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## **Guided Reading Activity**

The United States East of the Mississippi River

#### **Lesson 3** Life in the Region

### Essential Question: What makes a culture unique?

### **Major Metropolitan Areas**

**Directions:** As you read, complete the chart with information about major metropolitan areas in the eastern United States.

City	Location	History	Industry
New York City			
Chicago			
Atlanta			
New Orleans			

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#### The U.S. Government

**Directions:** Use your textbook to answer the following questions about government in the United States.

- 1. How is the United States a democracy?
- 2. How does the U.S. Constitution make sure that government power is shared?
- 3. What are the three branches of the U.S. government?

- 4. What is one way government actions can affect land?
- 5. What is one way government actions can affect people?

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### **Everyday Life**

**Directions:** A country's economy changes with the times. Put the flow chart below in the correct order by putting a number 1-4 next to each box in order to show how the U.S. economy has changed over time.

