

Section 1 and 2: Our Section 1 & 2 quiz will be an essay quiz you will be given the prompts below. You are to **choose one** and answer it fully. This counts as your quiz so it is worth 30 points. I will be using a 30 point rubric to grade. Make sure you answer in a fully developed essay. In other words this essay may require multiple paragraphs. It is wise to outline your essays in advance to help organize your thoughts. Please circle your choice.

1. Describe the Compromise of 1850. Identify the terms of the Compromise (there are 5). After identifying the terms explain the importance of each point. In your understanding, which point(s) was a major victory for North? In your understanding, which point(s) was a major victory for South? What points, if any, were points where both sides met in the middle? Lastly, why was the Compromise of 1850 important to American history and what can we learn from it today?
2. Describe the Underground Railroad. Was the Underground Railroad a physical railroad? If it was not a physical railroad, what was it then? Identify any terminology surrounding the Underground Railroad (there are 3). What was the purpose of the Underground Railroad? Why was this created in the first place (hint: Look to question 1)? Who was "Black Moses" and why was she called that? Lastly, what is the significance of the Underground Railroad to American History and what does it teach today?