

# Reformers and the Underground Railroad Graphic Organizer (see PPT)

## Vocabulary

\_\_\_\_\_ Abolitionist

\_\_\_\_\_ American Colonization Society

\_\_\_\_\_ Reformer

\_\_\_\_\_ Frederick Douglass

\_\_\_\_\_ William Lloyd Garrison

\_\_\_\_\_ Underground Railroad

\_\_\_\_\_ Harriet Tubman

- A. This dramatic and fiery editor of the abolitionist newspaper *The Liberator*, spoke his controversial opinions openly and without apology.
- B. An escaped slave who became a "conductor" in the Underground Railroad and helped to free thousands of slaves.
- C. Activists who challenged the existing state of political and social ideas and thoughts.
- D. The best known African American abolitionist who toured the country talking about the horrors of slavery and started his own abolitionist newspaper called the *North Star*.
- E. People who wanted to abolish or do away with slavery.
- F. Founded the nation of Liberia in Western Africa - a colony where freed slaves could live.
- G. Established in 1816, this organization set about colonizing the nation of Liberia in Western Africa as a place where freed slaves could live.
- H. A network of abolitionists who secretly helped slaves reach freedom in the Northern free-states or Canada.

Are slaves who are treated well by their masters better off than free-men working in factories? Why?



How would ending slavery cause Northern merchants to lose money?



If slavery ended and slaves working in the fields were suddenly **PAID** for their labor by Southern planters, then . . .

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**THINKING FOCUS QUESTION: How did reformers try to end slavery?**

REFORMER:	METHOD:	HOW THEY BELIEVE IT WILL HELP END SLAVERY:

**WHAT DO YOU THINK?**



Would free African Americans want to leave the United States to live in Liberia? Why or why not?

In 1847, Frederick Douglass began publishing the antislavery newspaper, the *North Star*.

Why do you think Douglass called his newspaper the *North Star*? What could this represent?

