8th Grade American Studies
Unit 7 – Westward Ho!
Topic: The American System

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Directions: *Using the textbook (Chapter 9.2, pages 302-304), please complete the following activity.*

1. What is ***Nationalism***? (GLOSSARY)

2. Who was Henry Clay?

3. Why did Clay support the idea of a strong national economy?

4. What were the THREE (3) parts to Henry Clay's *American System*?

5. What was the ***Cumberland Road***? (GLOSSARY)

6. What was the *National Road*?

7. What was the ***Erie Canal***? (GLOSSARY)

8. What two geographic features did the Erie Canal link together? (NOT Albany & Buffalo!!!)

9. What was the ***Era of Good Feelings***? (GLOSSARY)

10. What was *McCulloch v. Maryland*? (GLOSSARY)

11. What was *Gibbons v. Ogden*? (GLOSSARY)