

Answer Key: Video--Fraser River Gold Rush

- 1. Who lived in BC first?
 - First Nations
- 2. What first attracted the Europeans to BC?
 - Fur trade
- 3. Who was the first to discover gold in BC?
 - First Nations people
- 4. Who was James Douglas?
 - Head of Hudson's Bay Company in region and governor of Vancouver Island
- 5. Who were the First Nations peoples unhappy with? Why?
 - American miners came and tried to take over area
- 6. How did the Fraser River Gold Rush lead to the creation of BC?
 - Established colony of BC to prevent Americans from taking over