

Assignment: Use the Internet to Complete this assignment:

+ Research these links:

[Reasons for slavery in early America](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Slavery_in_the_colonial_United_States): Read the essay.

--[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Slavery\\_in\\_the\\_colonial\\_United\\_States](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Slavery_in_the_colonial_United_States)

[Indentured Servitude](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Indentured_servant) [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Indentured\\_servant](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Indentured_servant) (Read the essay)

Read the essay, "[How Slavery Affected African American Families](http://nationalhumanitiescenter.org/tserve/freedom/1609-1865/essays/aafamilies.htm)"

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Source: Williams, Heather Andrea. "How Slavery Affected African American Families." Freedom's Story, TeacherServe©. National Humanities Center. September, 30, 2015. <<http://nationalhumanitiescenter.org/tserve/freedom/1609-1865/essays/aafamilies.htm>>

----- Read the online essay, "[Breakdown of the Black Family and Its Consequences](http://www.discoverthenetworks.org/viewSubCategory.asp?id=1261)"

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**Answer the following questions for the articles above:**

1. What are two possible reasons for slavery in America?

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2. What is indentured Servitude. Explain the process.

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3. Write an outline for how slavery effected African American families. Does this effect families today? Why or why not?

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4. What is the so called "Breakdown" of the black family? Name the significant consequences and how does it effect the American society today?

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