

Compromise of 1850

Reflection activity

Directions: Please respond to the questions below using at least 3 complete sentences for each question in your response.

1. After learning about the Compromise of 1850, what is your reaction to it? Why? Do you think it will help or hurt the United States at that time?

2. Which 2 parts of the Compromise do you think will be the most controversial (will cause the most disagreement and conflict) during that time? Why?

3. On a scale of 1-10, (1 being low and 10 being high), please rate the impact of the Compromise of 1850 as leading to a future Civil War. Justify your reasoning for that rating.