

NAME _____

NATIVE AMERICANS

DATE _____

EASTERN WOODLANDS

Down the River

Decide whether each statement is about Eastern Woodlands government or daily life. Mark an X in the correct column. Then answer the questions below.

	Government	Daily Life
1. Five Eastern Woodlands tribes joined together to form the Iroquois League.		
2. The Iroquois League was led by 50 sachems, or tribe leaders.		
3. The Eastern Woodlands women farmed and gathered berries and nuts.		
4. The men hunted and fished.		
5. The tribes went to war over land with the settlers and with each other.		
6. The Iroquois League eventually fell apart.		
7. Another Eastern Woodlands tribe, called the Cherokee, lived, farmed, and hunted south of the Iroquois.		
8. They built special pit houses to keep warm in the winter.		
9. They also built special houses of grass or clay to stay cool in the summer.		
10. The Cherokee built large fences around their villages.		
11. The Cherokee tribe had chiefs who governed each village.		
12. Each village was part of a Cherokee confederation.		

13. What is one similarity between the Iroquois and the Cherokee tribes? _____

14. What is one difference between the Iroquois and the Cherokee tribes? _____

