

Rise of the American West Vocab List

Expansion → The action of becoming larger or more extensive

Regression → A return to a former or less developed state

Diversification → To make something diverse

Displacement → To move from a usual site

Indenture → To bind(hold) someone as an apprentice or laborer

Servitude → Subjection, slavery, work imposed as a punishment

Reservation → Land set aside for use; arrangement made

Manifest → To show clearly or to be obvious

Destiny → The predetermined series of events that happen

Nomadic → Someone who wanders from place to place

Assimilation → Adjusting to a society/culture