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| **Group 1**  **1. What were the underlying causes of the Civil War?**  **2. How did the issue of westward expansion contribute to the outbreak of war?** | **Group2**  1. What were the immediate causes of the Civil War?  2. Why did Lincoln win the election of 1860? How did this event contribute to the outbreak of war? |
| Groups 3   1. Contrast the resources and strategies of the North and South. 2. If the North had a clear materials advantage why did the war last so long? | Groups 4   1. What was the turning point (militarily) in the Civil War and why? 2. How did military strategy change during the Civil War? |
| Group 5   1. Describe the immediate outcomes and effects of the battles of the Civil War. 2. How did military technology change during the civil war? What was the impact of this change? | Group 6   1. What lasting impacts did the Civil War have on the North and the South? 2. How did the role of the federal government change as a result of the civil war? |
| Group 7  What was Reconstruction? And what were the various plans of the individuals/ groups below on how reconstruction should be structured?   * Lincoln * Johnson * The Radical Republicans | Group 8   1. How did the lives of African Americans change as a result of the Civil War and Reconstruction? 2. What were the success and failures of Reconstruction? |