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Tecumseh: The War of 1812

Brothers,—We all belong to one family; we are all children of the Great Spirit; we walk in the same path; slake our thirst at the same spring; and now affairs of the greatest concern lead us to smoke the pipe around the same council fire!

Now that you've reviewed some of the introductory events surrounding the War of 1812 and have learned a little about the Shawnee chief, Tecumseh, your job is to reproduce one of his speeches into your own words. Use either the handout that you received today or the excerpt that was included in the chapter package as inspiration.

Make sure that you have kept the spirit of the message the same – defiance and unity against a powerful opponent – but you can change it so that the message is different. For example, give a speech to me about homework, give a speech to your parents about allowance, or try to rally the school together for a sporting event.

You will be presenting your speeches on Wednesday, September 30. Marks will be allocated for how you deliver your message and the content of the message.

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