**Reconstruction Era Reading Questions**

Read the web page below and answer the following questions:

[Overview of the Reconstruction Era - History Skills](https://www.historyskills.com/classroom/modern-history/mod-reconstruction-reading/)

1. What is the 'Reconstruction Era'?
2. When did the Civil War end?
3. What was the Ten Percent Plan?
4. Who led the Presidential Reconstruction after Lincoln's assassination?
5. What were the 'Black Codes'?
6. Who were the Radical Republicans?
7. What was the Civil Rights Bill of 1866?
8. What was the Freedmen’s Bureau?
9. What did the 13th, 14th, and 15th Amendments to the Constitution do?
10. What were the Reconstruction Acts?
11. When were all of the Southern states readmitted to the Union?
12. When did Reconstruction end in the Southern states?
13. What were the “Jim Crow” laws?

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you have learnt in your reading, answer the question below in paragraph format (Topic Sentence, Explanation, Evidence, Concluding Sentence):

*What were the positive and negative outcomes of the Reconstruction Era?*