“Roosevelt’s Tree Army”
Reading Guide

1. Why was the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) created by March 31, 1933?

2. Explain organized labor’s opposition to the CCC.

3. Name the role played by the War, Labor, Agriculture, and Interior Departments in the CCC.

4. Explain why the CCC had great public support. Cite societal and individual benefits linked to the program.

5. Describe the three modifications made to the program in 1933. Why were these modifications made?

6. Discuss the revolt against FDR’s efforts to reduce the number of camps and enrollees in the election year of 1936.

7. Name 10 specific accomplishments of the CCC during its existence.

8. Describe why Congress liquidated this very popular agency in 1942.