

The student will demonstrate knowledge of the major events during the first half of the nineteenth century by c) describing the cultural, economic, and political issues that divided the nation, including slavery, the abolitionist and women's suffrage movements, and the role of the states in the Union.

The growing division over slavery and states rights

Westward Expansion

Would new states
allow slavery or
prohibit it?

Missouri Compromise
Compromise of 1850
Kansas-Nebraska Act
of 1854