Unit Response Questions

Complete the following questions in COMPLETE SENTENCES. You will be adding your responses to your ePortfolio under "Colonization," so make sure that you put your best effort in.

- 1. In what ways has the colonization of Canada made life better or worse? And for whom? (continuity and change) Use specific examples from what we have learned about and discussed in class to support your answer.
- 2. What lessons can we learn from the effects of the Indian Act? (ethical judgments)
- 3. Genocide is defined as: "the deliberate killing of a large group of people, especially those of a particular ethnic group or nation." Were Canadian policies toward indigenous peoples (e.g. residential schools, Indian Act, etc.) an example of genocide? (ethical judgments)
- 4. What evidence is there that colonialism* still influences present day relationships between Canada (the government/non-Indigenous peoples) and Indigenous peoples? (evidence)

^{*}Colonialism: settling and controlling new lands. Also, continuing to take advantage of or exploit that colony, or those people that first lived there.