada's interior? _____
3. What country took over Nova Scotia in 1713? _____
4. How many provinces and territories does Canada have today? _____
5. Why did many colonists go to Canada during the American Revolution? _____

6. How many people live in Canada today? _____
7. What is Quebec's largest city? _____
8. What two provinces are called the Heartland Provinces? _____
9. What are Newfoundland, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island called?

10. In what part of Canada can permafrost be found? _____

POST-READING QUICK CHECK After you have finished reading the section, in the space provided, identify the three main reasons that the French wanted to explore Canada.

1. Reason: _____

2. Reason: _____

3. Reason: _____
