Timeline of the Northwest Rebellion

Manitoba Act passed in 1870

***What are problems the Metis faced after this act?***

***(include the military and scrip)***

Treaties signed with Plains Natives

***What did the treaties promise?***

***Why did the First Nations sign the Treaties?***

***Why did Canada want treaties?***

1876: The Indian Act

***What included in the Indian Act? How Does Canada view Native peoples?***

1875 – 1885: Starvation of First Nations

***What has happened to the Plains Natives? How have the Treaties failed them?***

1884: Louis Riel Returns

***Why? Who sent for him? Where had he been?***

1884: Metis Bill of Rights

***p. 182: what is the purpose of the document?***

***p. 184: What is Ottawa (Canada’s) response?***

March 26, 1885: Duck Lake

***Video and p. 184***

***What happens here? Why? Casualties? Result?***

1885: Canadian National Army enters the Northwest

***How do they arrive in the North West? Where do they attack?***

Frog Lake

***What happens here?***

April 24, 1885: Battle at Fish Creek

***Leader? Events? Winner? (p. 185)***

May 9, 1885: Battle at Batoche

***Events? Winner? Cost/ casualties? (p. 185)***

First Nations involvement in the Rebellion

***Read p. 186 and summarize:***

1. ***Poundmaker and the Cree***
2. ***Big Bear and the Cree***
3. ***Crowfoot and the Siksika***

Trial of Riel is set in Regina

***Why did Canada move the trial Location?***

May 15, 1885: Louis Riel Surrenders

***The Northwest Rebellion is over.***

***The Metis have lost.***