

Name _____

Historical Event Order Answer Key

1. The Pilgrims traveled across the ocean on a ship called the **Mayflower**.
2. The settlers had a very difficult and **cold winter** where they did not have enough food.
3. Squanto taught the settlers how to plant **corn** and where to catch fish in the river.
4. The settlers spent the spring and summer working hard to grow their **first crops**.
5. After a successful harvest, the Governor invited the Wampanoag leader, **Massasoit**, and his people to a celebration.
6. The Pilgrims and the Wampanoag people sat down together to share a **huge feast**.

Teacher Guide

Purpose: This activity helps students in Grade 2 and Grade 3 practice chronological sequencing and identifying cause and effect relationships in history.

Differentiation

- **For Struggling Learners:** Pre-fill numbers 1 and 6 to give them a starting and ending point. You can also provide a copy with the bold words replaced by small icons (e.g., a ship for the Mayflower).
- **For Advanced Learners:** Ask students to write a "Day 0" event (what happened before the ship left) or a "Day 7" event (what happened after the feast ended).

Extension Ideas

- **Timeline Mural:** Have students draw a long rectangle on a piece of construction paper and illustrate each of the six steps in order to create a visual timeline.
- **Transition Word Practice:** Have students rewrite the six sentences into a single paragraph using transition words such as "In the beginning," "After that," and "Months later."