Westward ⟷ Expansion ↔

Name:_____ Date: _____

Territorial _____ and related land policies had a very _____impact on_____. As more settlers moved farther west, they took more Native American land and created conflict with the Native American tribes. The United States government exercised its power to make _____and thus to force tribes to move from their ancestral lands.

<u>The Northwest Ordinance of 1787:</u>

The _____ allowed new lands to organize as territories and later as states when their population of white settlers reached a certain number. The ordinance also provided for _____and _____in the region. This region later became the states of _____

_____ and could not allow slavery.

This was the first time the _____

_____ that was motivated by the ideas of the Declaration of Independence that "_____." Although the Northwest Ordinance promised that the "utmost good faith shall always be observed towards the Indians, their lands and property shall never be taken from them without their consent," because the Land Ordinance and the Northwest Ordinance encouraged westward expansion, Native Americans were _____to give up their lands and move farther west.