

Map Activity Founding of the Colonies Questions

Name: _____ Period _____

1. In 1607 settlers at Jamestown founded the first English colony, known as _____.
2. What was the last of the 13 original English colonies? It was established in 1732 and lies between the Savannah River to the north, and Spanish Florida to the South. _____.
3. English colonists from the island of Barbados founded Charles Town, the major city in the colony of _____.
4. When they took control of New Amsterdam in 1664, the English renamed it _____.
5. In 1681 William Penn received a royal charter and went on to establish what colony as a haven for religious freedom? _____.
6. What colony was founded in 1622? _____.
7. Which colony lies between Maryland and New Jersey? _____.
8. Which two colonies were founded in 1636?

9. Which colony, located between the Hudson and the Delaware Rivers, was founded in 1664, but became a royal colony in 1702? _____.
10. What was the second English colony? The Pilgrims landed at Plymouth in 1620 and began what eventually became this colony. _____.
11. Which two colonies were founded in 1663?

12. St. Mary's was the first capital of what colony? _____.

Word Bank for Questions #1-#12:

Connecticut	Delaware	Georgia	Maryland	Massachusetts
New Hampshire	New Jersey	New York	North Carolina	
Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	South Carolina (used twice)	Virginia	